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PREFACE.

THE present volume forms part of a series of Calendars of the Patent Rolls from the reign of Edward I. to that of Henry VII., the object and character of which are explained in the Preface to the first volume for the reign of Edward III. (A.D. 1327—1330.)

The *Rotulus Viagii*, part of which is calendared in this volume, is a roll of thirty-six membranes containing entries of the first eleven years of the reign of Henry IV. It appears, as its name implies, to have been taken with the King on his journeys. The documents enrolled on it are mostly letters patent, though letters close and charters also appear. It has been thought convenient that the portion for each year should be calendared immediately after the normal rolls for the same period.

The text of this volume has been prepared, under my immediate supervision, by Mr. R. C. Fowler, B.A., with some assistance from Mr. R. F. Isaacson, both of the Public Record Office. Mr. Fowler has also compiled the Index.

H. C. MAXWELL-LYTE.

Public Record Office,
21 *May*, 1908.

CORRIGENDA.

Page 87, line 4. *For* 11 *read* 6.
„ 71, „ 40. *For* Lonnell *read* Louvell.
„ 197, „ 88. *For* 20*s*. *read* 20*l*.
„ 199, „ 89. *For* Langneth *read* Langueth.
„ 200, „ 9. *Dele comma between* Molynton *and* Torot.
„ 245, „ 29. *For* Robert *read* Thomas.
„ 888, „ 88. *For* Laudesdale *read* Landesdale.
„ 622. *After* Forests *add* Dallington.

CALENDAR

OF

PATENT ROLLS.

1 HENRY IV.—PART I.

1399.

MEMBRANE 35.

Sept. 30. Westminster. Appointment, during pleasure, of William Thirnyng as chief justice of the Common Bench, receiving the accustomed fee. By K.

The like of John Markham as one of the justices of the Common Bench. By K.

The like of the following :—
William Hankeford.
William Brenchesle.
William Rikhill.

Sept. 30. Westminster. Appointment, during pleasure, of John Hill as one of the justices of the King's Bench, receiving the accustomed fees. By K.

The like of Hugh Huls. By K.

Oct. 1. Westminster. Grant, during good behaviour, to the king's clerk Robert Claydon of the office of keeper of the hanaper of Chancery, with the accustomed fees. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender.

Oct. 5. Westminster. Grant to the king's clerk Simon Bache of the prebend of Tame in the cathedral church of Lincoln. By p.s.

Mandate in pursuance to H. bishop of Lincoln. By the same writ.

Mandate in pursuance to the dean and chapter. By the same writ.

Oct. 6. Westminster. Presentation of Richard Clifford the younger to the church of Seggesfeld, in the diocese of Durham. By p.s.

Oct. 4. Westminster. Presentation of Richard Kyngeston to the parish church of Stokenham, in the diocese of Exeter. By p.s.

Oct. 8. Westminster. Presentation of Thomas More to the parish church of Patryngton, in the diocese of York. By p.s.

Oct. 5. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire John Wynter of the office of the stewardship of the county of Cornwall with fees as John Kentwode, 'chivaler,' deceased, or anyone else had, and the custody of the castle and park of Rorstermell, co. Cornwall, with the accustomed fees. By p.s.

Oct. 9. Westminster. Presentation of Maurice ap David to the church of Walssh Bykenore, in the diocese of Hereford.

Membrane 35—*cont.*

1399. Oct. 14. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Nicholas Lillyng, 'chivaler,' of letters patent dated 20 November, 14 Richard II, granting to him for life the office of parker of the park of Molton, co. Northampton. By p.s.

1400. Jan. 5. Westminster. William, prior of Lanthony by Gloucester, staying in England, has letters nominating brother Richard Chiryton and James Bellewe his attorneys in Ireland for two years.

The abbot of St. Peter, Gloucester, received the attorneys by writ.

Commission, during pleasure, to Roger Landford of the office of tronage and pesage of wools in the port of Newcastle on Tyne, receiving the accustomed fee. By bill of the treasurer.

1399. Oct. 17. Westminster. The like to Nicholas Brasier of Ipswich in the port of the said town. By bill of the treasurer.

Oct. 17. Westminster. The like to Thomas Barnby in the port of Boston. By bill of the treasurer.

The like to Robert Bergh of the office of the pesage of wools in the port of Southampton and ports and places adjacent. By bill of the treasurer.

Oct. 10. Westminster. Commission, during pleasure, to John Bradbrigge of the office of controller of the customs and subsidy of wools, hides and wool-fells and the petty custom in the port of Cicestre and ports and places adjacent along the sea coast between Dover and Portesmouth, receiving the accustomed fee, provided that he execute the office in person, with the custody of one part of the coket seal. By bill of the treasurer.

The like to the following:—

Andrew Grene in the port of Ipswich and ports and places from thence to Tillebury. By bill of the treasurer.

Oct. 12. Westminster. William Preston in the port of London and ports and places from thence on either side of the Thames to Graveshende and there and on the Essex side to Tillebury and there. By bill of the treasurer.

Vacated because otherwise below.

Oct. 15. Westminster. John Hertham in the port of Bristol and ports and places adjacent. By bill of the treasurer.

Oct. 16. Westminster. Reginald Curteys in the port of Boston and ports and places from thence on one side to Grymesby and on the other to Wysbech and there. By bill of the treasurer.

Oct. 18. Westminster. John Spicer in the port of Lenn and ports and places between Blakeney and Wysebech. By bill of the treasurer.

Oct. 22. Westminster. Ralph de Sotheworth in the port of Newcastle on Tyne and ports and places between Berwick on Tweed and Scardeburgh. By bill of the treasurer.

Oct. 24. Westminster. Thomas Brennaud in the port of Suthampton. By bill of the treasurer.

Henry Rafman in the port of Great Jernemuth. By bill of the treasurer.

Oct. 22. Westminster. Richard Laton in the port of Melcombe and ports and places adjacent, except the port of Pole. By bill of the treasurer.

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Membrane 35—*cont.*

Oct. 24. Westminster. Robert Barton in the port of Exeter and ports and places from thence on one side to Sydemouth and there and on the other towards the west by the counties of Devon and Cornwall to Briggewater. By bill of the treasurer.

Nov. 10. Westminster. Robert Schilbotyll in the port of Scardeburgh and ports and places adjacent. By bill of the treasurer.

Sept. 30. Westminster. William Ledes in the port of Sandwich and ports and places from thence on one side to Graveshende and on the other to Romney and there. By bill of the treasurer.

MEMBRANE 34.

Oct. 1. Westminster. Ratification of the estate which John Clere, chaplain, has as warden of the chantry in the king's free chapel of Wynbornemynstre, in the diocese of Salisbury.

The like for the following:—

Oct. 4. Westminster. Robert Thresk, parson of the church of Yelvertoft, in the diocese of Lincoln.
Vacated because below.

Oct. 6. Westminster. Richard Thorn, parson of the church of Rothyng Beauchamp, in the diocese of London.

Oct. 4. Westminster. Thomas Grene, vicar of the church of Grosmont, in the diocese of Llandaff.

Oct. 8. Westminster. Thomas More, prebendary of St. Margaret, Leycestre, in the cathedral church of Lincoln. By p.s.

Oct. 8. Westminster. William Gryme, vicar of the church of Eton, in the diocese of Hereford.

Oct. 8. Westminster. Thomas de Hernby, vicar of the church of Kyrkham, in the diocese of York.

Oct. 9. Westminster. William Lamprey, parson of the church of Aka, in the diocese of Hereford.

Oct. 14. Westminster. Richard Clifford, dean of the cathedral church of St. Peter, York, prebendary of Rykal in the same, archdeacon of Canterbury, prebendary of Leyghton Busard in the cathedral church of St. Mary, Lincoln, Blebury in the cathedral church of St. Mary, Salisbury, and Wyvelescombe in the cathedral church of Wells, and master and warden of the hospital of St. James by Westminster. By K.

Thomas Yokflete, prebendary of Langstowe in the cathedral church of Lincoln. By p.s.

Oct. 10. Westminster. Robert Skyrne, warden of the hospital of St. Ellen called 'Bracefordspitle,' co. York. By K.

Oct. 18. Westminster. Jorum ap Yevan, portioner of the portion which Lewelin Iscolayk lately had in the parish church of Aberdaron, in the diocese of Bangor.

Oct. 14. Westminster. Master Nicholas Archer, vicar of the church of Appuldre, in the diocese of Canterbury.

1399. *Membrane* 34—*cont.*

Oct. 16. Westminster. William Daas, parson of the parish church of Wynewyk, in the diocese of Coventry and Lichfield. By p.s.

Oct. 18. Westminster. William Donne, parson of the church of Everdon, in the diocese of Lincoln.

Oct. 20. Westminster. Robert de Garton, parson of the church of Kirtlyngton, in the diocese of York, and prebendary or portioner of the prebend or portion in the church of Norton, in the diocese of Durham, which Michael de Ravendale lately had. By K.

Oct. 16. Westminster. William Styucle, parson of the churches of Blecchels and Glatton, in the diocese of Lincoln, and prebendary of Wallokesberne in the cathedral church of St. Paul, London. By p.s.

Oct. 21. Westminster. Robert de Brayton, warden of the hospitals of St. Nicholas in the town of Calais and St. James by the said town. By K.

Oct. 22. Westminster. John Hertilpole, king's clerk, parson of the church of Weston in the Clay and warden of the free chapel of Skegby, in the diocese of York, and prebendary of Rettelyng in the collegiate church of St. Mary, Wengham, in the diocese of Canterbury. By K.

Oct. 13. Westminster. Simon Gaunstede, king's clerk, prebendary of Crakepole in the cathedral church of St. Mary, Lincoln, and warden of the king's free chapel of St. George under the castle of York and the free chapel of Badmundesfeld. By K.

Oct. 12. Westminster. Elias Langport, parson of the church of Aldestre, in the diocese of Coventry and Lichfield.

Oct. 20. Westminster. Robert de Brayton, king's clerk, warden of the free chapel of St. Nicholas, Oswaldestre, within the castle of Oswaldestre. By K.

Oct. 21. Westminster. William Tart, parson of the church of Whykham, in the diocese of Durham.

Oct. 20. Westminster. John Macclesfeld, commendator of St. Antony, London, provost in the cathedral church of Wells and prebendary or portioner in the church of St. Mary, Derlyngton. By p.s.

Oct. 13. Westminster. Robert de Ragenhill, king's clerk, parson of the church of Werplesdon, in the diocese of Winchester. By K.

Oct. 14. Westminster. Nicholas Bubbewyth, king's clerk, parson of the churches of Bryngton and Navesby, in the diocese of Lincoln, and prebendary of Uffele *alias* Offele in the cathedral church of Lichefeld, Gyvendale *alias* Skelton in the collegiate church of Rypon, in the diocese of York, Ilton in the cathedral church of Wells, Heghes in the diocese of Exeter and the prebend which Henry Blakebourn lately had in the cathedral church of Exeter. By K.

Oct. 23. Westminster. Henry Maupas, parson of the church of Potton, in the diocese of Lincoln, and prebendary of Ruyton on Dunnesmore in the cathedral church of St. Chad, Lichefeld, and the prebend which Master Robert de Ravendale lately had in the collegiate church of St. John, Chester. By K.

Oct. 14. Westminster. Master William Waltham, king's clerk, parson of the churches of Algarkirk and Somersham, in the diocese of Lincoln, warden of the hospital of St. Leonard, York, and prebendary of Cave in the

1399. *Membrane* 34—*cont.*

cathedral church of York, Chalk in the conventual church of Wilton, in the diocese of Salisbury, and the prebend at the altar of St. Martin in the collegiate church of St. John, Beverley, in the diocese of York. By K.

John Roland, king's clerk, parson of the churches of Cattestoke and St. Sampson, Creklade, in the diocese of Salisbury, and prebendary of Langrigge in the king's free chapel of Penkrich, in the diocese of Coventry and Lichfield, and Holy Cross in the cathedral church of Llandaff. By K.

Oct. 14. Westminster. Thomas de Stanley, king's clerk, dean of the king's free chapel of St. Martin le Grand, London, parson of the church of Ivechirche, vicar of the church of St. Michael, Coventre, and prebendary of Berlayhall in the collegiate church of Gnoushale. By K.

John Rome, king's clerk, parson of the church of Overe, in the diocese of Ely. By K.

John Pygot the younger, king's clerk, master or warden of the hospital of Holy Trinity called Seint Dewys by Kyngesthorpe, co. Northampton, in the diocese of Lincoln, master or warden of the hospital or free chapel of Holy Cross, Colcestre, and warden of the free chapel of Tokynton, co. Gloucester, in the diocese of Worcester. By K.

Oct. 22. Westminster. Nicholas Wymbyssh, king's clerk, master of the hospital of St. Leonard, Stoke by Newerk. By K.

Oct. 14. Westminster. John Frank, king's clerk, master or warden of the house or hospital of St. John the Baptist, Hungerford, and parson or warden of the free chapel of Staundon by Hungerford. By K.

John Chitterne, parson of the church of Nyweehurche in the Isle of Wight and prebendary of Chysynbury and Chuyt in the cathedral church of Salisbury, Churche Wythynton in the cathedral church of Hereford, Southneweton in the conventual church of Wylton, Godeworth in the conventual church of Wherewell, Ichene in the conventual church of St. Mary, Winchester, and Swalweclyve in the collegiate church of Heyghterbury. By K.

Sept. 30. Westminster. Grant, during pleasure, to Robert Thresk of the office of remembrancer of the Exchequer, with the accustomed fees. By K.

Sept. 30. Westminster. Grant, during good behaviour, to the king's clerk John de Notyngham of the office of chancellor of the Exchequer, with the accustomed fees. By K.

Oct. 5. Westminster. Ratification of the estate which the king's clerk Robert Thresk has as parson of the church of Yelvertoft, in the diocese of Lincoln, provided that no plea is pending in the king's court.

The like for the following:—

Oct. 8. Westminster. John Nouere, parson of the church of Wynfryth *alias* Wynflyth, in the diocese of Bath and Wells.

Geoffrey Wyke, parson of the church of Deen, in the diocese of Lincoln.

John ap Jorward, parson of the church of Bryngwyn, in the diocese of St. Davids.

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Oct. 11. Westminster. William de Stalmyn, vicar of the church of Gikeleswyk, in the diocese of York.

Oct. 14. Westminster. Thomas Henton, parson of the church of Cheldryngton.

Oct. 18. Westminster. Henry Forster, parson of the church of St. John in the Isle of Jeresey, in the diocese of Coutances.

Oct. 17. Westminster. Yevan ap Cadwegon ap David, parson of the church of Trefywen a Dewbull, in the diocese of Bangor.

Oct. 17. Westminster. William Fyston, parson of the church of Great Fakenham, in the diocese of Norwich.

Oct. 21. Westminster. Thomas atte Lee, parson of the church of Coumbe Templere *alias* Templecombe, in the diocese of Bath and Wells.

Oct. 18. Westminster. John Bremore, parson of the church of Chestreton, in the diocese of Lincoln.

Jorum ap David, parson of the church of Llanergrat with the chapel of Llanalgo annexed.

Oct. 24. Westminster. Griffin ap David, vicar of the church of Llanavan Vawr, in the diocese of St. Davids.

Oct. 28. Westminster. John Herry, vicar of the church of Desburgh.

Nov. 3. Westminster. John Pynnore, parson of the church of St. Michael in le Croked-lane, London.

Nov. 7. Westminster. John Cresset, parson of the church of Llandrinieawe, in the diocese of St. Asaph.

Nov. 8. Westminster. Thomas Kyng, parson of the church of Quynton, in the diocese of Lincoln.

Nov. 14. Westminster. John de Richemond, vicar of the church of Morland, in the diocese of Carlisle.

Nov. 28. Westminster. Thomas Laundels, chaplain of the chantry at the altar of St. Thomas the Martyr in the church of All Saints, Newcastle on Tyne.

Dec. 1. Westminster. Henry Keten, parson of the church of Farle Chamberleyn, in the diocese of Winchester.

Dec. 4. Westminster. Robert de Maryng, parson of the church of Somerton.

Dec. 15. Westminster. Thomas de Sogunhull, vicar of the church of Drayton in Halys, in the diocese of Coventry and Lichfield.

Oct. 6. Westminster Grant for life to the king's servant Nicholas Warde of the bailiwick with the custody of the king's park of Beskwode in the forest of Shirwode, with the accustomed fees as John Arblaster had. By p.s.

Oct. 5. Westminster. Grant for life to Thomas Horneby of Leycestre of the custody of the court called 'le Princecourt' in the county of Leicester with all issues and profits pertaining to it to the value of 4 marks yearly, which William Outeby had of the grant of Richard II. By p.s.

1399. *MEMBRANE* 33.

Oct. 1. Westminster. Grant, during good behaviour, to James Nasshe of the offices of coroner and attorney of the king in the King's Bench, receiving the accustomed fees at the Exchequer. By K.

Oct. 1. Westminster. Presentation of William Heyward, parson of the church of Hynderclee, in the diocese of Norwich, to the church of Borlee, in the diocese of London, on an exchange of benefices with William Hyndelee.

Oct. 5. Westminster. Presentation of Richard Baly, parson of the church of Westle, in the diocese of London, to the vicarage of Bradwell, in the diocese of Lincoln, on an exchange of benefices with John Jekkes.

Oct. 7. Westminster. Commission, during pleasure, to John Botall of the office of controller of the customs and subsidy of wools, hides and wool-fells in the port of Kyngeston on Hull and ports and places from thence to Grymesby and there on one side and on the other to Hornse, receiving the accustomed fees, provided that he execute the office in person, with the custody of one part of the coket seal. By bill of the treasurer.

Oct. 12. Westminster. The like to William Preston in the port of London and ports and places from thence on either side of the Thames to Graveshende and there and on the Essex side to Tillebury and there. By bill of the treasurer.

Oct. 3. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 28 (*rectius* 21) November, 8 Richard II, granting for life to Richard Gascoigne the office in the Exchequer called the office of marshal; and grant that he may occupy the same by deputy. By p.s.

Oct. 4. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's clerk William Pountfrett of the office of keeping the writs and rolls of the Common Bench, with the accustomed fees. By p.s.

Oct. 7. Westminster. Presentation of John Ambell to the parish church of Tryngge, in the diocese of Lincoln. By p.s.

Oct. 8. Westminster. John Welynton, prior of Lanthony Prima in Wales, staying in Wales, has letters nominating Adam Elmeley, his canon, and William Hamelyn his attorneys in Ireland for three years.

Oct. 5. Westminster. Mandate to all sheriffs, mayors and others to permit the men and tenants of the town of Wadnesberie, co. Stafford, which is of the ancient demesne of the crown, as appears by a certificate sent into Chancery of Richard II by the treasurer and chamberlains and in the files of the twenty-second year, to be quit of toll according to the approved custom.

Oct. 5. Westminster. Presentation of Nicholas Bury to the church of St. Magnus, London, in the diocese of London.

Oct. 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 12 June, 18 Richard II, granting for life to the king's knight John Seint Johan and Isabel his wife 100 marks yearly.
By p.s. and for 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent (*French*) of Thomas Moubray, earl of Nottingham, dated 10 October, 17 Richard II, granting to his esquire John Hustwayt of Athelyngflet a yearly rent of 10*l.* for life in time of peace from his manor of Epworth in the Isle of Haxholme, co. Lincoln; and grant to the said John of all arrears.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

1399. *MEMBRANE* 32.

Sept. 30. Westminster. Appointment, during good behaviour, of the king's clerk Thomas Stanley as keeper of the rolls of Chancery, with all things belonging to the office, receiving the accustomed fees. By K.

Commission, during pleasure, to John Norbury, esquire, of the office of treasurer of the Exchequer, with all things pertaining to the office. By K.

Appointment, during pleasure, of John Cassy as chief baron of the Exchequer, receiving the accustomed fee. By K.

The like of the king's clerk Laurence Allerthorpe as second baron.

The like of the king's clerk Thomas Feriby as third baron. By K.

The like of the king's clerk William Forde as one of the barons. By K.

The like of John Staverton. By K.

Sept. 30. Westminster. Grant, during good behaviour, to the king's clerk John Godmanston of the office of chamberlain of the Exchequer, with the fees pertaining to the office. By K.

Oct. 1. Westminster. Presentation of John Pike, parson of the church of Spaxton, in the diocese of Bath and Wells, to the vicarage of Holecombe Rogys, in the diocese of Exeter, on an exchange of benefices with Henry Portjoye.

Oct. 4. Westminster. Writ of aid for John Corp, whom the king's servant John Payn, the king's chief butler, has appointed as his deputy in all ports within the county of Devon during the king's pleasure. By bill of the butler.

The like for the following:—

Oct. 14. Westminster. William Debenham in the ports of Ipswich and Colcestre. By bill of the butler.

John Tunstall of Wynchelsee in the ports of Wynchelsee and Rye. By bill of the butler.

Richard Edward in the ports of Shorham, Hormouth, Seford, Langston and Southkyngeston. By bill of the butler.

Oct. 18. Westminster. Hugh atte Fen in the port of Jernemuth. By bill of the butler.

Oct. 24. Westminster. Richard Boydon in the ports of Bruggewe, Coumbwych and Dunster. By bill of the butler.

Oct. 18. Westminster. John Wynter in the ports of Sandwich and Dover. By bill of the butler.

Oct. 24. Westminster. John Beche in the port of Southampton. By bill of the butler.

Oct. 29. Westminster. Philip Batte of Melcombe in the ports of Weymuth and Melcombe. By bill etc.

Nov. 6. Westminster. John Dunken in the ports of Newcastle on Tyne and Whitby. By bill etc.

Nov. 5. Westminster. John Cok in the port of Boston. By bill etc.

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Nov. 6. Westminster. John Spicere in the port of Lenne. By bill etc.

Nov. 17. Westminster. John Stapulton in the port of Bristol. By bill etc.

1400.
Jan. 26. Westminster. John Stille in the port of Sandwich. By bill etc.

Feb. 5. Westminster. Thomas Saundres in the port of Bristol. By bill etc.

Thomas Burton in the port of Southampton. By bill etc.

May 5. Westminster. Philip Batte in the ports of Melcombe, Waymouth and Lyme. By bill etc.

1399.
Oct. 6. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire William Holt, son of Marjory late the wife of Walter Holt, of the manor of Aston, co. Warwick, of which she was seised and for greater security enfeoffed the king's father the duke of Lancaster and others. By p.s.

Appointment, during good behaviour, of William de Lodyngton as the king's attorney for the transaction of his business and pleas in the Common Bench and other places, receiving the accustomed fees. By p.s.

Oct. 1. Westminster. Whereas the king understands that on the death of John Hanley, 'chivaler,' tenant in chief, Robert his son and heir being a minor, his lands were taken into the hands of Richard II and the custody of them was granted to certain persons and afterwards the said Robert died during minority, Beatrice his sister and heir being a minor, and the said late king ordered her body to be taken into his hands but one William Rolleston took and married her without licence, the king grants to his esquire Edmund Bugg all that pertains to him by the forfeiture and contempt in this. By p.s.

Oct. 7. Westminster. Grant to the king's clerk John de Elnet of the prebend of Haydor with Walton in the cathedral church of Lincoln. By p.s.
Mandate in pursuance to H. bishop of Lincoln. By the same writ.
Mandate in pursuance to the dean and chapter. By the same writ.

Sept. 30. Westminster. Grant for life to Ralph de Neville, earl of Westmoreland, of the office of marshal of England, with the fees and all other things belonging thereto. By K.

Oct. 7. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Thomas Wynchecombe of letters patent dated 22 November, 22 Richard II, granting to him the manor and parsonage of Felstede, co. Essex. By p.s.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because the king granted the manor and parsonage to him on 16 *March.*

Oct. 7. Westminster. Grant for life to Thomas Bolour of Somerset of the custody of the park of Miere, co. Wilts, with such fees as others have had. By p.s.

Oct. 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Molton of letters patent dated 5 February, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life that he should be one of the king's serjeants at arms. By K.

Oct. 8. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Drayton of the office of serjeant of the king's pavilions and tents, with fees, robes and other commodities, as William Wyncelowe had. By p.s.

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Membrane 32—*cont.*

Oct. 8. Westminster. Presentation of William de Hide to the parish church of Romne, in the diocese of Canterbury. By p.s.

Oct. 8. Westminster. Presentation of Thomas More to the parish church of Patryngton, of the immediate jurisdiction of Master Robert Manfeld, provost of St. John, Beverley, and in the diocese of York. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 31.

Oct. 1. Westminster. Licence, for 6*s.* 8*d.* paid by him in the hanaper, for John Reymes, esquire, to grant in mortmain a moiety of an acre of land in Overstronde, not held in chief, to Robert, parson of the church of Overstronde, for rebuilding the parish church thereon and making a cemetery.

Oct. 6. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Richard Thorp of the custody of the water of Lamwath in Holdernesse, co. York, with the fishery of the water, with the profits pertaining to the custody to the value of 24 marks. By p.s.

Oct. 5. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Thomas Wodecroft of letters patent dated 5 March, 4 Richard II, granting to him for life a messuage and a virgate of land in Michelhoghton, co. Northampton, and letters patent dated 25 February, 11 Richard II, granting to him for life 3*d.* daily from the issues of the county of Devon. By p.s.

Oct. 6. Westminster. Grant, during good behaviour, to Richard de Dereham, bachelor in theology, of the wardenship of the king's college of scholars in the University of Cambridge, receiving the accustomed wages and 8 marks yearly for his robes from the issues of the county of Cambridge as other wardens of the college have had. By p.s.

Oct. 10. Westminster. Commission, during pleasure, to Peter Hatton of the office of controller of the king's receiver of Cornwall, receiving the accustomed fee, provided that he execute the office in person. By bill of the treasurer.

Oct. 9. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire John Lyverpole of the constableship of the king's castle of Wygelowe in Ireland, with the fees pertaining to it. By p.s.

Oct. 6. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of the following :—

1. Letters patent dated 20 August, 12 Richard II, granting the custody of the forest of Wanberge and Sappele to John Hemyngford for life with remainder to Roger Crophull for life.
2. Letters patent dated 24 December, 15 Richard II, granting for life to Roger Croppehull and Thomas de Brounflet an inn in London.
3. Letters patent dated 22 January, 16 Richard II, granting for life to Roger Crophull and Elizabeth his wife 20*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s. and for 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 14. Westminster. Presentation of Richard Aston, parson of the church of Little Wolston, in the diocese of Lincoln, to the church of Gahurst, in the same diocese, in the king's gift by reason of the custody of the land and heir of John Nowers, 'chivaler,' deceased, tenant in chief, being in his hands, on an exchange of benefices with John Blakfordeby.

Oct. 12. Westminster. Grant to the king's knight John Gryndor of the custody of all lands late of William Blount, deceased, of the value of 20 marks yearly, during the minority of his heir with the marriage of the heir without disparagement, finding a competent sustenance for the heir and supporting the houses, buildings and other charges. By p.s.

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Oct. 6. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Nicholas Ricoun of letters patent dated 8 June, 19 Richard II, granting to him for life the custody of the manor of Claryngdon, the office of launder of the park of Claryngdon and the custody of the deer and rabbits of the laund of Claryndon.
By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because the king granted the custodies and office to him on 29 *September,* 10 *Henry IV.*

Oct. 3. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 22 June, 20 Richard II, granting to Richard Armuer 10*l.* yearly.
By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 16. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Henry de Strangways of the office of clerk and keeper of the king's mills of Dee at Chester and the king's fishery there, with the fees belonging to the office as William Mareschall, late servant of the duke of Norfolk, had. By p.s.

Oct. 24. Westminster. Elizabeth, late the wife of Philip Darcy, knight, staying in England, has letters nominating John Frampton and John de Santon her attorneys in Ireland for one year.
John Asplion, clerk, received the attorneys by the licence of Thomas Stanley.

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Oct. 10. Westminster. Commission, during pleasure, to Thomas Strowston of the office of controller of the petty custom in the port of London and ports and places from thence on either side of the Thames to Gravesende and there and on the Essex side to Tillebury and there, receiving the accustomed fee, provided that he execute the office in person, with the custody of one part of the coket seal. By bill of the treasurer.

Oct. 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Robert de Santon of letters patent dated 24 April, 19 Richard II, granting to him for life 6*d.* daily at the Exchequer. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 5. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of the following:—
1. Letters patent dated 18 March, 17 Richard II, granting for life to William de Lysle, knight, 40*l.* yearly at the Exchequer.
2. Letters patent dated 14 February, 20 Richard II, granting for life to William Lysle the younger, knight, and Amice Fitz Elys 30*s.* yearly from the fee-farm of the town of Oxford.

and grant to them of arrears.
By p.s. and for 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.
Vacated so far as concerns the annuity of 40*l., because the king with the assent of the said William granted the same to John Cheyne for life on* 12 *November,* 11 *Henry IV.*

Oct. 14. Westminster. Presentation of John Wryght, parson of the church of Stretton Baskerville, in the diocese of Coventry and Lichfield, to the church of Ravenston, in the same diocese, in the king's gift by reason of the custody of the land and heir of John de Bello Monte, 'chivaler,' deceased, being in his hand, on an exchange of benefices with William Daynell.

Oct. — Westminster. Presentation of Simon Gaunstede, king's clerk, to the church of Leskyrd, in the diocese of Exeter.

Oct. 11. Westminster. Presentation of Robert Cowe to the parish church of Wyggeston, in the diocese of Lincoln. By p.s.

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Oct. 15. Westminster. Commission, during pleasure, to Andrew Ramesey of the office of tronage and pesage of wools in the port of London and ports and places from thence on either side of the Thames to Graveshende and there and on the Essex side to Tillebury and there, receiving the accustomed fee.
By bill of the treasurer.

Oct. 14. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Champ and Joan his wife of letters patent dated 5 October, 21 Richard II, granting to them and the heirs of John the reversion of the manor of Chirchespene, co. Berks, on the death of Henry Almayn. By p.s.

Oct. 15. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Robert Hethcot of the office of keeper of the king's mint within the Tower of London, with fees and other profits as Andrew Neuport had, and the custody of the coinages of gold and silver within the Tower and elsewhere within the realm, receiving 6*d.* daily as the said Andrew and Stephen Rummylowe had.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because the king granted the offices to him from that date on 6 *July*, 2 *Henry IV.*

Oct. 20. Westminster. Presentation of William Bacon, vicar of the church of Crych, in the diocese of Lichfield, to the church of Fowenhope, in the diocese of Hereford, on an exchange of benefices with John Ruley, vicar.

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Sept. 30. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's kinsman Henry de Percy, earl of Northumberland, of the office of constable of England, with fees and other things belonging to it. By K.

Oct. 1. Westminster. Presentation of Thomas Brese, chaplain, to the church of Chelmondeston, in the diocese of Norwich.

Oct. 6. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Roger Wygemore and William Asshe of letters patent dated 19 May, 22 Richard II, granting to them for life the office of the constableship of Kermerdyn and the king's prises of wines coming to the ports of Kermerdyn and Cardigan.
By p.s. and for 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 8. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire John Leventhorpe of the offices of constable of the castle of Odyham and parker of the king's park there, with fees and other profits as Simon Felbrigg, 'chivaler,' had, and the custody of the manor of Odyham, rendering to the king yearly at the Exchequer as much as the said Simon used to render for the farm of the manor. By p.s.
Vacated because elsewhere in this year.

Oct. 6. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 27 September, 23 Richard II, granting for life to Robert Sherwynd the office of measuring of woollen cloths within the city of London and the suburbs of the same. By p.s.

Oct. 10. Westminster. Commission, during pleasure, to John Bradbrigg the younger of the office of tronage and pesage of wools in the port of Cicestre and ports and places from Dover to Portesmuth, receiving the accustomed fee.

Oct. 3. Westminster. Presentation of Thomas More to the parish church of Patryngton, of the jurisdiction of Beverley and the diocese of York. The letters are directed to Master Robert Manfeld, provost of the church of St. John, Beverley. By p.s.
Vacated because otherwise in this year.

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Oct. 16. Westminster. Presentation of William Lorymer, parson of the parish church of Culne Roger, in the diocese of Worcester, to the vicarage of Wonwarstowe, in the diocese of Llandaff, on an exchange of benefices with Nicholas Barton.

Oct. 14. Westminster. Grant to the king's knight Robert Corbet of the custody of the king's castle of Berkhamstede, co. Hertford, with the custody of the park and warren pertaining to it, with the fees and profits belonging to the said offices, and 40 marks yearly for life from the issues of the honour and lordship of Berkhamstede. By p.s.

Oct. 5. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 20 August, 9 Richard II, granting for life to William de Grysley 6*d.* daily from the issues of the county of Nottingham.
By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Richard Mawardyn of letters patent dated 9 November, 6 Richard II, granting to him 10*l.* yearly for life, and letters patent dated 8 October, 15 Richard II, granting to him for life a tun of wine yearly in the port of Bristol.
By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 24 *April,* 6 *Henry IV, the king granted to him the manor of Tyleshide, co. Wilts, in recompense for the said annuity and another of* 20*l.*

Oct. 7. Westminster. Grant for life to William Galby of the offices of tronage and pesage of wools in the port of London with the binding of wool-fells, receiving the due fees and profits. By p.s.

Oct. 16. Westminster. Grant to William Frere, chaplain, of the custody of the free chapel of Cressenhale, co. Norfolk, in the king's gift by reason of the minority of Edward, brother and heir of Hugh de Hastyng. By p.s.

Oct. 16. Westminster. Grant to John Yerdeburgh, chaplain, of the seventh prebend which William Frere, chaplain, lately had in the king's new collegiate church of St. Mary, Leicester. By p.s.

Mandate in pursuance to H. bishop of Lincoln. By the same writ.

Mandate in pursuance to the dean and chapter. By the same writ.

MEMBRANE 28.

Oct. 6. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Thomas de Walton of letters patent dated 8 February, 10 Richard II, granting to him for life the office of parker of the park of Biflete, and letters patent dated 30 July, 12 Richard II, inspecting and confirming to him letters patent (*French*) of Thomas Tyle.
By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 3. Westminster. Grant for life to Thomas Bret of the remaining 8*l.* yearly beyond the 40*l.* yearly at the hands of the abbot and convent of St. Peter, Gloucester, granted to him for life by letters patent dated 10 April, 22 Richard II. (*See below.*) By p.s.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because the king on 30 *March,* 3 *Henry IV, granted to him for life* 8*l. yearly from the fee-farm of the hundred of Dudeston at the hands of the said abbot and convent.*

Oct. 2. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 20 June, 20 Richard II, granting for life to Thomas Brette a butt of 'Romeney' or 'Malvesey' yearly in the port of London.

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2. Letters patent dated 12 April, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life two tuns of wine of Gascony yearly in the port of Kyngeston on Hull.
3. Letters patent dated 10 April, 22 Richard II, granting to him for life 40*l.* yearly out of 48*l.* yearly which the abbot and convent of St. Peter, Gloucester, are bound to render to the king.
4. Letters patent dated 12 September, 19 Richard II, granting to him for life 100 marks yearly from a fee-farm of 118*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* which the heirs of Roger de Mortuo Mari, late earl of March, are bound to render at the Exchequer for the castle and cantred of Buel.

And grant to him of all arrears; and grant that he shall have the said 100 marks yearly from the said castle and cantred so long as they are in the king's hands by reason of the minority of the heirs of the earl of March. By p.s.

Sept. 30. Westminster. Grant during office to Walter Clopton, the king's chief justice, for the better maintenance of his estate and his expenses in office, of 180 marks yearly at the Exchequer and two robes yearly, one with skin at Christmas and the other with lining at Whitsuntide, beyond the accustomed fee. By K.

The following have like letters for the sums mentioned:—

William Thirnyng, chief justice of the Common Bench, 98*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.*

John Markham, one of the justices of the Common Bench,
William Brenchesle, one of the justices of the Common Bench,
Hugh Huls, one of the justices of the King's Bench,
John Hull, one of the justices of the King's Bench,
William Hankford, one of the justices of the Common Bench,
John Cassy, chief baron of the Exchequer,
} each 110 marks.

William Rikhill, one of the justices of the Common Bench, 110 marks.

Oct. 18. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's clerk Master Henry Bowet of the manor of Thistelworth to hold at farm, rendering to the king 100 marks yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

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Oct. 5. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Geoffrey Strynger of Newcastle under Lyme of 6*d.* daily from the issues of the county of Stafford. By p.s.

Oct. 5. Westminster. Grant, during good behaviour, to John de Pokelyngtone of the office of clerk of the statute merchant within the city of London. By p.s.

Oct. 7. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 18 March, 19 Richard II, granting for life to John Clerk 10*l.* yearly from the issues of the hanaper, and grant to him of all arrears. By p.s.

Oct. 8. Westminster. Presentation of Nicholas Burne, vicar of Yillyng, in the diocese of London, to the vicarage of Boneby, in the diocese of Lincoln, in the king's gift by reason of the alien priory of St. Fromond being in his hands on account of the war with France, on an exchange of benefices with William Wryght.

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Oct. 5. Westminster. Presentation of Richard Baly, parson of the church of Westle, in the diocese of London, to the vicarage of Bradwell, in the diocese of Lincoln, in the king's gift by reason of the alien priory of Tikford being in his hands on account of the war with France, on an exchange of benefices with John Jekkes.

Oct. 11. Westminster. John Tot of London, 'draper,' staying in England, has letters nominating Hugh Bauent and Richard de Wynyngton his attorneys in Ireland for one year. John de Hertilpole, clerk, received the attorneys.

Oct. 8. Westminster. Grant for life to John Dabriggecourt of the manor of Cottesmor, co. Rutland, late of John Busshy, 'chivaler,' deceased, of his own purchase of the value of 20*l.* yearly, to hold to that value, answering at the Exchequer for any surplus. By p.s.

Oct. 9. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Thomas Thorne of letters patent dated 7 February, 16 Richard II, granting to him for life the office of crier of the King's Bench, and letters patent dated 6 March, 10 Richard II, granting to him, during pleasure, the custody of the lesser piece of the seal for recognisances of debts in the city of Canterbury.
By p.s. for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 4. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 30 January, 1 Richard II, granting for life to William Pepir the custody of the park of Cornbury, and letters patent dated 2 July, 16 Richard II, granting to him for life 100*s.* yearly from the issues of the county of Cornwall.
By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.
Vacated and cancelled so far as concerns the custody, because with the assent of the said William the king granted it for life to William Wilcotes, esquire, on 3 *November,* 4 *Henry IV.*

Oct. 16. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Thomas Chaucer of the office of constable of the king's castle of Walyngford, with the accustomed fees and other profits. By p.s.

Sept. 30. Westminster. Grant, during good behaviour, to the king's esquire John Payn of the office of constable of the king's castle of Norwich, with all fees belonging to the office, as John Craye, deceased, had. By K.

Sept. 30. Westminster. Appointment, during good behaviour, of John Payn as the king's chief butler, receiving the accustomed fees. By K.

Oct. 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the men and burgesses of Bureford of letters patent dated 10 March, 2 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 3 July, 24 Edward III, inspecting and confirming two charters of Henry II. For 33*s.* 4*d.* paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 18. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight Hugh de Waterton of the custody of the king's castle of Shepeye *alias* Quenesburgh, co. Kent, with the fees and other profits pertaining to the said constableship by land and water.
By p.s.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because with the assent of the said Hugh the king granted the said constableship to John Cornewaill for life on 14 *October,* 4 *Henry IV.*

Oct. 17. Westminster. Grant for life, with the assent of the council, to the king's esquire John Blaket of 40*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 20 *May,* 2 *Henry IV, the king granted to him and Margaret his wife, late the wife of Roger Heron,* 40*l. yearly for life at the receipt of the Exchequer.*

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Oct. 21. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 6 October, 17 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent (*French*) of Anne, queen of England, dated 1 December, 15 Richard II, granting to her esquire Robert Bucton certain pasturage and wood in her lordship of Eye. By p.s. and for 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

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Oct. 14. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Richard Fourneys of letters patent dated 19 May, 19 Richard II, granting to him for life the custody of the king's stank of Fosse by the city of York with fees of 6*d.* daily from the issues of the county of York, and grant to him of all arrears. By p.s. and for 6*s.* 8*d.* paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 15. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight Peter de Bukton of the office of the chirography in the Common Bench, with the fees and profits pertaining to the office. By K.

Oct. 14. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 12 March, 18 Richard II, granting for life to Baldwin Bereford the manor of Fortyngton, co. Dorset, and the custody of the forest and park of Claryndon and the forests of Grovele, Melchet and Bukholt.
2. Letters patent dated 19 August, 9 Richard II, granting to him for life the manor of Watlyngton, co. Oxford.
3. Letters patent dated 30 July, 4 Richard II, granting to him for life the office of parker of the parks of Eltham with wages of 3*d.* daily.
4. Letters patent dated 18 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent of Thomas de Holand in favour of him.
5. Letters patent dated 22 November, 5 Richard II, granting to him certain branches, brushwood and bark.

And grant to him of all arrears from the Annunciation last past to Michaelmas. By p.s. and for 5 marks paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 18. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Nicholas Spenser and Marjory his wife of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 15 November, 15 Richard II, inspecting and confirming to them the following:—
   (1) A writing of Peter de Mouster, prior of Appeldercombe in the Isle of Wight, dated Thursday after St. Peter in Cathedra, 12 Richard II, granting to them for life certain lands in Arretum.
   (2) Another writing of the same dated 4 May, 13 Richard II, granting to them for life a toft and lands in Arreton.
2. Letters patent dated 8 October, 22 Richard II, inspecting and confirming to the said Nicholas an indenture of Thomas de Valle Osoull, prior of Caresbrok in the Isle of Wight, dated 24 April, 20 Richard II, granting to him for eight years the rectory of the church of Godeshull with its appurtenances.

For 50*s.* paid in the hanaper.

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Oct. 16. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John de Rouchestre of letters patent dated 12 May, 21 Richard II, being an exemplification of the tenour of

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letters patent dated 2 June, 18 Richard II, granting to him for life 100*s.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s. and for God because he is poor.

Oct. 20. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the burgesses of Cardigan of the following:—

1. A charter dated at Lambeth, 2 April, 14 Henry III, granting that they shall be quit of toll, passage and portage and all customs throughout the realm. [*Charter Roll*, 14 *Henry III, Part* 1, *m.* 10.]
2. Letters patent dated 23 September, 34 Henry III, confirming the provision made for the division of burgages and curtilages.
3. Letters patent dated 18 February, 9 Richard II, inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Cadewelly, 9 December, 18 Edward I. [*Charter Roll*, 18 *Edward I, No.* 147.]
4. A charter dated at Westminster, 6 December, 15 Richard II. [*Charter Roll*, 15-17 *Richard II, No.* 31.]
5. A charter dated at Windsor, 22 September, 19 Richard II. [*Charter Roll*, 18 *and* 19 *Richard II, No.* 10.]

For 10*l.* paid in the hanaper.

MEMBRANE 24.

Oct. 16. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Philip la Vache of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 25 April, 2 Richard II, granting to him for life the custody of the manor of Wodestok and the park there and the manor of Hanebergh, at a yearly rent of 127*l.* 16*s.* 6*d.*
2. Letters patent dated 16 June, 18 Richard II, granting to him for life 50*l.* yearly from the issues of the counties of Oxford, Bedford and Buckingham.
3. Letters patent dated 5 May, 19 Richard II, granting to him for life the custody of the park of Chilterne Langeley.
4. Letters patent of the same date granting to him for life the custody of the manor of Chilterne Langeley.
5. Letters patent of Thomas, archbishop of York, now archbishop of Canterbury, and Edward, earl of Rutland, (to whom the king had granted for life all lands late of Anne, late queen of England), dated at London, 18 November, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life with the king's assent the manor of Berkele with the hamlet of Horton and other appurtenances, except knights' fees, advowsons, wards, marriages, reliefs and escheats, rendering to them 50 marks yearly and supporting all charges, as did John Golofre, 'chivaler,' deceased, during the life of the queen.
6. Letters patent of the same of the same date granting to him for life the custody of the park and lodge of Berkle, co. Oxford, with the accustomed fees, as John Golofre had.

And grant to him of the premises for life and all arrears for the terms of Easter and Michaelmas last.

By p.s. and for 8 marks paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 20. Westminster. Grant for life to Agnes Pikworth of the profits and commodities from the shambles within the town of Bristol to the value of 20 marks yearly, provided that she answer for any surplus. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 29 *December the king granted the shambles to her for life.*

Oct. 24. Westminster. Appointment, during pleasure, from Michaelmas last, of Thomas Derby as steward and receiver of all moneys of the lordships, manors and castles

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of Bretteby, Coton, Rostlaston and Lynton, Assheborne and Repyndon, co. Derby, Caloudon, Frekeno, Thurlaston, Alspace and Aspele, co. Warwick, Melton Moubray, Dalby Chacombe, Cold Overton, Sylby with its members, Segrave with its members, Mounsorell, Wytherley, Thorpe Sechevyll and Twyford, co. Leicester, Stoddusdon with its members, co. Salop, and Pydell, co. Worcester, late of Thomas, late duke of Norfolk, and in the king's hands by his exile.

By bill of the treasurer.

Oct. 22. Westminster. Presentation of William Farnham to the church of St. Cuthbert, York, in the diocese of York.

Oct. 6. Westminster. Whereas Richard II, for 100 marks to be paid to him at the receipt of the Exchequer, with the assent of his council granted to John Cope the reversion of the site of the manor of Deneshangre, 132 acres of land, 18 acres of meadow, 6 acres of wood and a yearly rent of 4*s.* 5½*d.* and a 'brodhokyd arowe' with the reversion of a cottage and an acre and a half of land, held by a rent of 3*s.* yearly, and a cottage and an acre and a half of land, likewise held by a rent of 3*s.* yearly, in Wykedyve, Wykehamound, Passenham, Stonystretford, Pokesley, Wytefeld, Densehangre and Heghmouncotes, co. Northampton, as appears by inspection of the rolls of Chancery, and the said John has paid 40 marks, as appears by certain tallies in the Exchequer, the king pardons to him the remaining 40*l.*

By K.

Oct. 24. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent (*French*) of William de Monte Acuto, late earl of Salisbury, dated at London, 12 March, 51 Edward III, granting for life to Nicholas de Wychyngham the keeping of his park of Kenynghale, co. Norfolk.

By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

MEMBRANE 23.

Oct. 20. Westminster. Writ of aid, until Whitsuntide, for the king's yeoman John Caylok, whom the king has appointed to buy fat beasts and all other things pertaining to the office of buyer of the household and carriage for the same in accordance with the statute at Westminster, 36 Edward III. *French.*

The like for the following, appointed to buy various victuals and things :—

John Dunnesmore.
Nicholas Bokenesfeld.

Oct. 27. Westminster. John Gys and Hamond Wyseman.
By bill of the steward and treasurer of the household.

Robert Huet. By bill of the treasurer of the household.
John Flecchere. By bill etc.
William Rye. By bill etc.

Dec. 30. Westminster. William Buxston. By bill etc.
Ralph atte Welle. By bill etc.

Nov. 5. Westminster. Hamond Wyseman By bill of the treasurer.
John Walsh. By bill etc.
Adam atte Wells. By bill etc.

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Nov. 6. Westminster.	Arnald Hulkere.	By bill etc.
	John Mordok.	By bill etc.
	William Harpeden.	By bill etc.
	John Thorne.	
	John Brigford.	By bill etc.
	William Salcok.	By bill etc.
	John Wynkborne.	By bill etc.
Nov. 8. Westminster.	Thomas Norffolk.	By bill etc.
	John Tannere.	By bill etc.
	John Herfeld.	By bill etc.
	Robert Bolton.	By bill etc.
Nov. 9. Westminster.	William Burton.	By bill etc.
Nov. 10. Westminster.	Phelipot Herbergeour.	By bill etc.
	Robert Harbotell.	By bill etc.
	Richard Cliderowe.	By bill etc.
	Ralph Passenham.	By bill etc.
Nov. 8. Westminster.	Robert Broun.	By bill etc.
Nov. 10. Westminster.	Hugh Norburgh.	By bill etc.
Nov. 11. Westminster.	Peryn Derwyn.	By bill etc.
Nov. 12. Westminster.	John Foughler.	By bill etc.
	Geoffrey Stapulton.	By bill etc.
	Thomas Walsyngham.	By bill etc.
	Hankyn Michell.	By bill etc.
	John Baker.	By bill etc.
	Simon Swan.	By bill etc.
	Thomas Prophete.	By bill etc.
	Robert Inwode.	By bill etc.
Nov. 13. Westminster.	William Monkton.	By bill etc.
Nov. 16. Westminster.	Thomas Lathe.	By bill etc.
Nov. 12. Westminster.	John Brokherst.	By bill etc.
Nov. 16. Westminster.	Thomas Denton.	By bill etc.
Dec. 8. Westminster.	John Ogan, until Midsummer.	By bill etc.
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Jan. 22. Westminster.	Robert Broun, until St. Peter ad Vincula.	
Jan. 23. Westminster.	William Clare.	By bill etc.
Feb. 12. Westminster.	Henry Stokes.	By bill etc.
Feb. 17. Westminster.	Edward Bristowe, until St. Bartholomew.	By bill etc.
	John Gees.	By bill etc.

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Feb. 21. Westminster. John Cawode of York, until Michaelmas. By bill of the steward etc.

Feb. 26. Westminster. David Audenere, until Easter. By bill etc.

March 30. Westminster. Richard Crescy, esquire, until Michaelmas. By bill etc.

April 18. Westminster. John Howes of Hikellyng, co. Nottingham. By bill of the steward of the household.

Henry Clerk of Wyloughby, co. Nottingham. By bill of the steward of the household.

May 12. Westminster. John Grene, until Martinmas. By bill etc.

May 26. Westminster. Stephen Hert. By bill of the treasurer of the household.

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June 18. Westminster. Oliver Marion, until Christmas. By bill of the steward of the household.

John Gils. By bill etc.

June 17. Westminster. Robert atte Were, for half a year. By bill of the treasurer of the household.

June 21. Westminster. Thomas Passelowe, until Christmas. By bill of the treasurer of the household.

William Fissh. By bill etc.

Thomas Wygston. By bill etc.

Nicholas Stafford. By bill etc.

June 24. Westminster. Richard Cressy, serjeant of the hall. By bill etc.

July 8. Westminster. Henry Stokes. By bill etc.

July 8. Westminster. Nicholas Bekenesfeld. By C.

July 7. Westminster. John Caylok. By C.

July 8. Westminster. John Askham, until the Purification. By C.

William Clare, until Christmas. By bill etc.

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MEMBRANE 21.

Oct. 18. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the provost and scholars of Queen's Hall, Oxford, of letters patent dated 15 November, 2 Richard II, inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Westminster, 18 November, 21 Edward III. [*Charter Roll*, 21 *Edward III*, *No.* 5.] For 50*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 14. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 12 June, 14 Richard II, granting for life to Matthew Swetenham 20*l.* yearly.
2. Letters patent dated 29 August, 16 Richard II, granting to him for life the avowries of the county of Chester.

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3. Letters patent dated 4 November, 16 Richard II, granting to him for life a tenement in Martelane, London.
By p.s. and for 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 3 *October,* 2 *Henry IV, by letters patent the king granted to him* 30*l. yearly for life from the issues of the county of Northampton, and on* 2 *January,* 2 *Henry IV, by other letters patent granted to him and his heirs and assigns the said tenement in Martlane and a messuage and a shop in Northampton.*

Oct. 21. Westminster. Grant to Thomas, John and Henry, the sons, and Mary and Philippa, the daughters of Henry Grene, 'chivaler,' deceased, who have informed the king of their mediocre estate and the great debt of their father, of all goods, chattels and debts late of their father which the king has not granted to anyone else before 26 August last with the rent of all lands late of their father for the Michaelmas term following of which the king has not made grant before the said 26 August, with arrears for the last year, with the exception of certain silver vessels which by the king's command were delivered to his clerk Simon Bache, receiver of the honour of Leicester. By p.s.

Oct. 25. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of a writing of Arnulph, the abbot, and the convent of St. Mary, Longvillers, of the Cistercian order, in the diocese of Terouanne, dated Ascension Day, 1367, granting to Roger de Hangton, perpetual vicar of Long Benyngton, and Stephen Philippi, for a certain sum of money paid by them to the abbot and convent by the hands of Michael Roger, monk of their mother house and monastery of Savigny, 100*s.* yearly which the abbot and convent have of the grant of Matthew, sometime count of Boulogne, confirmed by many other counts and countesses of Boulogne and the king of England and the archbishop of Canterbury, as appears in a transcript of their privileges under the seal of the governors of Calais and the mayoralty of the town, to be received from the prior and convent of Newstead on Ancolm, in the diocese of Lincoln, of the order of Sempryngham, during the life of the said Michael by the said Roger or Stephen or the bearer of these presents, with provisions for security of payment. Witnesses:—John Normane, Adam de Elsden, Ralph Rogeri, merchants in Calais, John Breton and William La Grive and others. By fine of 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

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Oct. 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of the following:—
1. Letters patent dated 7 October, 11 Edward III, establishing a college in the University of Cambridge, to be called the hall of the king's scholars, appointing Master Thomas Powys warden, and granting to the warden and scholars the advowson of the church of St. Peter, Norhampton.
2. Letters patent dated 12 March, 12 Edward III, granting to them in recompense of the said advowson the reversion of the advowson of the church of Fakenhamdam.
3. Letters patent dated 15 February, 4 Richard II, granting to them 20*l.* yearly from the farm of the town of Scardeburgh instead of another farm and also other sums as granted by other letters patent, surrendered. By p.s.

Oct. 18. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the burgesses of Herewych of letters patent dated 20 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters

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patent dated 12 August, 16 Edward III, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 19 July, 13 Edward II, granting that the town shall be a free borough. For 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 24. Westminster. Presentation of Master Adam Usk, parson of the church of Westhanyngfeld, in the diocese of London, to the church of Neweton, in the deanery of Nether Wens, in the diocese of Llandaff, on an exchange of benefices with John Kyrkton.

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Oct. 16. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Ragona *alias* Radegundis Bechet, lady of Mortymer, of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 8 April, 1 Richard II, granting 200*l.* yearly for life to Degary Seys, knight, and 200 marks yearly for life to the said Ragona, then his wife, if she survive him.
2. Letters patent dated 7 June, 6 Richard II, granting to her for life the king's custom of wines called 'le ysshac' in the town of Bordeaux.
3. Letters patent dated 26 March, 7 Richard II, granting to her for life the fourth part of the market of the city of Bordeaux and the remaining three parts after Michaelmas.
4. Letters patent dated 14 March, 14 Richard II, granting to her for life the manor of Frodesham, co. Chester.

By p.s. and for 6 marks paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 20. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the prior and convent of Torkeseye of letters patent dated 20 November, 7 Richard II, inspecting and confirming a charter dated at York, 3 December, 12 Edward II [*Charter Roll*, 12 *Edward II*, *No.* 37], inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Shireburn, 30 September, 21 Henry III. [*Monasticon*. VI. 426.] For 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 19. Westminster. Grant to the king's brother Ralph de Nevylle, earl of Westmoreland, of the custody of all castles, fortalices, manors and lands late of William, lord of Dacre, deceased, tenant in chief, during the minority of Thomas his son and heir with franchises, rents, services, knights' fees, advowsons of churches exceeding the tax of 20 marks and reversions, and so from heir to heir, finding a competent sustenance for the heir and supporting the houses, buildings, woods, enclosures, gardens and other charges. By p.s.

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Oct. 16. Westminster. Grant for life to Baldwin Berford, 'chivaler,' of 20*l.* yearly from the manor of Beckelee, co. Oxford, because the king has granted to his uncle the duke of York the custody of 'mewes,' worth 20*l.* yearly, which the said Baldwin had before of the grant of Richard II. By p.s.

Oct. 18. Westminster. Exemplification of the tenour of the enrolment of letters patent dated 28 February, 17 Richard II, granting for life to Geoffrey Chaucer 20*l.* yearly at the Exchequer, and letters patent dated 13 October, 22 Richard II, granting to him for life a tun of wine yearly in the port of London. These letters have been accidentally lost, as he has taken oath in Chancery. [*Fœdera.*]

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Oct. 20. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the abbot and convent of Whalleye of letters patent dated 28 September, 8 Edward III, inspecting and confirming a charter [dated at Westminster, 12 August, 23] Edward I [*Charter Roll*, 28 *Edward I*, *No.* 11], inspecting [and confirming] the following:—

1. A charter of Henry de Lacy, earl of Lincoln, dated at Pontefract, the Circumcision, 12 Edward I. [*Monasticon*, V. 644.]
2. Another charter of the same dated at Rothelan, 3 Kal. March, 23 Edward I.

and confirming a grant by John, constable of Chester, and granting that they shall have certain chapels annexed to their church.

For 30*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 20. Westminster. Presentation of Nicholas Gwyn, monk of the order of St. Benedict, to the alien priory of Andevere, co. Southampton, in the diocese of Winchester, void by the death of Denis Cano, last prior, and in the king's hands by reason of the war with France. By p.s.

Oct. 22. Westminster. Presentation of William Ardern to the church of Alfyngton, in the diocese of Exeter.

Oct. 14. Westminster. Grant for life to Thomas Colvill, 'chivaler,' of a moiety of the manor and castle of Bollesore with fees, advowsons of churches exceeding the tax of 20 marks, profits and commodities and rights as Simon Warde, esquire, had when he lived of the grant of Richard II. By p.s.

Oct. 20. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Payn of letters patent dated 14 September, 23 Richard II, granting to him the office of constable of the castle of Norwich during good behaviour, and letters patent dated 23 August, 23 Richard II, granting to him the custody of the lands late of Robert de Heryngton in the county of Leicester during the minority of Robert his son and heir.

By K. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

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Oct. 20. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the burgesses of Torkeseye of letters patent dated 20 November, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 10 May, 19 Edward III, inspecting and confirming a charter of Henry II dated at Woodstock.

For 46*s.* 8*d.* paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 13. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the under-mentioned Theodoric of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 22 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent of the said king when prince, inspecting and confirming letters patent of his father Edward, prince of Wales, granting for life to his esquire Stynaux Tydryk 10*l.* yearly in the exchequer of Carnarvon.
2. Letters patent dated 29 October, 16 Richard II, granting for life to Theodoric Stynaux 10*l.* yearly from the issues of the county of Wilts and 11*l.* yearly from the fee-farm of the manor of Cesterton [co. Cambridge]. For 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 10. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 14 February, 20 Richard II, granting for life to John Cornewaill, knight, 100 marks yearly from the king's coinage of Cornwall, and letters patent dated 18 July,

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21 Richard II, granting to him for life 60*l.* yearly at the Exchequer, and grant to him of all arrears for Michaelmas term last.
By p.s. and for 5 marks paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 21. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire William Howton of the custody of the castle of Carlagh in Ireland with the fees, profits and commodities pertaining to it as Thomas Herbrigge, esquire, had. By p.s.

Oct. 18. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Kyng, chaplain, of letters patent dated 10 February, 19 Richard II, granting to him for life a messuage, four shops and 58*s.* rent in London.
By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 20. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's brother Ralph de Neville, earl of Westmoreland, for his labours and expenses for the good of the realm and his good service to the king, of the castle, earldom, honour and lordship of Richemond with all castles, honours, lands, rents, hundreds, wapentakes, courts, leets, fairs, markets, free customs, liberties, franchises, knights' fees, advowsons, hamlets, members, meadows, feedings, pastures, fisheries, mills, stews, chaces, parks, woods, warrens, wards, marriages, reliefs, escheats, services of tenants, returns of writs and executions of the same, stewardships, constableships, offices and other possessions and appurtenances as John, duke of Brittany, or any of his ancestors had; provided that if the same or any parcel of the same within the county of York within the term which the said earl has in the same of the demise of Thomas Arundell, archbishop of Canterbury, late archbishop of York, Edward, earl of Rutland, and John, late bishop of Salisbury, deceased, and the release and surrender of the estate which Henry Fitz Hugh, 'chivaler,' had in the same of the demise of Anne, late queen of England, and the confirmation of Richard II shall be recovered against him by the said duke or his heirs or Joan late the wife of Ralph de Basset of Drayton, 'chivaler,' Antony de Rysse and Nicholas Aldrewyche or their heirs or restored to them by the king or his heirs then that which remains of the said term shall be saved to the said earl and his heirs and executors.
By K. and afterwards on the information of the constable of England.

Oct. 24. Westminster. Presentation of John de Wissyngsete, king's clerk, to the church of Bokyngton, in the diocese of Exeter.

Oct. 28. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 12 July, 22 Richard II, granting for life to John Chytterne 20*l.* yearly from the issues of the hanaper, and grant to him of all arrears. By K.

Oct. 28. Westminster *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Peter Van Bussh of Ghent of letters patent dated 24 December, 9 Richard II, granting to him for life 50 marks yearly from the custom and subsidy of wools, hides and wool-fells in the port of London. By p.s. and for 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

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Oct. 20. Westminster. Ratification of the estate which the king's clerk William de Roudon has as parson of the church of Stoke Breuwere, in the diocese of Lincoln.

Oct. 22. Westminster. The like for the following:—
John Lincoln, canon and prebendary of Aylesbury in the cathedral church of Lincoln, Barton in the cathedral church of Wells, the

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prebend called *Major* or *Principalis pars Altaris* in the cathedral church of Salisbury and Llandewyaberarth in the cathedral church of St. Davids, provost or dean in the collegiate church or free chapel of Kayrkyby, in the diocese of Bangor, and parson of the parish church of Haddele, in the diocese of Norwich. By p.s.

Oct. 25. Westminster. Robert Lyncolne, king's clerk, master of the hospital of St. Mary of Bethleem without Bisshopgate, London. By p.s.

John Boor, prebendary of Chermynstre and Bere in the cathedral church of Salisbury, Massham in the metropolitan church of York, Fontemell in the conventual church of Shaftesbury, in the diocese of Salisbury, and Middelton in the conventual church of Wherewell, in the diocese of Winchester. By p.s.

Oct. 25. Westminster. Thomas Marton, parson of the parish church of Trenge, in the diocese of Lincoln. By p.s.

Thomas Butiller, archdeacon of Norhampton and prebendary of Cropry in the cathedral church of Lincoln and Bedmynstre in the cathedral church of Salisbury. By p.s.

William Morewyk, parson of the church of Lokyngton, in the diocese of York. By p.s.

Oct. 18. Westminster. Thomas Shelford, parson of the church of Wippyngham, in the diocese of Winchester. By K.

Oct. 27. Westminster. John Midilton, physician, prebendary of the prebend of the altar of St. Stephen in the collegiate church of Beverley and the cursal prebend in the cathedral church of St. Davids. By p.s.

Oct. 28. Westminster. John Neuwerk, warden of the hospital of St. Mary, Rouncyvall, by Charryngcrouch. By p.s.

William de Rodyngton, parson of the church of St. Peter, Nottingham, and warden of the king's free chapel within the castle of the same town. By K.

Oct. 16. Westminster. Thomas de Wilford, parson of the church of Whitchyrche and the chapel of Merebury annexed, in the diocese of Lichfield. By K.

Oct. 28. Westminster. John Carp, parson of the church of Mayvot with the chapels annexed, and prebendary of Llunthy in the cathedral church of St. Asaph. By p.s.

Oct. 30. Westminster. Thomas Orwell, archdeacon in the cathedral church of Llandaff. By p.s.

Robert Boleyne, precentor in the cathedral church of Llandaff. By p.s.

Oct. 27. Westminster. John Chaundeler, treasurer in the cathedral church of St. Mary, Salisbury, prebendary of the prebend of Calne in the said church annexed to the treasurership, parson of the church of St. Nicholas by Gildeford, in the diocese of Winchester, and prebendary of Lekford in the conventual church of St. Mary, Winchester, and Trefflegh in the collegiate church of Llandewybrevy, in the diocese of St. Davids. By p.s.

Oct. 29. Westminster. William Bulcote, prebendary of Castre in the cathedral church of Lincoln and parson of the parish church of Clifton, in the diocese of Coventry and Lichfield. By p.s.

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Oct. 25. Westminster. Thomas Montagu, dean of the cathedral church of Salisbury and parson of the parish church of Stokenham. By p.s.

Nov. 2. Westminster. Thomas Hilton, prebendary of Carleton cum Thurleby in the cathedral church of Lincoln and Copynhale in the collegiate church of Pencrych, in the diocese of Coventry and Lichfield. By p.s.

William Neuport, archdeacon of Salop. By the same writ.

Oct. 28. Westminster. Ralph Heynes, parson of the church of Tendryng, in the diocese of London.

Oct. 31. Westminster. John Campeden, archdeacon of Surrey, parson of the church of Farnham, prebendary of Dunham in the collegiate church of Suthwell and warden or master of the house or hospital of St. Cross by Winchester. By p.s.

Nov. 2. Westminster. Thomas Guldesfeld, chaplain, prebendary of Coblynton in the cathedral church of Hereford. By p.s.

Robert de Whitteby, parson of the church of Bassyngburn, in the diocese of Ely, and prebendary of Keton in the cathedral church of Lincoln. By p.s.

Nov. 3. Westminster. Richard ap Jevan Lloit, vicar of Wrixham, in the diocese of St. Asaph.

Nov. 3. Westminster. Matthew ap Philip, parson of the church of Llandervell, in the diocese of St. Asaph.

John Breche, parson of the church of Ewelle, in the diocese of Winchester, and prebendary in the king's free chapel of St. Stephen within his palace of Westminster. By p.s.

Oct. 31. Westminster. Henry Harburgh, parson of the church of Est Lovent, in the diocese of Chichester, prebendary of Aulton Prima in the cathedral church of Salisbury and Codeworth in the cathedral church of Wells, and warden of the hospital of St. John Baptist, Dorchestre. By p.s.

Oct. 20. Westminster. John de Roderham, parson of the church of Estpirye *alias* Potterspirye, in the diocese of Lincoln.

Nov. 4. Westminster. Thomas Wisbeche, parson of the parish church of Hertfeld, in the diocese of Chichester, and prebendary of Willesdon in the cathedral church of St. Paul, London. By p.s.

Nov. 3. Westminster. John Alwent, parson of the parish church of Brigham. By p.s.

Nov. 4. Westminster. James de Langeton, parson of the parish church of Wygan, in the diocese of Coventry and Lichfield. By p.s.

Oct. 28. Westminster. William de Asthill, king's clerk, prebendary of the prebend which Henry Maupas lately had in the collegiate church of St. Cross, Crediton, in the diocese of Exeter. By K.

Nov. 4. Westminster. Walter Bulloc, parson of the parish church of Addryngton, in the diocese of Exeter, and prebendary of Langdon, in the diocese of Coventry and Lichfield. By p.s.

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Oct. 30. Westminster. Walter Cook, archdeacon in the cathedral church of Exeter, treasurer in the cathedral church of St. Paul, London, and prebendary of Holborn in the same, Milton in the cathedral church of Lincoln and Warthill in the cathedral church of York. By p.s.

Oct. 30. Westminster. John de Rephaṁ, archdeacon of Northumberland and master or warden of St. Mary Magdalen without the walls of Newcastle on Tyne. By p.s.

Nov. 8. Westminster. Thomas Derfeld, parson of the church of Lemyngton Hastang, in the diocese of Lichfield. By p.s.

Nov. 7. Westminster. Nicholas Danyel, chancellor of Wells, in the diocese of Bath, and prebendary of Horton in the cathedral church of Salisbury, in the diocese of Worcester. By p.s.

Oct. 29. Westminster. Ralph Repynton, parson of the parish church of Castre, in the diocese of Lincoln, prebendary of Weford in the cathedral church of Lichfield, dean of St. Chad, Shrewsbury, warden of the free chapel of St. Michael within the castle of Shrewsbury and prebendary of Wynlesford and Wodeford in the cathedral church of Salisbury. By p.s.

Nov. 5. Westminster. Thomas Haxey, parson of the church of Bryngton, in the diocese of Lincoln, and prebendary of Ternyn in the cathedral church of Lichfield, Bemynstre Secunda in the cathedral church of Salisbury and Melton Roos with Scamelsby in the cathedral church of Lincoln. By p.s.

The same, parson of the church of Laxton, in the diocese of York, prebendary of Rampton in the collegiate church of Suthwell and warden or master of the chapel or hospital of Laysyngby, in the diocese of Durham. By p.s.

Nov. 4. Westminster. John Multon, parson of the church of Hope Say, in the diocese of Hereford.

Oct. 19. Westminster. Grant to the king's kinsman Henry de Percy, earl of Northumberland, and his heirs, for his good service in the reformation of divers errors in the realm, of the island, castle, peel and lordship of Man and all islands and lordships belonging to the island, late of William Lescrop, 'chivaler,' and in the king's hands by his forfeiture, to hold with royal rights, royalties, franchises, liberties, sea-ports and all things pertaining to a port, homages, fealties, wards, marriages, reliefs, escheats, forfeitures, waifs, strays, courts baron, views of frank-pledge, leets, hundreds, wapentakes, wreck of sea, mines of lead and iron, fairs, markets, free customs, meadows, pastures, woods, parks, chaces, launds, warrens, assarts, purprestures, cheminages, fisheries, mills, moors, marshes, turbaries, waters, stanks, stews, ways, passages, commons and other profits and commodities, the patronage of the bishopric of the island and knights' fees and advowsons by the service of carrying at the left shoulder of the king or his heirs on the days of coronation the sword called 'Lancastresword,' with which the king was girt when he put into the parts of Holdernesse, and grant to him of all goods late of the said William within the island. By K.

Vacated because elsewhere in this year.

Oct. 25. Westminster Presentation of Thomas Welyn, parson of the church of St. Clement, Wythiell, in the diocese of Exeter, to the church of Stoke in Clemeslond, in the same diocese, on an exchange of benefices with Nicholas Stoke.

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1400.
April 24. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's kinsman Henry de Percy, son of the earl of Northumberland, of the constableships of the castles of Chestre, Flynt, Connewey and Carnarvan with the office of sheriff of Flyntshire in North Wales, receiving by reason of the constableship of Conneweye a fee of 40*l.* yearly from the fee-farm of the town of Conneweye and for the other constableships and offices the fees and profits pertaining thereto. By p.s.

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Oct. 28. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Nicholas de Wenlyng, one of the yeomen of the king's chamber, of the custody of the lions within the Tower of London, with the fees and profits pertaining to the custody. By p.s.

Oct. 28. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servants William Mirreson of Lancastre and John Mirreson his brother of the office of collector of customs and cokets in all ports in Ireland with the office of searcher within the said land and ports, with the accustomed fees. By p.s.

Oct. 30. Westminster. Grant for life to Cecily the wife of William Hamsterley of the county of Nottingham, in consideration of her poverty and for the sustenance of herself and her boys, of the lands late of her said husband and now in the king's hands. By p.s.

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Sept. 30. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's kinsman Henry de Percy, earl of Northumberland, for his good service in the reformation of divers errors in the realm, of the office of constable of England with the fees and profits pertaining to it. [*Fœdera.*] By K

The like to the king's kinsman (*affinis*) Ralph de Neville, earl of Westmoreland, of the office of marshal of England. [*Fœdera.*] By K.

Oct. 10. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent (*French*) of Edward of York, duke of Albemarle, earl of Rutland and Cork, constable of England, dated at London, 1 October, 22 Richard II, signed with his signet in the absence of his seal, granting to John Kyppynge the office of parker of the park of Blakedoun, co. Dorset, during the minority of the son and heir of Roger Mortymer, earl of March, with the accustomed fees. By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 15. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of the following:—

1. An indenture (*French*) between Thomas, earl Marshal and Nottingham, lord of Moubray and Segrave, and Sir Thomas de Clynton, knight, dated at London, 6 February, 12 Richard II, witnessing that the former has granted to the latter a yearly rent of 20*l.* for life from his manor of Caludon and retained him with two yeomen in his household with *bouche a court.*
2. Letters (*French*) of the said duke dated at London, 24 February, 17 Richard II, granting for life to the said Thomas and Alice his wife a yearly rent of 20 marks after the death of his grandmother the countess of Norfolk from his manor of Chacombe, co. Northampton. By p.s. and for 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 21. Westminster. Restitution to Thomas, archbishop of Canterbury, of all the temporalities of his archbishopric, which were taken into the hands of the late king by colour of a judgement against him in Parliament, 21 Richard II, and annulment of the said judgement. [*Fœdera.*] By K.
Mandate in pursuance to the escheator in the county of Kent.

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The like to the escheators in the following counties :—
Surrey and Sussex.
Essex and Hertford.
Suffolk.
Middlesex.
York.

The like to Drugo Barentyn, mayor of London, escheator in that city.

Writ *de intendendo* in pursuance to the tenants.

Oct. 23. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 8 January, 22 Richard II, granting for life to William Flete 10*l.* yearly from the issues of the county of Cambridge, and grant to him of all arrears. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 30 October the king granted to him 10l. yearly for life from the issues of the county of Lincoln.

Oct. 24. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of the following :—

1. Letters patent dated 23 April, 17 Richard II, inspecting and confirming to John Morvile letters patent (*French*) of Anne, queen of England, dated 2 August, 15 Richard II.
2. Letters patent dated 8 November, 18 Richard II, granting to him for life 100*s.* yearly at the Exchequer.
3. Letters patent dated 21 April, 22 Richard II, granting to him for life 10 marks yearly from the issues of the town of Bridport, co. Dorset. By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 25. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 20 August, 9 Richard II, granting for life to Adam Hoton 6*d.* daily from the issues of the county of Wilts. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

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Oct. 19. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of the following :—

1. Letters patent dated 7 October, 6 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent (*French*) of John, duke of Brittany, dated 6 August, 2 Richard II, to Richard Fodrynghay and Joan Bazewalen his wife.
2. Letters patent dated 15 August, 18 Richard II, confirming a grant of the said duke to the said Richard and Joan of 40 marks yearly for life from the issues of the lordship of Sevenhampton.

By p.s. and for 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 18. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Robert Ursewyk of letters patent dated 18 June, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 27 March, 45 Edward III, granting to him for life 20*l.* yearly at the Exchequer, and grant to him of all arrears.

By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 22. Westminster. Mandate to all sheriffs, mayors, bailiffs and others within the realm to deliver to the king's knight John Littelbury or his servants or assigns all his goods and chattels which have been wrongfully seized. By p.s.

Oct. 24. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Harleston of letters patent dated 27 February, 16 Richard II, granting to him for life 100 marks yearly from the issues of the county of Kent, and grant to him of all arrears.

By p.s.

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Oct. 24. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Henry de Percy the son of letters patent dated 21 January, 14 Richard II, granting to him for life 100*l.* yearly at the Exchequer, and letters patent dated 23 January, 22 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent (*French*) of Roger de Mortemer, earl of March, dated 22 April, 18 Richard II. By p.s.

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Oct. 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Fekenham of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 27 January, 18 Richard II, granting to him for life 10*l.* yearly at the Exchequer.
2. Letters patent dated 31 January, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life the manor and the custody of the park of Worldham, co. Southampton.
3. Letters patent dated 13 January, 22 Richard II, granting to him for life 40 marks yearly from the farm of the county of Rutland.

By p.s. and for 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 24. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 11 March, 16 Richard II, granting for life to Thomas Lyouns a tun of wine yearly in the port of Bristol. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 27. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Gerard Heron of letters patent dated 4 March, 16 Richard II, granting to him for life 40 marks yearly from the issues of the county of Northumberland.

By p.s. and by fine of 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 18. Westminster. Grant to the king's clerk Master Henry Bowet of the custody of all goods, chattels, lands, possessions, corrodies and other offices late of William Serle which are not granted by the king for distribution among his people who were with the king if they shall be adjudged to the king.

By p.s.

Oct. 25. Westminster. Grant, by the advice of the council, to the executors and attorneys of Margaret, late duchess of Norfolk, of full power to levy all moneys from her rents, farms and other commodities on the day of her death for the remuneration of her poor servants who have served her long without reward. By p.s.

Oct. 25. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 26 January, 14 Richard II, granting for life to Richard Walweyn 10*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 27. Westminster. Mandate to all admirals and others, on the supplication of John de Waghen of Beverley that, whereas he sued before Albert, count Palatine, duke of Bavaria and count of Holand and Seland, for payment of 852½ nobles 22*d.* of English money due to him from Pelegrin Florenson, merchant and burgess of Leyd[en] in Holand, and Diedrich Jacobson of Delf in Holand and Richard II by letters patent wrote to the duke asking for justice but he has had no remedy, the king should grant him letters of marque against the duke and his subjects, to seize all ships of the parts of Seland and Holand in any ports and places within the realm with the masters, mariners, goods and merchandise in them and to certify thereon to the king in Chancery. [*Fœdera.*]

By K. on the information of the constable of England.

Oct. 23. Westminster *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 28 January, 22 Richard II, granting for life to Robert Frye 10*l.* yearly from the issues of the county of Wilts, and grant to him of arrears. By p.s.

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Oct. 28. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 23 December, 20 Richard II, granting for life to Roger Brand 10 marks yearly at the hands of the treasurer of Calais.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

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Oct. 16. Westminster. Grant for life to Francis Courte of all lands and rents late of John Beauchamp of Holte, forfeited by reason of a judgement against him in Parliament at Westminster, 11 Richard II, to hold with all liberties and franchises. By K.

Oct. 21. Westminster. Grant to Master Richard Yong, elect and confirmed of the church of Bangor, of the custody of all temporalities of the bishopric of Bangor with all liberties, franchises, profits and commodities and adowsons of churches exceeding the tax of 20 marks. By K.

Mandate in pursuance to the keepers, farmers or other occupiers. By K.

Oct. 20. Westminster. Presentation of John Russell to the church of Stokpiro, in the diocese of Bath and Wells.

Oct. 18. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight Thomas de Wedenesley of the offices of steward of Macclesfeld and surveyor of the king's forests of Macclesfeld, Mare and Mondrem, co. Chester, and master forester and rider of the same, with the accustomed fees and profits, as John Chaundos, 'chivaler,' had. By p.s.

Oct. 20. Westminster. Grant to John Hoton, chaplain, at the nomination of the mayor and barons of the town of Rye, of the hospital of St. Bartholomew de la Rye.

Oct. 22. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Edmund Holand of letters patent dated 24 May, 21 Richard II, granting to him for life 100 marks yearly at the Exchequer, and grant to him of arrears from Easter term last.
By p.s. and for 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 18. Westminster. Grant for life to William Stowkes of Norwich, 'ferrour,' of 8*d.* daily at the hands of the bailiffs of Norwich. By p.s.

Oct. 24. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's kinsman Henry de Percy, son of the earl of Northumberland, of the castle and lordship of Baumburgh with the fee-farm of the town of Baumburgh and the said lordship and the offices of constable and porter of the castle and lands and all other fees and profits pertaining to the said castle, lordship and offices. By p.s.

Oct. 10. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's uncle, the duke of York, of the lordship of the Isle of Axiholm, and that he shall be master of the king's mews and falcons with the fees pertaining thereto. By p.s.

Oct. 25. Westminster. Licence for Robert de Coverham and John de Notyngham to found a perpetual chantry of one chaplain to celebrate divine service daily in the parish church of Welle, co. York, and to grant in mortmain to him 10*l.* worth of land and rent, not held in chief, for his sustenance and the support of other charges; because Richard II by letters patent granted to them for life the custody of the waters of Humbre, Ouse, Done, Eyre, Derwent, Querf, Nidde, Yore, Swale and Tese, which was afterwards taken into his hands by statute. By p.s.

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Oct. 25. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Cursoun of letters patent dated 30 January, 17 Richard II, granting to him for life certain lands, rents and fisheries in Repyngdon, Milton and Tykenhale, co. Derby. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 16. Westminster. Whereas Master Thomas Walworth by virtue of letters patent of Richard II was in possession of the hospital of St. Nicholas, York, and afterwards the said king confirmed his estate therein, and afterwards Master John de Middelton, scheming to remove him, sought from the said king letters patent for the hospital and by virtue of a writ of the said king the said Thomas surrendered his estate therein to the said John by compulsion, though the latter was excommunicated in the court of Rome and unable to hold any benefice, the king revokes the said letters to the said John and restores the said Thomas to his former possession for life, as William de Neweton had the hospital while he lived. By p.s.

Oct. 27. Westminster. Grant for life to Thomas Bolour of Kent of four tuns of wine yearly of the king's prise in the port of Bruggewater. By p.s.

Oct. 26. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Hervy of letters patent dated 28 June, 19 Richard II, granting to him for life the custody of the warren of Shene. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 28. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 22 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent (*French*) of the said king when prince dated 25 February, 51 Edward III, inspecting and confirming letters patent (*French*) of his father Edward, prince of Wales, dated 5 June, 50 Edward III, to his esquire Edward Hales. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 29. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Rees ap Griffith ap Ll' Vachan of letters patent dated 16 March, 9 Richard II, granting to him for life certain rhaglawships. By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

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Oct. 25. Westminster. Grant to the king's servant Henry Longedon of the custody of all lands late of Oliver de Raghton, deceased, tenant in chief of the late king, during the minority of his son and heir with the marriage of the latter without disparagement, and so from heir to heir, and the custody of all lands which may descend to any of the said heirs by the death of Eleanor Broune in like manner, finding a competent sustenance for the heir and supporting the houses, woods, gardens and enclosures without waste and all other charges. By p.s.

Oct. 24. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Norreys of letters patent dated 18 February, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life 12*d.* daily from the issues of the county of Chester. By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 28. Westminster. Grant, during good behaviour, to the king's esquire William Loueney of the office of keeper of the great wardrobe with the accustomed fees, as John Macclesfeld had. By p.s.

Oct. 25. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 18 January, 20 Richard II, granting to John Eliot certain messuages and goods, and letters patent dated 16 July, 20 Richard II, granting to him the livery of the crown and 6*d.* daily. By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because other letters were made by the same fine.

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Oct. 29. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Rees ap Thomas of letters patent dated 21 April, 14 Richard II, granting to him for life a parcel of land called 'Trefferret,' co. Cardigan. By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 26. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of the following :—

1. Letters patent dated 22 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent (*French*) of the said king when prince dated 25 February, 51 Edward III, inspecting and confirming letters patent (*French*) of his father Edward, prince of Wales, dated 8 December, 1371, to Philip Walwayn.
2. Letters patent dated 26 January, 14 Richard II, granting for life to the said Philip 10*l.* yearly at the Exchequer.
3. Letters patent dated 1 June, 21 Richard II, granting to him for life the offices of bailiff of the stannary of Penwyth and Kiryell, co. Cornwall, and bailiff in eyre in the counties of Cornwall and Devon.
4. Letters patent dated 1 June, 21 Richard II, granting to him for life a tun of wine yearly in the port of Bristol.
5. Letters patent dated 26 November, 22 Richard II, granting to him for life 20*l.* yearly at the Exchequer.

By p.s. and for 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 27. Westminster. Grant for life to John Mayowe *alias* Mayheu *alias* Mayhowe, mariner of Grenewyche, master of a ship called *la Trinite de la Toure*, of 40*l.* yearly at the hands of the sheriffs of London, in lieu of grants to him for life by the king's father of 10 marks yearly from the issues of his lordship of Pevenseye by letters patent dated 21 November, 18 Richard II, and 5 marks yearly from the issues of his lands and lordships in the county of Sussex by letters patent dated 28 October, 19 Richard II, and by the late king of 40 marks yearly at the hands of the said sheriffs by letters patent dated 20 May, 22 Richard II, surrendered. By p.s.

Oct. 31. Westminster. Grant to Thomas Gray, 'chivaler,' of the custody of all lands within the county of Northumberland late of Henry de Heton, 'chivaler,' deceased, tenant in chief, during the minority of William his son and heir with the marriage of the latter without disparagement, and so from heir to heir, finding a competent sustenance for the heir and supporting the houses, buildings, woods, gardens and enclosures without waste and all other charges. By p.s.

Oct. 30. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's kinsman William Beauchamp of Bergevenny of the office of justice of South Wales with the fees and profits belonging to it, as anyone else had of the grant of Richard II. By p.s.

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Oct. 24. Westminster. Appointment of the king's esquire Nicholas Burdon as one of the auditors of the accounts of the king's chamberlains, receivers, bailiffs, reeves and other ministers in Wales and the county of Chester.

By bill of the treasurer.

Oct. 28. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Thomas Chaucer of letters patent dated 20 March, 22 Richard II, granting to him for life 20 marks yearly from the farm of the town of Walyngford.

By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

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Oct. 26. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Thomas Chaucer of the offices of constable of the castle of Walyngford and steward of the honours of Walyngford and St. Walery and the four and a half hundreds of Chilterne, receiving at the hands of the receiver there 40*l.* yearly for his fees and 10*l.* yearly for a lieutenant in his absence. By p.s.

Oct. 28. Westminster. Presentation of John Baillay to the parish church of Middelton Cheynduyt, in the diocese of Lincoln. By p.s.

Oct. 28. Westminster. Presentation of Thomas Cherdesle, chaplain of the chantry at the altar of St. Mary in the church of Edlesburgh, in the diocese of Lincoln, to the church of Hertlegh, in the diocese of Rochester, in the king's gift by reason of the heir of Richard Talbot, 'chivaler,' being a minor and in his custody, on an exchange of benefices with Nicholas Acton.

Oct. 25. Westminster. Grant of the king's alms to the abbess and convent of sisters Minoresses without Algate, London, of the custody of the manor called the alien priory of Appildrecomb during the war with France without rendering anything to the king, provided that they maintain the houses, buildings, enclosures, gardens and woods belonging to it and support all other charges; and licence for the abbot and convent of Mountesburgh in Normandy to grant the same to them in mortmain. By p.s.

Oct. 26. Westminster. Grant for life to John Graunger of the custody and office of parker of the parks of Hadle and Thundirley, with the accustomed fees. By p.s.

Oct. 28. Westminster. Grant for life to Sibyl Beauchamp, late servant of the king's sister the duchess of Gloucester, deceased, of 10*l.* yearly from the issues of the counties of Cambridge and Huntingdon. By p.s.

Oct. 27. Westminster. Grant for life to Roger del Garthe of the bailiwick of the forestership in Pennreth Warde within the forest of Inglewode with the accustomed fees and profits, as granted to him during good behaviour by letters patent of Richard II. By p.s.

Oct. 27. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the king's mother Joan de Bohun, countess of Hereford, Essex and Northampton, of letters patent dated 7 June, 15 Richard II, and 27 November, 19 Richard II, granting to her for life game and warren; and grant to her for life that she may dwell in the lodges of the king's parks of Hadle, Reilegh and Tunderley, co. Essex, and cut timber and fuel. By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 28. Westminster. Presentation of John Inglewode, chaplain, to the church of Estwode, in the diocese of London.

Oct. 27. Westminster. Appointment, during good behaviour, of William de Lodyngton as steward of the town of Kirton in Lyndeseye and the sokes and members pertaining to it, with the due fees. By p.s.

Oct. 28. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Henry Warderobe of letters patent dated 1 July, 18 Richard II, granting to him for life an annuity of 10 marks from the issues of the manor of Kenebel, co. Buckingham, and the office of the custody of the warren of Cokham, and letters patent dated 17 April, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life 100*s.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 27. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 23 June, 20 Richard II, granting for life to Edmund Hestyng and Alice his wife lands and rent in Wytheok, co. Leicester. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

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Oct. 31. Westminster. Pardon to the king's esquire Alexander de Lounde for the seizure of the custody and body of Beatrice sister and heir of Robert Haulay son and heir of John Haulay, 'chivaler,' deceased, tenant in chief, and daughter of Margaret now the wife of the said Alexander, and the sale of her marriage without licence. By p.s.

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Oct. 15. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the church of St. Nicholas, Spaldyng, the abbot of St Nicholas, Angers, the prior of Spalding and the parceners of Spaldyng and Pincebec of letters patent dated 8 December, 4 Richard II, inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Chaangn', 24 January, 10 Richard I, renewing a charter dated at Westminster, 14 November, 1 Richard I. For 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 21. Westminster. Appointment, during pleasure, of Salamon Fresthorp as assayer of the king's mint within the Tower of London and controller of the master of the mint, receiving the accustomed fees. By bill of the treasurer.

Oct. 23. Westminster. John Bryan, esquire, staying in England, has letters nominating Hugh Bauent, clerk, and John Coryngham his attorneys in Ireland for one year. John de Roderham, clerk, received the attorneys.

Oct. 18. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Robert Ursewyk of letters patent dated 18 June, 1 Richard II (*as on p.* 29).
By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 23. Westminster. Grant to Walter Beauchamp of Powyke of 40*l.* yearly from the issues of the county of Gloucester for life or until he shall be provided with lands to that value. By p.s.
Vacated by surrender.

Oct. 23. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 15 January, 7 Richard II, granting for life to Nicholas Dagworth, knight, 100 marks yearly from the farm of the town of Cambridge, and grant to him of arrears for Michaelmas term last. By p.s. and for 50*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 26. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Nicholas Warde of 10*l.* yearly from the issues of the county of Nottingham. By p.s.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because Henry V on 8 June in his first year granted to him for life the bailiwick with the custody of the park of Beskwode in the forest of Shirewode.

Oct. 24. Westminster. Grant for life to John Humbleton, esquire, of 12*d.* daily from the issues or fee-farm of the town and manor of Esker in Ireland, in lieu of a like grant by letters patent dated 18 July, 19 Richard II, surrendered. By p.s.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because the king granted the same to his esquire Janico Dartas for life with the assent of the said John on 26 August in the thirteenth year.

Oct. 28. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Thomas Giles of Dover of the office of bailiff of the town of Rye, with the due fees and profits. By p.s.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because the king granted the same to William Catton for life with his assent on 25 November in the thirteenth year.

Oct. 26. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 11 October, 9 Richard II, granting for life to Emma Stokkere 5 marks yearly at the

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hands of the receiver of the honour of Walyngford, and letters patent dated 17 June, 18 Richard II, granting to her for life 2*d.* daily at the Exchequer. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 27. Westminster. Grant to Richard Hildegar of the custody of the hospital of St. Margaret by Huntyngdon, in the diocese of Lincoln. By p.s.

Oct. 28. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 8 May, 3 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 27 April, 39 Edward III, to Richard de Scargill. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 25. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 16 July, 22 Richard II, granting for life to John Eliot the livery of the crown and 6*d.* daily from the farm of the town of Ipswich.
By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because the king granted to him 6*d. daily for life from the issues of the counties of Norfolk and Suffolk on* 28 *January in the seventh year.*

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Oct. 27. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's kinswoman Joan the wife of the king's kinsman William Beauchamp of 52*l.* yearly from the sum called 'le comunfyn' in the county of Hereford. By p.s.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because the king on 7 *November granted to her* 51*l.* [10]*s.* 6*d. for life at the hands of the sheriff of Hereford.*

Oct. 24. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of the following:—
1. Letters patent dated 20 August, 9 Richard II, granting for life to John Wimbissh le fitz 6*d.* daily from the issues of the city of London.
2. Letters patent dated 5 October, 19 Richard II, inspecting and confirming to him letters patent of Thomas, archbishop of York, and Edward, earl of Rutland, dated 24 September, 19 Richard II.
By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 28. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire James Clifford of the office of keeper of the forest of Braden, co. Wilts, with the fees and other profits belonging to it. By p.s.

Oct. 24. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 8 May, 15 Richard II, granting for life to John Wardon a purparty of the manor of Combekeynes, co. Dorset. For 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 27. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Baryngton of letters patent dated 27 June, 17 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent (*French*) of Aubrey de Veer, earl of Oxford, dated at the castle of Hengham, 1 March, 16 Richard II. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 28. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 23 April, 17 Richard II, granting for life to John Thorn 10*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 30. Westminster. Presentation of John Chokwolde, parson of the church of Colnewake, in the diocese of London, to the vicarage of Swavysseye, in the diocese of Ely, on an exchange of benefices with William Okeham.

Oct. 29. Westminster. Grant for life to Thomas Prendregest of the office of searcher of all ships and boats in the port of London and all ports and places from

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thence on either side of the Thames to Gravesende and from thence to the sea, receiving such fees and profits as Philip Walleweyn had. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because the king granted the office to him during pleasure on 11 *December in the fifth year.*

Oct. 28. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 10 January, 14 Richard II granting for life to Edmund, earl of York, and Isabel his wife and Edward, earl of Rutland, the reversion of the custody of the forest of Bradene on the death of Robert Dinglee.

By K. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 21. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Geoffrey Chaucer of letters patent dated 18 October. (*See p.* 22.) By p.s.

Oct. 29. Westminster. Grant for life, from the day of the coronation, to the king's kinsman Henry de Percy, son of the earl of Northumberland, of the office of justice of Chester, North Wales and Flyntshire with the office of searcher or surveyor of the county of Chester and Flyntshire within and without the forest, with the accustomed fees and profits, as William Lescrop, 'chivaler,' had. By p.s.

Oct. 29. Westminster. Grant to the king's kinsman Thomas, archbishop of Canterbury, of all fines of his tenants before the day of the restitution of the temporalities of his archbishopric. [*Fœdera.*] By p.s.

MEMBRANE 7.

Oct. 27. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John son of Griffin son of Robert and his heirs of letters patent dated 18 July, 2 Richard II, inspecting and confirming a charter dated at York, 20 October, 8 Edward III [*Charter Roll*, 8 *Edward III*, *No.* 4], inspecting and confirming the following :—

1. Letters patent dated 21 June, 18 Edward I.
2. Letters patent dated 15 (*rectius* 25) May, 20 Edward I.
3. Letters patent dated 28 January, 11 Edward II, inspecting and confirming the following :—
   (1.) A charter dated at Bristol, 27 December, 18 Edward I. [*Charter Roll*, 18 *Edward I*, *No.* 144.]
   (2.) A charter of Llewellyn son of Roger de Mortuo Mari dated Tuesday after St. Peter ad Vincula, 22 Edward I.

For 4 marks paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 28. Westminster *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 28 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 15 July, 50 Edward III, granting for life to Thomas de Maydenston 100*s.* yearly at the Exchequer; and grant to him in addition of 10 marks yearly for life at the Exchequer, in lieu of a grant which he had from the king's uncle Thomas, duke of Gloucester, out of a grant to the latter by letters patent of Richard II. By p.s.

Oct. 30. Westminster Grant for life to the king's esquire William ap Ll' de Brekennok of the offices of the constableships of the commotes of Coerwedros, Gwynyony, Mabwynyon and Kreudyn, co. Cardigan, with the fees and profits belonging to the offices to the value of 20 marks yearly, provided that he answer yearly at the exchequer of Cardygan for any surplus.

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Oct. 22. Westminster. Grant to the bailiffs and good men of the town of Bruggewater of pontage and pavage for two years.

Oct. 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Roger Sigleam and Katharine his wife of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 30 May, 13 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent (*French*) of Anne, queen of England, dated 15 May, 13 Richard II, granting to them and Richard their son an annuity of 30*l.* from the castle, lordship and manor of Odiham, co. Southampton.
2. Letters patent dated 19 April, 15 Richard II, granting for life to the said Roger 20 marks yearly at the Exchequer beyond the 20*l.* already granted to him, and granting that after his decease the said Katharine shall have 20*l.* yearly at the Exchequer for life.

And grant for life to them and Humphrey their son of the said 30*l.* yearly. By p.s. and for 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 18. Westminster. Grant to the king's clerk Master Henry Bowet of the prebend of Cadyngton Magna in the cathedral church of St. Paul, London. By p.s.
Mandate in pursuance to R. bishop of London. By the same writ.
Mandate in pursuance to the dean and chapter. By the same writ.

Oct. 27. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire John ap Henri of the office of constable of the king's castle of Lampadarn, co. Cardigan, with the accustomed fees and profits, as Simon Felbrigg, 'chivaler,' had of the grant of Richard II. By p.s.

Oct. 24. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 31 August, 10 Richard II, granting for life to Thomas Sy the offices of the rhaglawship and bedelship of the commote of Mallen, co. Caermarthen.
2. Letters patent dated 30 January, 21 Richard II, granting to him for life the manor of Llanloz by Kermerdyn.

By p.s. and for 13*s.* 4*d.* paid in the hanaper.

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Oct. 29. Westminster. Grant for 10 years to William Ferrour, yeoman of the king's kinsman Henry de Percy the son, of the office of porter and keeper of the gaol of the castle of Carlisle, receiving the fees and profits pertaining to the office. By K. on the information of Henry, earl of Northumberland.
Vacated because in the second year.

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Oct. 27. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Robert Wythele of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 7 March, 16 Richard II, granting to him for life 10 marks yearly at the Exchequer.
2. Letters patent dated 11 September, 19 Richard II, granting to him for life the offices of rhaglaw and ringild of Turkelyn in Wales.
3. Letters patent dated 22 March, 9 Richard II, granting to him for life the office of porter of the castle of Exeter.

By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 30. Westminster. Presentation of John Shelton to the church of Little Berkhamstede, in the diocese of Lincoln.

Oct. 28. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 10 May, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 20 November, 44 Edward III, to John Duk. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

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Oct. 28. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of the following :—
1. Letters patent dated 28 November, 14 Richard II, granting for life to David Vaghan the office of the stewardship of Cantrefmaure, co. Caermarthen.
2. Letters patent dated 1 May, 14 Richard II, granting to him for life 10*l.* yearly at the exchequer of Chester.
3. Letters patent dated 12 March, 16 Richard II, granting to him for life 16*l.* yearly at the Exchequer.

By p.s. and for 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 28. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Thomas Missenden of letters patent dated 3 July, 19 Richard II, granting to him for life 20*l.* yearly at the Exchequer, and letters patent (*French*) of Thomas, earl Marshal and Nottingham, lord of Moubray and Segrave, dated at London, 7 January, 17 Richard II, granting to him for life a yearly rent of 10 marks from the manor of Thresk, co. York.

By p.s. and for 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 28. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Peek of 20 marks yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because the king granted to him 20 marks yearly for life from the issues of the counties of Huntingdon and Cambridge on 22 January, 13 Henry IV.

Oct. 28. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Margaret late the wife of Nicholas de Sarnesfeld, knight, of the following :—
1. Letters patent dated 20 October, 18 Richard II, granting to them for life the manor of Helleston with the borough of the same.
2. Letters patent dated 21 March, 16 Richard II, granting to her for life the lordship of the boroughs of Bascynny and Treveyne.
3. Letters patent dated 10 July, 19 Richard II, granting to her for life 20*l.* yearly from the manor of Tewyngton, co. Cornwall.
4. Letters patent dated 22 March, 22 Richard II, granting to her for life 20*l.* yearly from the receipt of Cornwall.

By p.s. and for 5 marks paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 3. Westminster. Grant for life to Elizabeth Elmham of two tuns of wine of the king's prise yearly in the ports of Ipswich, Jernemuth or Lenn or elsewhere within the counties of Norfolk and Suffolk. By p.s.

Oct. 28. Westminster. Grant to the king's knight William Elmham that his horses and harness which were taken from him at Berkele or elsewhere within the realm without process of law shall be restored to him. By p.s.

Oct. 28. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight Humphrey de Stafford and Elizabeth his wife of certain lands in Sevenhampton, co. Somerset, which Nicholas Lond held for life and afterwards Thomas Sy, who has surrendered his estate therein to them. By p.s.

Oct. 24. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 10 August, 18 Richard II, granting for life to Thomas Percy 50 marks yearly from the issues of the manor of Eye, co. Suffolk.

By p.s. and for 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 3. Westminster. Grant for life to Robert Morton and Ofca his wife of 23*l.* yearly in the towns of Arnall and Edenstowe within the forest of Shirewode, in lieu of

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a like grant to the said Robert by letters patent of Richard II, surrendered. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because Henry V on 12 June [in the second] year granted to the said Robert the farm which Hugh de Nevylle, son and heir of John de Nevylle, used to render to the king's progenitors for the town of Arnall, co. Nottingham.

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Oct. 25. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Asshe of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 4 December, 19 Richard II, appointing him chamberlain and receiver of South Wales during pleasure.
2. Letters patent dated 14 October, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life the office of water bailiff of Dertemuth.
3. Letters patent dated 15 October, 21 Richard II, granting to him for life 50 marks yearly.
4. Letters patent dated 3 June, 21 Richard II, granting to him for life 10 marks yearly.
5. Letters patent under the seal of Ireland dated at Dublin, 22 December, 18 Richard II, granting to him for life the offices of the marshalsea in the king's chief place and in the Common Bench and in the exchequer in Ireland and the office of usher in the said exchequer, receiving the fees and profits of the offices in his absence from Ireland.
6. Letters patent under the seal used at Kermerdyn dated 8 May, 19 Richard II, granting to him for life the office of steward of the courts of the king's Welsh commotes in the county of Cardygan, receiving the accustomed fees, as John Maudeleyn, deceased, had.

By p.s. and for 4 marks paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 28. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Joce of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 20 June, 2 Richard II, granting to him for life 10*l.* yearly.
2. Letters patent dated 3 July, 10 Richard II, granting to him for life 73*s.* 9*d.* yearly.
3. Letters patent dated 13 February, 7 Richard II, granting to him for life 10*l.* yearly.
4. Letters patent dated 20 May, 19 Richard II, granting to him for life a tun of wine yearly in the port of Ipswich.

By p.s. and for 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 31. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Meux of letters patent (*French*) of the king's uncle Thomas, late duke of Gloucester, dated at Dover, 16 March, 16 Richard II, granting to him for life a yearly rent of 100*s.* from the castle of St. Briavel and the forest of Dene.

By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

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Oct. 2. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Peter Courtenay of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 25 November, 7 Richard II, granting to him for life 100*l.* yearly.
2. Letters patent dated 28 January, 12 Richard II, granting to him and his heirs a parcel of land in Alvyngton, co. Devon, and the advowson of the church of the town.

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3. Letters patent dated 20 January, 13 Richard II, granting to him for life the office of the constableship of the castle of Wyndesore and divers other offices and custodies.
4. Letters patent dated 8 February, 16 Richard II, granting to him for life 40*l.* yearly.
5. Letters patent dated 10 June, 20 Richard II, confirming to him and others their estate in the alien priory of Otryngton.

By K. and for 5 marks paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 30. Westminster. Grant to Richard Longe and Margaret his wife, for her life, of 22*l.* yearly at the Exchequer and two pipes of wine yearly at the hands of the chief butler, in lieu of grants of 12*l.* and 20*l.* yearly by letters patent of Richard II, surrendered. By p.s.

Oct. 31. Westminster. Grant to Richard Bristowe of Estderham, scholar of the University of Cambridge, in aid of his sustenance, of 40*s.* yearly from the issues of the city of London until he shall be promoted to an ecclesiastical benefice, provided that he be of good conversation and diligently exercise his schools in the University. By p.s.

Oct. 30. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the king's knight John Braham of letters patent dated 16 March, 15 Richard II, granting to him for life 20*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 31. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Thomas Grey of letters patent dated 25 October, 13 Richard II, granting to him for life 50*l.* yearly at the receipt of the Exchequer, and grant to him of arrears. By p.s.

Nov. 3. Westminster. John More, citizen and mercer of London, staying in England, has letters nominating Hugh Whyte of Deuelyn, merchant, and Thomas Shorthale his attorneys in Ireland for two years.

The chancellor received the attorneys until the advent of John in Ireland.

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Oct. 30. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant William Blake of the office of forester of the forest of Blakwellhay, co. Essex, with the accustomed fees and profits. By p.s.

Oct. 28. Westminster. Grant for life to Alice Yonge of a pipe of wine yearly in the port of Kyngeston on Hull. By p.s.

Oct. 29. Westminster. Grant for life to Hugh de Hoby of the office of parker of the king's park of Macclesfeld with the accustomed fees and profits. By p.s.

Oct. 28. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 7 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 23 September, 35 Edward III, and 4 May, 36 Edward III, to Thomas de Stanes.

By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 2. Westminster. Presentation of Richard Cassy to the church of Sapurton, in the diocese of Worcester.

Oct. 31. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Hoton of the custody of the king's manor of Sutton and the garden there with wages of 4*d.* daily at the Exchequer and all other accustomed fees as Andrew Colchestre had of the grant of Richard II. By p.s.

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Nov. 2. Westminster. Ratification of the estate of the prioress and convent of Rothewell in the church of Desburgh, in the diocese of Lincoln, which they have appropriated by licence of Richard II.

Oct. 31. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight Thomas de Swynford of the custody of the king's castle of Somerton with the fees and other profits belonging to the custody, as John Bussy, 'chivaler,' had of the grant of Richard II. By p.s.

Oct. 31. Westminster. Grant for life to John Torel, esquire, of 10*l.* yearly from the issues of the city of London, in lieu of a grant of Edward III confirmed by letters patent of Richard II, surrendered. By p.s.

Oct. 31. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 1 May, 14 Richard II, granting for life to the earl of Kent and Alesia his wife the office of the constableship of the castle of Corf, and grant to the said Alesia, who has survived her husband, of the appointment of all ministers under the said office within the castle and in the warren outside. By p.s.

Nov. 4. Westminster. Presentation of John Wyche, king's clerk, to the church of Hunshawe, in the diocese of Exeter.

Nov. 4. Westminster. Presentation of John Bally to the alien priory of Lapley, in the diocese of Coventry and Lichfield, void by the death of Peter Romelot, last prior, and in the king's gift by reason of the war with France. By p.s.

Nov. 4. Westminster. Grant for life to John Graghowe, 'chivaler,' of 20*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Nov. 2. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Worship of letters patent dated 23 January, 22 Richard II, granting to him for life the manor of Worplesdon, co. Surrey. By K. for 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 29. Westminster. Grant to Julian late the wife of William Garde of the county of Kent, an outlaw, that she may recover his goods as though executrix of his will, in furtherance of a grant by letters patent of Richard II. By p.s.

Oct. 29. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Richard Stucle of letters patent dated 28 April, 19 Richard II, granting to him for life 15*l.* yearly. By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 4. Westminster. Grant to the king's servant John Passavant of the custody of the lands late of Laurence Papynham, 'chivaler,' in the county of Bedford, deceased, tenant in chief of the lord of Latymer, a minor in the king's custody, to hold to the value of 10*l.* yearly without waste during the minority of John son and heir of the said Laurence, with his marriage, and so from heir to heir. By p.s.

Oct. 30. Westminster. Grant for life to Robert Fysshelake of Dovorre of the office of bailiff of Wynchelse, with the accustomed fees and profits. By p.s.

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Oct. 30. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Golafre of letters patent dated 5 December, 19 Richard II, granting to him for life 40 marks yearly at the Exchequer, and letters patent dated 18 April, 21 Richard II, granting to him for life 10*l.* yearly from the issues of the king's mills of Oxford. By p.s. and for 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because the king granted to him 10*l. yearly for life at the hands of the abbot and convent of Oseneye on* 12 *February in the fifth year.*

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1399. Oct. 29. Westminster. Grant for life to William Moigne and Mary his wife of two tuns of wine yearly in the port of Lenn. By p.s.

Oct. 30. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Cawode of the office of the market in Meth in Ireland, with the due fees and profits. By p.s.

Grant for life to John Oke and Alice his wife of two tuns of wine of Gascony yearly of the king's prise in the port of London. By p.s.

Nov. 4. Westminster. Appointment, until Whitsuntide next, of John Pestell, ferreter and fowler, to provide conies and partridges and other birds for the expenses of the household and carriage for the same. *French.*
By bill of the treasurer of the household.

Nov. 8. Westminster. Mandate to the butler in the ports of Ipswich, Jernemuth or Lenn or elsewhere in the counties of Norfolk and Suffolk to deliver two tuns of wine yearly to Elizabeth Elmham.
Vacated because on the Close Roll.

Oct. 30. Westminster. Whereas the king lately granted to William Trussell the office of constable of the castle of Northampton with the accustomed fees and profits, which office pertains to the sheriff of the county as parcel of his farm, he now grants to him 20 marks yearly for life from the issues of the county. By p.s.

Nov. 11. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 27 October, 9 Richard II, granting for life to Thomas Blount 40*l.* yearly from the fee-farm of the city of Hereford, and grant to him of 20*l.* of arrears.
By p.s. and for 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

1400. June 14. Westminster. Whereas the pope lately made a provision in the cathedral church of York to the king's clerk Nicholas Bubbewyth, one of the masters of Chancery, and subsequently Richard II made a suspension (*tolerandam*) of the statute of provisors and granted licence for the execution of the provision, and accordingly the proctors of the said Nicholas accepted and took possession of the archdeaconry of Richmond and the prebend of Bool in the said church, and the said benefices are now occupied by clerks of the archbishop of York and the said Nicholas dares not continue his possession, the king pardons to him and his proctors and the executors of the provision the trespasses in this. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 31*d.*

1399. Oct. 7. Westminster. Commission to Thomas Godfrey and Nicholas Weylond to arrest Roger Stanlak of the county of Oxford, who is an idiot, and bring him before the king in Chancery for examination.

Oct. 12. Westminster. Commission to all sheriffs and others to arrest certain friars of the order of St. Mary of Mount Carmel, who have scorned their profession and put off the habit of their religion and wander about, when required to do so by any prior of the order and deliver them to any house of the order.

MEMBRANE 20*d.*

Oct. 20. Westminster. Commission to William Hornby, Thomas Amary, John Flete, William Overay and John Deryng to enquire into the report that a part of

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the lands, rents and services in the town of Southampton forming the greater part of the endowment of the hospital of the House of God, Southampton, which the provost and scholars of the Queen's Hall, Oxford, now hold to their own use, have for a long time been detained from Master Thomas Carlell, provost of the hall and master of the hospital, by the tenants, and to certify thereon to the king in Chancery.

MEMBRANE 18*d*.

Oct. 3. Westminster. Commission to William Thirnyng, John Markham, William Brenchesle, William Skrene, John Cokayn and John Rede to examine in the presence of the mayor and aldermen of the city of London at the church of St. Martin le Grand, London, a record and process and judgement lately given before the said mayor and alderman in the chamber of the Guildhall in a suit between William Crane, 'habirdassher,' and John Barker, 'habirdassher,' and Margaret his wife, late the wife of Roger Crane, citizen of London, and executrix of his will, that they should render 32*l*. to the said William, and to correct any error that there may be to the damage of the said John and Margaret.

MEMBRANE 13*d*.

Oct. 24. Westminster. Commission to Geoffrey Hampton, mayor of Coventry, and Thomas Derby to enquire about certain wastes and other damages committed in the manor of Caloudon, co. Warwick, late of Thomas, late duke of Norfolk, and now in the king's hands. By bill of the treasurer.

Oct. 26. Westminster. Commission of oyer and terminer to William Thirnyng, Hugh Huls, Robert Fraunceys, Robert Mauveisyn, Nicholas Bradeshawe and John Knyghtley, on information that the bondmen and tenants of John Hampton at his manor of Kynfare, co. Stafford, have withdrawn their customs and services due to him and leagued themselves together to resist him.

MEMBRANE 1*d*.

Oct. 22. Westminster. Commission *de walliis et fossatis* to Laurence de Allerthorp, clerk, William Gascoigne, Robert Tirwhit, William Newesome, William Hundgate, Richard de Beverley and William Wandesforde by the coast of the water of Hull and the adjacent parts in the East Riding in the county of York from Etton, Lokyngton, Scorburgh, Ake and Bergh to Beswyk, Watton, Hoton, Crauncewyk and Skerene.

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Oct. 27. Westminster. Grant for life to Robert Grevele of the office of ranger of the king's forest of Beree between Kyngessomburn and Wyncestre, co. Southampton, and the custody of the wood called Papynholt and Shrowenore by the forest, receiving 2*d.* daily for the office from the issues of the county of Southampton with all other due fees and profits. By p.s.

Oct. 26. Westminster. Licence, for 18*s.* 4*d.* paid by him in the hanaper, for Aubrey Wittlebury to enfeoff Nicholas Walle of a moiety of the manor of Canewyk and 28 acres of land in Canewyk, co. Lincoln, held in chief, and for the latter to re-grant the same to him and Margaret his wife and his heirs and assigns.

Oct. 30. Westminster. Grant, during pleasure, to the king's esquire Morgan ap David de Breken of the office of escheator of Kermerdin and Cardigan in Wales with the due fees and profits. By p.s.

Oct. 30. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight David Rouclif of 40 marks yearly from the issues of the county of York. By p.s.
Vacated because below.

Oct. 31. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Walter Colinq' of 10*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Nov. 3. Westminster. Grant for life to Thomas Beaupyne of the constableship of the castle of Bristol with the due fees and profits. By K.

Grant for life to the king's servant William Porter of Watton, co. York, of 8*d.* daily from the custom in the port of Kyngeston on Hull. By p.s.

Oct. 31. Westminster. Grant for life to William Moigne, 'chivaler,' and Mary his wife of 20*l.* yearly from the issues of the counties of Cambridge and Huntingdon, in lieu of a like grant to the said Mary of 20 marks yearly by letters patent of Richard II, surrendered. By p.s.

Nov. 3. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Peter Loharenc of letters patent dated 17 March, 8 Richard II, granting to him for life 12*d.* daily at the Exchequer. By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 30. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Orewell of letters patent dated 18 June, 8 Richard II, appointing him one of the king's serjeants at arms and granting to him for life 12*d.* daily at the Exchequer. By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 4. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Giles de Hyde of 10*l.* yearly from the issues of the county of Stafford. By p.s.

Oct. 24. Westminster. Grant for life to John Pelham, 'chivaler,' that he shall bear the king's sword in the king's presence at any required place and time, saving the right of anyone who may claim the office. By p.s.

Oct. 28. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Spertegrave of letters patent dated 10 July, 19 Richard II, granting to him for life 100*s.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

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Nov. 5. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Hugh Norburgh of the office of the king's marshal harbinger with the fees, profits and other commodities pertaining to it. By p.s.

Oct. 30. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 4 June, 18 Richard II, granting for life to Adam Chestre 10 marks and a robe yearly. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Inspeximus and confirmation of letters patent dated 16 June, 18 Richard II, granting for life to Richard Wyche 6*l.* 11*s.* 9*d.* yearly. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 4. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Richard Marbroke of the county of Warwick of 10*l.* yearly from the issues of the county. By p.s.

Oct. 31. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Richard Pays of letters patent dated 5 February, 22 Richard II, granting to him for life the custody of the king's forge within the castle of Wyndesore. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 4. Westminster. Grant for life to William Clerc of the county of Devon, esquire, of the office of 'waterbaillif' of Dertemuth, with all due fees and profits. By p.s.

Nov. 4. Westminster. Grant for life to William de Neusome, esquire, of the town and park of Brignall, Morthiam, Wynelton and Hyghlayhall, to hold to the value of 40*l.* yearly. By p.s.
Vacated by surrender.

Nov. 8. Westminster. Grant to Thomas de Camoys and his heirs of the bailiwick of the forestership of Assheholte and Wolmere, co. Southampton, as his grandfather Ralph de Camoys had in the time of Edward III. By p.s.

Nov. 8. Westminster. Grant for life to Thomas Camoys and Richard Camoys his son of the custody of the castle and town of Porchestre and the forest and warren there, provided that they shall have a porter, an artiller and a watchman dwelling within the castle for its safe-custody, receiving 12*d.* daily for themselves, 3*d.* daily for the wages of the porter and 1½*d.* daily for the wages of a groom under him, these having the custody of the warren, 6*d.* daily for the wages of the artiller and 3*d.* daily for the wages of the watchman from the extent of the premises so far as it suffices and the issues of the county of Southampton, as Roger Walden and John Walden his brother, last constables, had. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 36.

Oct. 28. Westminster. Grant to the king's clerk Master Roger Coryngham of the prebend of Gillyngham in the conventual church of Shaftesbury. By p.s.
Mandate in pursuance to R. bishop of Salisbury. By the same writ.
Mandate in pursuance to the abbess and convent. By the same writ.

Oct. 30. Westminster. Presentation of Robert Manfeld, warden of the hospital or free chapel of St. Mary Magdalen, Southwell, to the hospital or free chapel of St. Giles, Little Maldon, in the diocese of London, on an exchange of benefices with Alexander Herll. By p.s.

Oct. 22. Westminster. Exemplification, at the request of John Gyles, mayor of Dover, and John Monyn, of letters patent dated 4 May, 4 Richard II, exemplifying an article (*French*) in an ordinance in Parliament, 9 Edward III, that no pilgrim pass out of the realm except at Dover.

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Oct. 30. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Robert Lyncoln of letters patent dated 12 January, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life the custody of the beam of the pesage of wools within the town of Suthampton. By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 31. Westminster. Presentation of Walter Wardeboys, parson of the church of Homeresfeld in Southelmham, in the diocese of Norwich, to the vicarage of Dockyng, in the same diocese, on an exchange of benefices with Nicholas Abel.

Oct. 30. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Robert Mounteney of letters patent dated 23 June, 9 Richard II, granting to him for life 40 marks yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s. and for 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 31. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Selby of 20 marks yearly at the hands of the sheriff of York. By p.s.

Oct. 31. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 5 July, 19 Richard II, granting for life to Eleanor the wife of Nicholas Dagworth, knight, 40*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Oct. 30. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Richard Gardemewe of letters patent dated 24 March, 22 Richard II, granting to him for life 20*l.* yearly from the issues of the county of Kent. By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 2. Westminster. Grant for life to John Roteland, for his good service to Edward III, of 3*d.* daily at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Oct. 31. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Willycotes of letters patent dated 11 May, 22 Richard II, granting to him and his heirs the manor of Hedyngdon with the hundreds of Bolyngden and [the hundred] without the north gate of Oxford. By p.s. and for 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 29. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 7 April, 10 Richard II, granting for life to William Welles 20*l.* yearly. By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 31. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Richard Redman of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 1 May, 11 Richard II, granting to him for life certain lands in Blencogo.
2. Letters patent dated 5 November, 14 Richard II, granting to him for life 40 marks yearly from the issues of the county of Cumberland.
3. Letters patent sealed with the seal of the exchequer of Chester dated 2 October, 21 Richard II, granting to him for life 40 marks yearly at the said exchequer.

By p.s. and for 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 3. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Henry de Coneway of letters patent dated 17 November, 21 Richard II, granting to him for life the custody of the castle of Rotheland. By p.s. and for 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

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Oct. 29. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire John Gerald of the office of chief bailiff of Dover, co. Kent, with the fees, profits and other commodities pertaining to it. By p.s.

Oct. 25. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John de Roderham of letters patent dated 23 February, 21 Richard II, granting to him for life 20*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

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Oct. 28. Westminster. Grant to the king's esquire Richard Clopton of the custody of all lands late of Brian de Wyndesore, tenant in chief of Richard II, during the minority of his son and heir with the marriage of the latter without disparagement to the value of 10*l.* yearly, and so from heir to heir, answering for any surplus yearly at the Exchequer and finding a competent sustenance for the heir and supporting all charges. By p.s.

Not to be sent in the extracts because revoked by the court.

Oct. 24. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 3 March, 3 Richard II, granting for life to Roger Bigge the office of parker of the park of Berkhamstede. By p.s. and for 6*s.* 8*d.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 3. Westminster. Grant for life to Hermann Mekeren, esquire, of 100 marks yearly at the Exchequer, in lieu of a like grant of 40*l.* by letters patent of Richard II, surrendered. By p.s.

Nov. 2. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight Baldwin Radyngton of that which is due to him and in arrears from an annuity of 100 marks granted to him by Richard II, and confirmed by the king from the issues of the petty custom in the port of London. By p.s.

Oct. 23. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Hugh Norborwe of a place called Leefeld in the forest of Rutteland with the fees, profits and commodities pertaining to it, and the office of steward of the forest with the due fees, profits and commodities. By p.s.

Oct. 26. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 23 April, 22 Richard II, granting to Richard Redman the custody of the lands late of Richard de Kirkebrid, 'chivaler,' during the minority of his son and heir with the marriage of the latter.
By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 3. Westminster. Presentation of Thomas Nafferton to the church of St. Aldate, Oxford, in the diocese of Lincoln.

Nov. 3. Westminster. Grant, by mainprise of Richard Stukle, Robert Yugeler and John Muchelgrove of the county of Sussex, to Hugh Veretot, monk and proctor in England of the abbey of Fécamp in Normandy, of the custody of all lands, possessions and liberties of the abbey in the realm, to hold from Michaelmas last for his life during the war with France, rendering yearly at the Exchequer the ancient farm of 400 marks as in the time of Edward I, with an allowance of 47*l.* 4*s.* yearly for the manor of Bury, granted by Edward III to the earl of Arundell, as the farmers had after the year 22 Edward III. By p.s.

Nov. 3. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Welford of letters patent dated 4 November, 19 Richard II, granting to him for life 6*d* daily.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 3. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Richard Pupplyngton of letters patent dated 28 August, 8 Richard II, granting to him for life 6*d.* daily.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 4. Westminster. Grant, during pleasure, to the king's esquire Ralph Standissh of the offices of escheator, clerk of the market and keeper of measures and weights in Ireland with the fees and profits pertaining to the same, as John Aldelyme had. By p.s.

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Nov. 4. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Walter Chippenham and Alice his wife of letters patent dated 24 May, 9 Richard II, granting to them for life the manors of Tuderle and Lokerle, co. Southampton.
By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because with their assent the king granted the manors to Francis Court, knight, and Joan his wife for life at a rent of 20*l. on* 8 *November,* 4 *Henry IV.*

MEMBRANE 34.

Nov. 8. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire John Hauard of the office of constable of the castle of Dynevoure, co. Caermarthen, with the due fees, with the demesne lands pertaining to the castle in case other constables have had them as pertaining to the office. By p.s.

Oct. 25. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Arnald Buada of the office of the executorship of Bordeaux with the due fees, profits and commodities and the great and little seals belonging to the office. By p.s.
Vacated because on the Gascon Roll.

Oct. 31. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Ralph de Braillesford of the 50*l.* yearly which the bailiffs of the town of Derby render at the Exchequer for the fee-farm of the town. By p.s.

Nov. 2. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 11 February, 22 Richard II, granting for life to William de Houton and William Bredewardyn certain offices, annuities and profits.
By p.s. and for 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 2. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 30 June, 22 Richard II, granting for life to William Bradewardyn 30*l.* 4*s.* yearly.
By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 4. Westminster. Whereas Richard II by letters patent dated 24 February, 20 Richard II, granted to the abbot and convent of St. Mary, Cokirsand, co. Lancaster, the alien priory of Lancastre, with all its possessions to hold from Michaelmas then last past during the war with France, rendering 100 marks yearly at the Exchequer and supporting all charges, and the abbot and convent were delayed by certain impediments from having the priory and its profits and were put to great costs, whereby they are now indebted in 500 marks and more, and the king understands that they have paid the farm for Easter term last and have made great repair in the priory and sown its lands and placed a great part of their goods there, but were removed by certain ministers of the king at his last coming into the realm, he now grants that they shall have restitution of all fruits and profits pertaining to the priory for the last year, paying 50 marks for Michaelmas term last. By p.s.

Nov. 6. Westminster. Grant, by mainprise of William Swynbourne, 'chivaler,' of the county of Northumberland and John Daynell of the county of York, to Henry Percy, 'chivaler,' son of Henry Percy, earl of Northumberland, of the custody of all lands late of Bertram Monboucher, tenant in chief, during the minority of Bertram his son and heir with the marriage of the latter without disparagement, paying to the king 600 marks at the Exchequer, viz. 300 marks in hand and 300 marks within two years, and finding a competent sustenance for the heir and maintaining the houses and buildings and supporting all charges, and so from heir to heir, provided that if the

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lands come to any heir of full age within ten years the king shall make reasonable recompense. By bill of the treasurer.

Nov. 2. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Nell of letters patent dated 1 August, 7 Richard II, granting to him for life the custody of the manor of Yesthamsted. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 5. Westminster. Pardon to Edward son and heir of Elming Leget of the fine of 10*l.* made by him in the court of the honour of Clare before John Bussy, 'chivaler,' deceased, then steward of the court, for divers alienations by him and his father of certain lands late of William Lofham, held of the said honour; which is in the king's hands by reason of the minority of Edmund, son and heir of Roger de Mortuo Mari, late earl of March. By p.s.

Nov. 6. Westminster. Whereas the king's knight Edward Hastynges, brother and heir of Hugh Hastynges, son and heir of Hugh Hastynges, 'chivaler,' deceased, tenant of the king's father, a minor in the custody of the executors of the lord of Darcy, deceased, by a grant to the latter by the king's father, lately at the king's command took up knighthood and has not wherewithal to maintain his estate, the king grants to him 40*l.* yearly during minority from the issues of the counties of Norfolk and Suffolk. By p.s.

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Nov. 2. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Isabel late the wife of John Paule of letters patent dated 13 August, 18 Richard II, granting to her for life 20*l.* yearly. By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 2. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Brikhill of letters patent dated 28 January, 21 Richard II, granting to him for life 6*d.* daily. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 26. Westminst r. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Cecily Boule of letters patent (*French*) of Thomas, earl Marshal and Nottingham, lord of Moubray and Segrave, dated at London in his hostel, 10 January, 17 Richard II, granting to her for life an annuity of 10 marks from the issues of his manor of Chawcombe, co. Northampton. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 30. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Adam Ramesey of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 20 November, 12 Richard II, granting to him for life 12*d.* daily.
2. Letters patent dated 15 February, 12 Richard II, granting to him for life 40 marks yearly on an exchange with Anketil Malore.

By p.s. and for 30*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 28. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 21 May, 22 Richard II, granting for life to John Rome 40*l.* yearly at the Exchequer, and grant to him of arrears. By p.s.

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Nov. 2. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Fermyn of Calais of 6*d.* daily at the Exchequer. By p.s.

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Oct. 31. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Ralph Braillesford of the 50*l.* yearly which the bailiffs of the town of Derby render at the Exchequer for the fee-farm of the town. By p.s.

Nov. 1. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight Henry de Percy 'le fitz' of the closes of Inglewode, as John de Skelton had of the grant of Richard II, rendering as much as he did. By p.s.

Nov. 2. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight William Clifford of the manor and town of Ganlowe, co. Flint, which the earl of Salisbury lately had of the grant of Richard II, to hold with mines, issues and profits to the value of 20*l.* yearly. By p.s.

Nov. 4. Westminster. Grant to the king's servant Ralph Fowne of the custody of the lands late of Thomas Preston, 'chivaler,' deceased, in the county of Northampton to the value of 12*l.* yearly during the minority of his kinsman and heir Wymer de Preston, son of Hugh his son, provided that he find a reasonable sustenance for the said heir and maintain the houses, buildings, woods, enclosures and gardens and support all charges. By p.s.

Nov. 3. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Roger Jouderell of letters patent dated 26 January, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life certain lands in Coventre, co. Warwick. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 29. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Wytheley of letters patent dated 10 July, 19 Richard II, granting to him for life 100*s.* yearly, and letters patent dated 15 May, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life a weir called 'la Hornedewere' in the river Thames.
By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 4. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Midilton of letters patent dated 14 December, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life 6*d.* daily.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 26. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Thomas Ryvere of letters patent dated 4 April, 22 Richard II, granting to him for life 10 marks yearly.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 5. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Matlok of letters patent dated 21 October, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life 6*d.* daily.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 30. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Peturborgh of letters patent dated 28 January, 21 Richard II, granting to him for life 10 marks yearly.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 15. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Forster of letters patent dated 17 February, 21 Richard II, granting to him for life 4*d.* daily at the Exchequer, and grant to him of arrears. By p.s.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because the king granted 4d. daily to him for life from the fee-farm of the city of Canterbury on 20 February, 9 Henry IV.

Nov. 4. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Elizabeth, lady of Clifford, Robert, parson of the church of Kirkebythore, and John de Crakenthorpe of letters patent dated 19 May, 22 Richard II, granting to them 100 marks yearly; and grant to them of arrears.
By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

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Nov. 7. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Mackeney of letters patent dated 8 December, 14 Richard II, granting to him for life 10*l.* yearly. By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Vacated by surrender.

Nov. 7. Westminster. Presentation of Alexander Herle, parson of the church of Leven, to the church of Middilton, of the immediate jurisdiction of Robert Manfeld, provost of the collegiate church of St. John, Beverley, and in the diocese of York, on an exchange of churches with Richard Heppell.

MEMBRANE 31.

Oct. 26. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 9 June, 16 Richard II, granting for life to Baldwin de Radyngton 100 marks and a tun of wine yearly. By p.s. and for 4 marks paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 21. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 2 December, 7 Richard II, granting for life to Robert Chalmeley the custody of the castle of Winchester.
2. Letters patent dated 16 February, 20 Richard II, granting for life to Robert Cholmele 40 marks yearly.
3. Letters patent dated 10 February, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life a tun of wine yearly.

By p.s. and for 33*s.* 4*d.* paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 28. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent (*French*) of Edward, duke of Albemarle, earl of Rutland and Cork, constable and admiral of England, dated at Windsor, 8 October, 20 Richard II, granting for life to Robert Hurlebat the keeping of his park of Odiham and wood of Whitmundesle in his lordship there with the accustomed fees and profits, receiving 2*d.* and 1*d.* daily from the issues of the castle and lordship of Odiham. By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 3. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John de Faryngdon of letters patent dated 24 November, 22 Richard II, exemplifying the tenour of letters patent dated 16 June, 3 Richard II. By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 3. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Roger Jouderell of letters patent dated 26 January, 20 Richard II. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Vacated because above.

Nov. 1. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 2 January, 19 Richard II, granting for life to John Skeltoun a purpresture within the forest of Inglewode. For ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

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Nov. 5. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire John Doget of 20*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Nov. 3. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Stephen de Stanhope of the county of Nottingham of the office of 'tolsale' of the city of Dublin in Ireland, which Gerard late the chamberlain of William Lescrope, late earl of Wiltshire, had, with the due fees and profits to the value of 100*s.* yearly. By p.s.

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Nov. 6. Westminster. Grant for life to Walter Baker of the office of keeper of the park and warren of Thistillworth, with the due fees and profits. By p.s.

Oct. 30. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Fekenham of letters patent dated 12 February, 20 Richard II, granting to him 100*s.* yearly during the war with France, and letters patent dated 6 November, 21 Richard II, granting to him for life a tun of wine yearly.
By K. and for 6*s.* 8*d.* paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 10. Westminster. Licence, for 20 marks paid by them in the hanaper, for William de Strikeland, clerk, Thomas de Anlaby, clerk, Thomas de Watton and Ralph de Fryskeney to grant in mortmain the two closes of Hesilspryng and Rethtwhayt containing 40 acres of wood and waste in Westward with common of pasture there and 10 marks rent in Westward, of which the close of Rethtwayt, wood, waste, pasture and rent are held in chief by fealty only and the close of Hesilspryng by the service of rendering 2*d.* yearly at the Exchequer, to two chaplains to celebrate divine service for the good estate of Henry de Percy, earl of Northumberland, and for his soul after death and the souls of Matilda his late consort and Sir Gilbert Umframvill, late earl of Angus, and their ancestors in the chapel of All Saints within the castle of Cokermuth, saving to the king the due services.

Oct. 28. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Clifford of letters patent dated 8 December, 21 Richard II, granting to him for life 40*l.* yearly.
By p.s. and for 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 7. Westminster. Grant for life to Hawisia Shropshire of a tun of Gascon wine yearly in the port of Boston and a livery suitable for her estate yearly at the wardrobe for summer and winter. By p.s.

Nov. 5. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Merston of the office of keeper of the park of Kyrybullok, co. Cornwall, with the due fees and profits.
By p.s.

Nov. 6. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's yeoman William Boley of the office of marshal of the great and petty sessions in South Wales, with the due fees.
By p.s.

Nov. 2. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Chancy of letters patent dated 14 August, 21 Richard II, granting to him for life the fee-farm of the town of Grauntpount, co. Cornwall, to the value of 12*l.* 11*s.* 4*d.*
By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 23 *October,* 8 *Henry IV, the king granted to him* 17*l.* 15*s.* 7*d. yearly from the issues of the hundred of Stone and Cattesassh, co. Somerset, during the minority of the heirs of John, late earl of Huntyngdon.*

Oct. 31. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Thomas Clanvowe and Perin his wife of letters patent dated 14 June, 18 Richard II, granting for life to them 20*l.* yearly and to him 40 marks yearly, and letters patent dated 14 March, 20 Richard II, granting to them for life two tuns of wine yearly.
By p.s. and for 2 marks paid in the hanaper.
Vacated and cancelled so far as concerns the annuities, because the king granted the same to them for life at the Exchequer on 8 *October,* 7 *Henry IV.*

Nov. 3. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of a writing of Ralph, bishop of Bath and Wells, dated at his manor of Banewelle, 2 September, 1393, manumitting his bondwoman Isabel, daughter of Walter Lude of Woky, deceased, and

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wife of Thomas Tanner, citizen and merchant of Wells, with all her goods, and writings of Thomas de Sudburia, doctor of laws, late dean, and the chapter of Wells, dated 4 September, and John, late prior, and the chapter of Bath, dated 6 September, inspecting and confirming the above. For 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 8. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire John de Aske, whom the king has retained, of 40*l.* yearly from the customs of Kyngeston on Hull. By p.s. *Vacated because elsewhere in this year.*

Nov. 10. Westminster. Thomas Boys of London, staying in England, has letters nominating Christopher Holywod and George Fey his attorneys in Ireland for one year. William Roudon, clerk, received the attorneys until his arrival in Ireland.

MEMBRANE 29.

Oct. 28. Westminster. Exemplification, at the supplication of the prior of Stoke, in the diocese of Norwich, of the tenour of the enrolment of letters patent dated 29 July, 19 Richard II, granting that the prior shall be denizen. These letters have been accidentally lost, as Thomas Blokle, fellow monk of the prior, has taken oath in Chancery.

Nov. 4. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 25 August, 9 Richard II, granting for life to John Hay 6*d.* daily. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 30. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Robert de Whiteneye of letters patent dated 14 October, 17 Richard II, granting to him for life 40 marks yearly, and letters patent dated 2 May, 19 Richard II, granting to him for life two tuns of wine yearly. By p.s. and for 23*s.* 4*d.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 5. Westminster Grant for life to the king's servant William Blake, late servant of the king's sister the duchess of Gloucester, deceased, of 4*d.* daily at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Oct. 18. Westminster. Ratification of the estate which the king's clerk John de Walesby has as parson of the church of Walesby, in the diocese of Lincoln, prebendary of Pelton in the collegiate church of Chestre in the Strete, and warden of the free chapel of St. Thomas, Theweng, in the diocese of York. By K.

The like for the following:—

Nov. 10. Westminster. William de Selby, parson of the church of St. Felicitas (Phillack) by Lanant, co. Cornwall, in the diocese of Exeter.

Nov. 8. Westminster. John Gamull, parson of the church of Yevele, in the diocese of Bath and Wells, and prebendary of the prebend called Yeyme in the cathedral church of Hereford and the prebend called Wylmecote in the collegiate church of Tomworthe, in the diocese of Coventry and Lichfield. By p.s.

Richard Roche, parson of the parish church of St. Andrew Hubert in Estchepe, London, in the diocese of London.

John de Elnet, archdeacon of Leicester in the cathedral church of Lincoln, parson of the parish church of Kybworth, and prebendary of South Nowebold in the cathedral church of York, the prebend of Grantham Borealis *alias* Graham in the cathedral church of Salisbury and Ewithyngton in the cathedral church of Hereford. By p.s.

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John Godmanston, parson of the church of Rosse, in the diocese of Hereford and prebendary of Putteston Maior in the cathedral church of Hereford. By p.s.

Oct. 31. Westminster. John Godmanston, chancellor of the cathedral church of St. Paul, London, and prebendary of Havefeld in the cathedral church of Chichester. By p.s.

William Dionys, parson of the church of Bernolby, in the diocese of Lincoln, and vicar of the church of Sturmynstre Marchall, in the diocese of Salisbury. By p.s.

Robert Wermyngton, parson of the church of Wyberton in Holand, in the diocese of Lincoln, and prebendary of Penfoos in the cathedral church of St. Davids. By p.s.

Nov. 9. Westminster. William de Langeton, parson of the parish church of Welles, in the diocese of Norwich, and prebendary of Appeldurham in the free chapel of Bosham, in the diocese of Chichester, and Prustcombe in the collegiate church of Credynton, in the diocese of Exeter. By p.s.

Nov. 11. Westminster. Richard Hals, parson of the church of Warbilton *alias* Warbulton, in the diocese of Chichester.

Nov. 9. Westminster. Henry Illyngworth, parson of the church of Haddeclyf, in the diocese of Lincoln. By p.s.

Nov. 4. Westminster. William Sprotford, parson of the church of Marchwyell, in the diocese of St. Asaph.

Nov. 6. Westminster. Robert de Barton, parson of the church of Wynterslewe, in the diocese of Salisbury.

Nov. 12. Westminster. John de Garton, parson of the church of Croxton, in the diocese of Lincoln.

Nov. 13. Westminster. William Gwyloth, vicar of the parish church of Lyde and master of the chapel of the chantry of Dogoys, in the diocese of Canterbury. By p.s.

Nov. 12. Westminster. John Hunteman, chancellor of the cathedral church of St. Mary, Lincoln, and prebendary of the prebend of Sutton in the Mersshe annexed to the chancellorship. By K.

Hugh Hanworth, prebendary of Dynre in the cathedral church of Wells and warden of the hospital of St. Leonard by Newerk. By K.

Nov. 12. Westminster. Richard Feld, parson of the churches of Ryngwode and Clyve, in the diocese of Worcester, prebendary of Alvetheley in the free chapel of Bruggenorth and Cotoun in the collegiate church of Tamworth, dean of the free chapel of Walyngford and warden of the free chapel of Tykhull. By p.s.

Nov. 12. Westminster. Thomas Bekyngham, parson of the churches of Belton and Brampton, in the diocese of Lincoln, and prebendary of Stratton in the cathedral church of St. Mary, Salisbury. By K.

John Burbache, parson of the church of Bishop's Hampton, in the diocese of Worcester, and prebendary of Gretton in the cathedral church of St. Mary, Lincoln. By K.

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John Kyngton, parson of the church of Iwardeby, in the diocese of Lincoln, and prebendary of Ealdestrete in the cathedral church of St. Paul, London. By K.

Nov. 12. Westminster. Robert Trays, parson of the church of Ulceby Waterles, in the diocese of Lincoln.

Matthew Edenham, parson of the church of Hayford at the Bridge, in the diocese of Lincoln. By K.

Nov. 14. Westminster. Edmund de Lodelowe, parson of the parish church of Wystanstowe, in the diocese of Hereford. By p.s.

Nov. 16. Westminster. William Slotheby, parson of the church of Authorpe, in the diocese of Lincoln.

Nov. 15. Westminster. William Gunthorpe, parson of the church of Fakenhamdam, in the diocese of Norwich, and prebendary of Wyghton in the cathedral church of York, the south part of the church of Grantham in the cathedral church of Salisbury and Norwell Palashall in the collegiate church of Suthwell. By p.s.

Nov. 16. Westminster. Thomas Stowe, archdeacon of Bedeford, prebendary of Holy Cross in the cathedral church of Lincoln and Heyworth in the collegiate church of Salisbury, archdeacon of London and prebendary of Mapesbury in the cathedral church of St. Paul, London. By p.s.

Nov. 19. Westminster. John de Dodyngton, clerk, treasurer of the cathedral church of St. Peter, Exeter. By p.s.

Nov. 17. Westminster Reginald ap Jorwerth, parson of the church of Llandyssull, in the diocese of St. Asaph.

Nov. 11. Westminster. William Rocombe, archdeacon of Worcester. By p.s.

Nov. 12. Westminster. William Langbrok, clerk, treasurer of the cathedral church of Wells and prebendary of Wormestorre in the same. By p.s.

Nov. 5. Westminster. Grant, during pleasure, to the prior and convent of Friars Preachers of Cambridge of 25 marks yearly at the Exchequer of the king's alms, in consideration of like grants by letters patent of Edward III and Richard II. By p.s.

The following have like letters :— By the same writ.
The prior and convent of Friars Preachers of London 20*l.*
The prior and convent of Friars Preachers of Oxford 50 marks.

MEMBRANE 28.

Oct. 27. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Lewis Clifford, 'chivaler,' of the following :—

1. Letters patent dated 28 July, 5 Richard II, granting to him for life two parts of the manor of Meere and certain annuities and inspecting and confirming letters patent (*French*) of the said king when prince dated 25 February, 51 Edward III.
2. Letters patent dated 29 October, 6 Richard II, inspecting and confirming to him for life letters patent (*French*) of Joan, princess of Wales, dated 13 March, 1 Richard II.

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3. Letters patent dated 28 September, 9 Richard II, granting to him for life the third part of the manor of Meere in lieu of another grant.

4. Letters patent dated 16 July, 16 Richard II, granting to him for life four tuns of wine yearly in the port of Bristol.

By p.s. and for 10*l.* paid in the hanaper.

Mandate in pursuance to the king's receiver of Cardygan.

Nov. 2. Westminster. Mandate in pursuance to the king's butler in the port of Bristol.

Nov. 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Stourton of letters patent dated 8 March, 9 Richard II, granting to him for life the custody of the castle and park of Meere with the office of the bailiwick of the hundred there.

By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

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Oct. 24. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the merchants of Almain of letters patent dated 6 November, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming the following:—

1. A charter dated at Windsor, 1 February, 31 Edward I [*Charter Roll, 31 Edward I, No.* 44].

2. A charter dated at Westminster, 14 March, 1 Edward III [*Charter Roll, 1 Edward III, No.* 75].

For 25 marks paid in the hanaper.

Under the condition that the English merchants in the parts of the merchants of Almain when they come there with their merchandise shall be amicably and honestly treated and shall be of like condition and able to traffic freely as the merchants of Almain in England, and the master of the land of Prussia and the governors of the towns of Lubik, Wissemere, Rozstok, Straelsound, Grippeswolde and their adherents shall come before Midsummer before the council to answer the English merchants for injuries and make due restitution, and the merchants of the towns of the Hans shall not receive any stranger to the diminution of the king's custom and no one shall be accepted without letters under the authentic seals of the towns, and if anything to the contrary be done the king with the assent of the council intends to revoke the charter.

Memorandum. On 24 October, 1 Henry IV, the king having viewed and understood the condition assented to it and with his own hands delivered it to Thomas Stanley, keeper of the rolls of Chancery, ordering it to be enrolled to the end that all merchants, denizen and alien, should have fuller notice.

Nov. 7. Westminster. Grant to the king's esquire Henry Lyvermer of the lands, rents and services which Nicholas Colfox had of the grant of Thomas Moubray, late duke of Norfolk, in the town of Barton Segrave, co. Northampton, to hold during the minority of the son and heir of the said Thomas to the value of 20 marks yearly, answering yearly at the Exchequer for any surplus.

By p.s.

Nov. 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 18 October, 8 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 10 October, 50 Edward III, to John Trop.

By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

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Nov. 10. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 22 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent (*French*) of the said king when prince dated 25 February, 51 Edward III, to John Fower.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 14. Westminster. Grant for life to Henry Chancy of Colyngburn, co. Wilts, of the office of warrener of Purbyk, co. Dorset, receiving 6*d.* daily from the issues of the county of Dorset with other due fees and profits, as Gilbert Lancastell, deceased, had. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 25.

Nov. 5. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Robert Kyng of letters patent dated 30 May, 15 Richard II, granting to him for life 6*d.* daily.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 30. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John de Overton of the following:—
1. Letters patent dated 8 November, 14 Richard II, granting to him for life 20*l.* yearly from the issues of the county of York.
2. Letters patent dated 4 January, 15 Richard II, granting to him for life 100*s.* yearly from the same.
3. Letters patent dated 27 July, 18 Richard II, granting to him for life a tun of red wine yearly in the port of Kyngeston on Hull.

And grant to him of all arrears of the annuities.
By K. and for 18*s.* 4*d.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 4. Westminster. Grant during pleasure, to the guardian and convent of Friars Minor of Cambridge of 25 marks yearly at the Exchequer of the king's alms, as granted to them by letters patent on 29 February, 8 Richard II, with arrears from that date. By p.s.

Nov. 7. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 24 November, 17 Richard II, granting for life to John Trailly, 'chivaler,' 40*l.* yearly at the Exchequer, and grant to him of arrears.
By K. and for 30*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 4. Westminster. Grant for life to William Robert of the office of the king's plumber with wages of 12*d.* daily at the Exchequer and a livery of cloth for his vesture yearly at the hands of the keeper of the great wardrobe, as other esquires of the household have. By p.s.

Nov. 9. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's mother Katharine, late the wife of the king's father, of four tuns of wine yearly from the king's prise in the town of Kyngeston on Hull. By p.s.

Nov. 4. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William, lord of Wylughby, of letters patent dated 5 September, 23 Richard II, granting to him the manors of Walton in Culneys, co. Suffolk, and Dovercourt and Herwych, co. Essex, during the minority of Thomas Moubray son of Thomas Moubray, late earl Marshal; and grant to him of the manors during the said minority or so long as they shall remain in the king's hands by the forfeiture of the said earl, with wards, marriages, reliefs, escheats, knights' fees, advowsons of churches exceeding the tax of 20 marks and other due profits.
By p.s. and for 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 1. Westminster. Writ of aid for the king's clerk William Dionys, whom the king has appointed during pleasure as clerk of the works within the palace of Westminster, the Tower of London, the castles of Berkamstede, Walyngford,

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Vise, Ledes, Rokyngham, Notyngham, Odiham, the manors of Kenyngton, Eltham, Claryngton, Shene, Sutton, Biflete, Childernlangley, Wodestok, Esthamstede, Haveryng atte Boure, Henley on le Heth, Cosham, Bekkele, Clippeston, Istelworde, the lodge of Beckeswode and the lodge of Hathebergh and the New Forest and for the works of the lodges, gardens, stanks, mills, houses, enclosures and parks pertaining to them, with power to take stone-cutters, carpenters and other workmen and labourers and stone, timber, tiles, shingles, glass, iron, lead and other necessaries, to make payments, to arrest and imprison all who depart without licence and to sell boughs, bark and other residues of trees.

By bill of the treasurer.

Oct. 30. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 7 March, 20 Richard II, granting for life to Thomas Swynburn the lordship of Hammes. By p.s. and for 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

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Oct. 17. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of the following :—

1. Letters patent dated 24 May, 11 Richard II, inspecting and confirming to the prior and convent of Friars Preachers of Langeley various letters patent of Edward II and Edward III.
2. Letters patent dated 12 February, 17 Richard II, granting in frank-almoin to the prioress and convent of Derteford the advowson of the church of Wylye by Baldok, co. Hertford, for the use of the said Friars Preachers.
3. Letters patent of the same date granting licence for the acquisition in mortmain by the said prioress and convent of the advowson of the church of Great Gaddesden, co. Hertford, for the use of the said Friars Preachers.
4. Letters patent dated 24 April, 22 Richard II, granting divers manors and lands to the said prioress and convent for the use of the said prior and friars. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 23.

Nov. 5. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of the following :—

1. Letters patent dated 25 March, 16 Richard II, granting for life to Thomas Stoute 5 marks yearly.
2. Letters patent dated 24 October, 22 Richard II, granting to him for life 100*s.* yearly.
3. Letters patent dated 15 December, 22 Richard II, releasing to him and Agnes his wife a rent of 32*s.* yearly.

And grant to him of all arrears of the annuities.

By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 2. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Elmham of letters patent dated 16 April, 22 Richard II, granting to him for life two tuns of wine yearly. By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 3. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 16 August, 3 Richard II, being an exemplification of letters patent, which have been accidentally lost, dated 27 July, 3 Richard II, granting to Julian late the wife of Eustace Carsomer 10 marks yearly.

By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because the king granted to her 10*l. yearly for life at the hands of the treasurer of Calais on* 1 *December,* 8 *Henry IV.*

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Nov. 7. Westminster. Grant for life to John Perschote, esquire, of the office of keeper of the park of Blakedon within the chace of Cranbourne, co. Dorset, with all due fees and profits, which Roger, late earl of March, deceased, granted to him for life by letters patent and from which he was wrongfully expelled by virtue of a grant by Richard II to another of the same office as forfeited, because the said John used to dwell with Thomas de Mortymer, knight, deceased. By p.s.

Oct. 25. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Henry Kirkestede of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 18 December, 2 Richard II, granting to him for life 5 marks and 10*l.* yearly.
2. Letters patent dated 22 October, 7 Richard II, granting to him for life the custody of the castle and park of Tremeton.

By p.s. and for 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 4. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Thomas Hynkeley of the office of constable of the king's castle of Shrewsbury with the accustomed fees and profits, as Hugh Cheyny, 'chivaler,' had, viz. with wages of 6½*d.* daily from the issues of the county of Salop. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 22.

Nov. 5. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the burgesses of Wych, co. Worcester, of letters patent dated 20 February, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Westminster, 19 December, 4 Edward III [*Charter Roll, 4 Edward III, No.* 22], inspecting and confirming with additions a charter dated at Bridgnorth, 1 August, 17 John. [*Rotuli Chartarum, p.* 216.] For 60*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 5. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John de Scalby of letters patent dated 1 November, 1 Henry IV (*see p.* 62), being an exemplification of letters patent dated 20 January, 14 Richard II. By p.s. and for 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 12. Westminster. Exemplification of the tenour of the enrolment of letters patent dated 28 February, 15 Richard II, granting to Henry Lescrope, 'chivaler,' and his heirs the manor of Faxflete, co. York, and 10 marks of rent and 20*l.* yearly. These letters have been accidentally lost, as the king's clerk Nicholas Bubbewyth has testified in Chancery.

Oct. 28. Westminster. Exemplification, at the request of William de Stapilton, of the tenour of the enrolment of letters patent dated 10 June, 10 Richard II, granting for life to him and Mary his mother certain closes within the forest of Ingelwode.

Nov. 5. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Thomas de Fisshebourne of letters patent dated 18 April, 7 Richard II, granting to him for life 10 marks yearly. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

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Nov. 4. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Richard Merschton of letters patent dated 14 July, 18 Richard II, granting to him for life 6*d.* daily. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 5. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's mother Joan de Bohun, countess of Hereford, that she may dwell in the king's castle of Rouchestre, with free

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ingress and egress, and may have the custody of the castle in the absence of William Darundell, knight. By p.s.

Nov. 5. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Thomas Herpecote *alias* Harpecote of letters patent dated 20 August, 9 Richard II, granting to him for life 6*d.* daily, and letters patent dated 20 September, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life 10 acres of arable land. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 4. Westminster. Grant, during pleasure, to the guardian and convent of the Friars Minors of Oxford of 50 marks yearly at the Exchequer of the king's alms, in continuation of grants by letters patent dated 27 September, 1 Edward II, and 30 May, 1 Richard II, with arrears from the said 30 May. By p.s.

Inspeximus and confirmation to John de Lovell of letters patent dated 4 October, 21 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent under the great seal of Ireland dated 20 April, 18 Richard II. By p.s. and for 6 marks paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 10. Westminster. Commission, during pleasure, to Eustace Kymer of the office of the tronage and pesage of wools in the port of Melcombe and ports and places adjacent, receiving the accustomed fees. By bill of the treasurer.

Nov. 8. Westminster. Grant to the king's son Henry, prince of Wales, of all debts, arrears of debts, rents and fee-farms due to the king within the principality of Wales and in the duchy of Cornwall and the county of Chester which he has not yet granted to other persons. By p.s.

Nov. 10. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Edmund Mercer of Lancastre of 6*d.* daily at the exchequer of Dublin in Ireland. By p.s.

Oct. 30. Westminster. Grant for life to David Rouclif, whom the king has retained for life, of 40 marks yearly from the issues of the county of York. By p.s.
Vacated because otherwise in the third year.

Nov. 7. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Richard Lanchestre of letters patent dated 8 April, 22 Richard II, granting to him for life an office within the castle of Wyndesore. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 4. Westminster. Pardon to John Wyseman for having on Thursday, 7 February, 21 Richard II, come with many evildoers to the house of John Maude in the town of Peterborough, where one John Seymper was arrested by John Clerc, then bailiff of the town, and Richard his son by virtue of his office, and assaulted and killed the said John Seymper by night. By p.s.

Nov. 12. Westminster. Grant to the king's servant Thomas Hoccleve, one of the clerks of the office of the privy seal, for his good service for a long time in that office, of 10*l.* yearly at the Exchequer in increase of his estate for life or until he shall be promoted by the king to a benefice without cure of the value of 20*l.* yearly. By p.s.

Nov. 12. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Goldyng and Richard Brancet of letters patent dated 24 April, 19 Richard II, granting to them for life 100*s.* yearly, and grant to them of all arrears. By K. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

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Oct. 30. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire John Swelle of the office of parker of the park of Langele, co. Kent, with the fees belonging thereto. By p.s.

Oct. 28. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Peek of 20 marks yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Oct. 30. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Thomas Wrench of 40 marks yearly from the issues of the county of Essex. By p.s.

Nov. 2. Westminster. Grant to Thomas Hassok of the custody of the lands late of John son of Thomas Garwynton of Welle, tenant in chief of Richard II by knight-service, during the minority of William his kinsman and heir with the marriage of the latter without disparagement to the value of 20 marks yearly, finding a competent sustenance for the heir and maintaining the houses, buildings, enclosures and woods without waste and supporting the services and charges. By p.s.

Oct. 31. Westminster. Grant to Robert Wolvenden of the prebend of the altar of St. Stephen in the collegiate church of St. John, Beverley. By p.s.
Mandate in pursuance to R. archbishop of York. By the same writ.
Mandate in pursuance to the chapter. By the same writ.

Oct. 31. Westminster. Grant for life to Marjory Lodewyk of 60*l.* yearly at the Exchequer, two tuns of wine yearly in the port of London and three bucks yearly in the king's park of Haveryng; in lieu of certain grants surrendered by her, viz. a grant to her for life by the king's uncle the late prince of Wales of 20*l.* at the exchequer of Chester, a grant by Richard II of 40*l.* yearly at the Exchequer and a tun of wine in the said port and a grant by Anne, late queen of England, of a tun of wine in the said port and three bucks at the said park. By p.s.

Oct. 25. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Thomas Godeston of letters patent dated 1 February, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life the office of the high bailiwick of the county of Guynes in the march of Picardy and the office of victualler of the castle of Guynes.
By p.s. and for 2½ marks paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 1. Westminster. Licence for John, bishop of Hereford, to found a perpetual chantry at the altar of St. Mary in the collegiate church of Ledebury of a chaplain to celebrate divine service for the good estate of the king and the said bishop and for their souls after death and the souls of the king's progenitors, and to grant in mortmain to the chaplain 10 marks worth of land or rent within the lordship which he holds of the king in chief. By p.s.

Nov. 1. Westminster. Exemplification of the tenour of letters patent dated 20 January, 14 Richard II, granting for life to John de Scalby 40 marks yearly from the issues of the county of Lincoln. These letters have been accidentally lost, as he has taken oath in Chancery.

Nov. 2. Westminster. Grant for life to Walter Hungerford, 'chivaler,' of the manor and barton of Marlebergh with the mills and hundred of Selkele and 'housbote' and 'heybote' in the forest of Savernak and pasture for as many oxen, cows, bullocks and pigs within the forest as can be supported at the barton in winter and the warren there and the profit of the same with the custody of the castle there and the rights, franchises, liberties and other commodities belonging to the castle, manor and barton, rendering to the king 120*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

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Nov. 7. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Richard Kyng of letters patent dated 5 February, 12 Richard II, granting to him for life 6*d.* daily. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 4. Westminster. Licence, for 5*l.* paid in the hanaper, for John Robertson of Knaresburgh to grant in mortmain two messuages and a carucate and ten acres of land in Frerelofthous and Little Rybstane, not held in chief, worth 33*s.* 4*d.* yearly, as found by an inquisition taken before John de Routhe, late escheator of the late king, to Robert Wayte, chaplain, to celebrate divine service daily for the good estate of the said John and for his soul after death and the souls of his ancestors and benefactors in the chapel of St. Edmund in the church of Knaresburgh.

Nov. 11. Westminster. Exemplification of the tenour of the enrolment of letters patent dated 20 July, 21 Richard II, granting to John Cope and his heirs and assigns the reversion of the site of the manor of Deneshangre, co. Northampton, and other premises. These letters have been accidentally lost, as he has taken oath in Chancery.

Nov. 11. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Thomas Sy of the office of verger of the company of 'la Garter' within the castle of Wyndesore with the custody of the mantles of the company, with the accustomed fees from the revenues of the castle. By p.s.
Vacated because elsewhere in this year.

Nov. 12. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Paunton of 6*d.* daily from the petty custom of the city of London. By p.s.

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Nov. 4. Westminster. Grant to John Gresley of the office of parker of the park of Gayteley in the marches of Wales during the minority of the son and heir of the earl of March with the due fees and other profits. By p.s.

Oct. 28. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Henry Lescrope of letters patent dated 27 March, 19 Richard II, granting to him for life 40*l.* yearly. By p.s. and for 2 marks paid in the hanaper.
Vacated because elsewhere below.

Nov. 4. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 20 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 11 November, 50 Edward III, to William Mason. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 7. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Robert de Hilton, whom the king has retained for life, of 32*l.* yearly from the custom of the town of Kyngeston on Hull. By p.s.
Vacated because elsewhere in this year.

Nov. 6. Westminster. Presentation of William Elkytsale, parson of the church of Elyngham, in the diocese of Norwich, to the prebend of Holyngton in the king's chapel of Hastynges, in the diocese of Chichester, on an exchange of benefices with Thomas Hilton. By p.s.

Oct. 30. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Richard Hembrugge of letters patent dated 7 October, 16 Richard II, granting to him for life 23*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* yearly; and grant to him of arrears. By K. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

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Nov. 7. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Richard Robert of the office of 'waterbailly' of Plymmouth with the accustomed fees and profits. By p.s.

Oct. 31. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 29 January, 16 Richard II, granting for life to Robert Cole certain offices within the forest of Kynvare. By p.s. and for 13*s.* 4*d.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 8. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight Robert Fraunceys of 54*l.* from the fee-farm of the town of Notyngham and 8*l.* from the increment yearly. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 16 *November,* 8 *Henry IV, by letters patent under the seal of the duchy of Lancaster the king granted to him for life* 40*l. yearly from the lordship of Newcastle under Lyme, co. Stafford, within the honour of Tuttebury.*

Nov. 8. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire John Waterton, brother of the king's knight Hugh de Waterton, of a tun of Gascon wine yearly of the king's prise in the port of Kyngeston on Hull. By p.s.

Vacated because elsewhere in this year.

Nov. 2. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Benson of Warsop of the custody of the manor of Clypiston and the park there with the accustomed fees and profits, as William Sendal had. By p.s.

Nov. 5. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Elming Leget of 20*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Nov. 8. Westminster. Grant for life to Peter Gyles, clerk, son of John Gyles of Dover, of 10*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

The like to John Gyles of Dover. By p.s.

Nov. 5. Westminster. Grant to Alice late the wife of Roger de Beurley, esquire, of the custody of all lands with rents, services, fees and advowsons exceeding the tax of 20 marks in England and Wales late of the said Roger during the minority of John his son and heir with the marriage of the latter without disparagement, finding a competent sustenance for the heir and maintaining the houses, buildings, woods, enclosures and gardens without waste and supporting all charges. By p.s.

Nov. 7. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 20 August, 9 Richard II, granting for life to John Alayn 6*d.* daily. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 12. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Wilcotes of letters patent dated 14 June, 18 Richard II, granting to him for life 38*l.* yearly. By p.s. and for 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

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Nov. 7. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 24 April, 22 Richard II, granting to Simon Felbrigg the manors of Ledecoumbe Regis, co. Berks, Offord Clugny, co. Huntingdon, and Manton and Tykesore, co. Rutland, to hold during the war with France, rendering as much as Gilbert Talbot did; provided that he render at the Exchequer 40 marks further yearly. By p.s.

Nov. 4. Westminster. Grant for life to John Daras of the office of steward of Morf and Shirlet, which Thomas Grene had of the grant of Richard II, with the accustomed fees and profits. By p.s.

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Oct. 29. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Thomas Hauteyn of letters patent dated 11 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 4 May, 41 Edward III. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 4. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Haukeswell of letters patent dated 11 July, 19 Richard II, granting to him for life 6*d.* daily at the Exchequer. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 11 *August,* 6 *Henry IV, the king granted to him all lands, rents and services in Sessay, Heton, Brompton, Thurkilby, Allerton, Thornton, Catton, Kilburn and Thersk, co. York, late of George Darell, to hold for life to the value of* 18*l. yearly.*

Nov. 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Henry Ivelcombe of letters patent dated 25 January, 22 Richard II, granting to him the custody of lands late of Isabel Cornewaill during the minority of Thomas son of David Hendore her son. By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 6. Westminster. Revocation of letters patent dated 28 October last granting for life to the king's esquire James Clifford the office of keeper of the forest of Bradene, co. Wilts; because Richard II by letters patent, confirmed by the king on 28 October, granted the reversion of the office on the death of Robert Dynglee to his uncle Edmund, duke of York, and Isabel his wife, now deceased, and Edward, earl of Rutland, for life. By K.

Nov. 12. Westminster. Grant, during pleasure, with the assent of the council, to Seman de Tonge of the office of victualler of the castle of Dover, receiving as much as other occupants of the office. By p.s.

Nov. 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 16 June, 13 Richard II, granting for life to John Lettreford 6*d.* daily and a robe yearly. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 5. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Stokeleye of letters patent dated 23 November, 20 Richard II, and 30 January, 22 Richard II, each granting to him for life 10*l.* yearly; and grant to him of arrears for the past year. By K. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 28. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Nicholas Lary of letters patent dated 18 February, 19 Richard II, granting to him for life 100*s.* yearly, and letters patent dated 25 February, 22 Richard II, granting to him for life the office of porter of the castle of Wyndesore. By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

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Oct. 17. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the prior and chapter provincial of the order of Friars Preachers in England of letters patent dated 22 February, 8 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 3 April, 51 Edward III, granting to them 20*l.* yearly; and grant that they shall have the arrears of the said 20*l.* for their last chapter held at the city of London. By p.s.

Oct. 17. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the prior and Friars Preachers of Childerlangele of letters patent dated 20 November, 4 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 12 April, 32 Edward III. By p.s.

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Nov. 9. Westminster. Presentation of William Catoun to the parish church of Barton, in the diocese of Lincoln.

Nov. 7. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Forester of Lincoln of the office of bailiff in eyre in the county of Lincoln with the accustomed fees and profits. By p.s.

Nov. 6. Westminster. Grant for life to Richard Arundell, 'chivaler,' of 100 marks yearly at the Exchequer, in lieu of a like grant by letters patent of Richard II, surrendered. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 16 *July*, 6 *Henry IV, the king granted to him the alien priory of Wylmyngton, co. Sussex, and all lands and possessions pertaining to it to hold for life so long as it should remain in the king's hands by reason of the war with France to the value of* 200 *marks yearly.*

Nov. 5. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 23 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 8 November, 50 Edward III, to Richard Banell. By p.s. and for 6*s.* 8*d.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 9. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 24 October, 14 Richard II, granting for life to William Brauncepath 10*l.* yearly.
2. Letters patent dated 20 March, 16 Richard II, granting to him for life 10*l.* yearly.
3. Letters patent dated 14 March, 22 Richard II, granting to him for life 20 marks yearly.
4. Letters patent dated 18 September, 16 Richard II, granting for life to him and Margaret his wife 10*l.* yearly.

By p.s. and for 26*s.* 8*d.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 11. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Thurstan de Mydelton, whom the king has retained for life, of 20*l.* yearly from the issues of the manor of Haveryng, co. Essex. By p.s.

Nov. 7. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Roger Wyse of letters patent dated 15 November, 21 Richard II, granting to him for life 6*d.* daily. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 20 September, 22 Richard II, granting for life to Thomas de Staveley 20 marks yearly. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Vacated by surrender.

Nov. 4. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Edward, earl of Rutland, of letters patent dated 26 April, 20 Richard II, appointing him for life justice and keeper of the New Forest and the other forests south of the Trent. By p.s.

Nov. 12. Westminster. Grant to John Pilton of the office of parker of the park of Knap, co. Sussex, with wages of 2*d.* daily and other due commodities during the minority of Thomas son and heir of Thomas, late earl of Nottingham. By p.s.

Nov. 12. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight John de Annesley, whom the king has retained for life, of 100 marks yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Nov. 12. Westminster. Pardon to William Chaunse of Folkyngham for the death of John Ferrowe of Folkyngham at Folkyngham on Wednesday before St. Denis the Martyr, 22 Richard II. By p.s.

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Oct. 28. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Henry Lescrope of letters patent dated 27 March, 19 Richard II, granting to him for life 40*l.* yearly.
By p.s. and for 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 1. Westminster. Grant for life to John Orwell, esquire, of the custody of the king's castle and lordship of Sandgate with fees, profits, lands, meadows, pastures, woods, rents, services and other commodities according to the form of an indenture made between him and the king. By K.

Nov. 6. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Snokshull of 20*l.* yearly from the issues of the counties of Huntingdon and Cambridge. By p.s.

Nov. 4. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's clerk John Blaby of the office of clerk of the statute merchant of Norhampton with the custody of the counterseal of rolls and muniments pertaining to the office, with the fees and profits belonging to the same. By p.s.

Oct. 24. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Donne of letters patent dated 5 December, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life 10*l.* yearly.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 6. Westminster. Whereas William Asthorpe, 'chivaler,' was seised in his demesne as of fee of the manors of Sampford Peverell and Alre Peverell, co. Devon, held in chief, which should revert to the king because the said William was a bastard and died without heir, the king, at the supplication of John Hull, one of his justices, commits to him the custody of the manors, rendering the extent yearly at the Exchequer. And if the manors shall be adjudged to the king the said John and other persons to be nominated by him shall have them to themselves and their heirs and assigns for a certain sum of money to be agreed upon with the council. By K.

Nov. 6. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Wyot of letters patent (*French*) of Edward, earl of Rutland, signed with his signet in the absence of his seal, dated at Lychefeld, 4 January, 22 Richard II, granting to him for life the offices of controller and surveyor of the works within the manor and park of Woddestok and gardener and keeper of the meadows there, with the due fees and profits.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 6. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 24 February, 27 Edward III, granting for life to Richard Engleis and Alice his wife the office of gauger of wines in the town of Bristol.
2. Letters patent dated 6 March, 28 Edward III, granting to them for life the serjeanty of the sea water within the liberty of the town of Bristol, as granted by queen Philippa.
3. Letters patent (*French*) of queen Philippa dated at Mortlake, 6 October, 27 Edward III, granting to them for life the reversion of the same on the death of Robert Guyen.
4. Letters patent dated 23 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming the said letters patent of Edward III.

And grant that the said Alice shall have the office and serjeanty for life, and after her death they shall remain to Thomas Hunsome for life, and licence for her to grant her estate therein to him. By p.s.

Nov. 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 20 September, 22 Richard II, granting for life to Ralph de Staveley 20*l.* yearly.
By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

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Nov. 6. Westminster. Exemplification, at the request of John Gyles, mayor of Dover, and John Moryn, of letters patent dated 4 May, 4 Richard II, exemplifying an article (*French*) in an ordinance in Parliament, 9 Edward III, that no pilgrim pass out of the realm except at Dover.

Nov. 4. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 8 April, 19 Richard II, granting for life to Roger Boston 3*d.* daily.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 13. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Tylneye of 6*d.* daily from the great custom of wools in the port of Lenne. By p.s.

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Nov. 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Philip de Courtenay and Anne his wife of letters patent dated 26 May, 17 Richard II, granting to them for life 200*l.* yearly; and grant to them of arrears.
By K. and for 6 marks paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 8. Westminster. Grant for life to the said Philip and Anne, in furtherance of like grants by Richard II, of the manor of Dertemore with all profits of the forest of Dertemore pertaining to it and the herbage of the forest, parcel of the manor, the borough and manor of Bradenassh with fees, advowsons, waifs, strays, fines of towns and other things pertaining to them, and the reversion of the park, mills, fisheries, land, meadow and pasture in the said manor of Bradenassh which William Corby and Agnes his wife hold for life. By K. and for 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 10. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Paperill of letters patent dated 4 February, 21 Richard II, granting to him for life 100*s.* yearly.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 7. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Richard Hamme of letters patent dated 27 July, 19 Richard II, granting for life to him and William Devyas the custody of the park of Kenyngton by Kyngeston on Thames, and letters patent dated 16 June, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life 10*l.* yearly.
By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because with his assent the king granted the custody to Henry Somer for life on 29 February, 10 Henry IV.

Nov. 4. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 25 August, 9 Richard II, granting for life to Warin Coton 6*d.* daily.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 11. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire John Ayschell, whom the king has retained for life, of the castle of Emelyn in South Wales with all accustomed profits, rents and services to the value of 80 marks yearly, as Simon Burley, 'chivaler,' deceased, had, provided that he answer for any surplus at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Nov. 12. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Peter Stanter of letters patent dated 30 May, 16 Richard II, granting for life to him and Elizabeth his wife 40*l.* yearly at the exchequer of Kermerdyn.
By p.s. and for 2 marks paid in the hanaper.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 20 November the king granted to him 40l. yearly for life from the issues of the county of Wilts.

Nov. 13. Westminster. Presentation of Richard Herman to the church of Theberton, in the diocese of Norwich. By p.s.

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Nov. 18. Westminster. Grant for life to Lawrence de Merbury, esquire, whom the king has retained for life, of 20*l.* yearly from the customs and cokets of the town of Droughda in Ireland. By p.s.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 3 *June,* 7 *Henry IV, the king granted to him* 30*l. yearly for life from the fee-farm of the city of Waterford.*

Nov. 12. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Terynton and Ellen Swynford of letters patent dated 23 November, 22 Richard II, granting to them for life 20 marks yearly as a marriage portion.
By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

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Feb. 18. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight John Dalyngregge of 100 marks yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

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Nov. 9. Westminster. Grant to John, lord of Darcy, of the 66*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* yearly which the lady of Grey of Wilton is bound to pay to the king during the minority of Richard her son and heir. By p.s.

Nov. 18. Westminster. Grant for life to Robert Machon of Gowshill in Lyndeseye of 6*d.* daily from the custom of the town of Hull. By p.s.
Vacated because otherwise in the third year.

Nov. 12. Westminster. Grant for life to Philip Dawe of 6*d.* daily from the customs in the port of Ipswich. By p.s.

Nov. 6. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Geddyng of letters patent dated 28 October, 6 Richard II, granting to him for life 10 marks yearly, and letters patent dated 12 June, 9 Richard II, granting to him for life 40 marks yearly. By p.s. and for 2 marks paid in the hanaper.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because with his assent on 11 *January,* 3 *Henry IV, the king granted the annuities for life to William Loveney, esquire, keeper of the great wardrobe.*

Nov. 14. Westminster. Grant to the king's son Thomas de Lancastre, steward of England, in increase of his estate, of the issues, profits and arrears of the manor and members of Brustwyk before Michaelmas last and from thence to 2 September next. By p.s.

Nov. 10. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Richard Holm of letters patent dated 7 March, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life 100 marks yearly on the surrender of other letters patent.
By p.s. and for 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 11. Westminster. Grant for life to Gerard Braybrok, knight, whom the king has retained for life, of 40*l.* yearly from the issues of the counties of Bedford and Buckingham, in lieu of a like grant to him from the issues of the lordship of Cestre by letters patent of the king's uncle the prince, surrendered.
By p.s.

Nov. 18. Westminster. Whereas John de Harleston, Thomas Sees and John Saunby of Lincoln, merchants, about Martinmas, 19 Richard II, shipped certain wools and wool-fells in the port of Kyngeston on Hull to take to the staple of Calais, the customs and subsidies amounting to 153*l.* 8*s.* 4*d.* (*sic*), for which sum they were bound to the late king, and these were unfortunately sunk and lost at sea, and the said sum was to be paid at the rate of 20 marks yearly at

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the Exchequer, and 33*l.* 10*s.* have been paid and 120*l.* 8*s.* 4*d.* remain to be paid and the said John de Harleston and Thomas and Agnes, late the wife of the said John Saunby and executrix of his will, have been summoned to answer for the same, the king hereby pardons to them this sum and all that pertains to him. By K.

Nov. 10. Westminster. Appointment of John Godmanston, clerk, to repair the great hall within the palace of Westminster and the outer gate of the palace and to take stone-cutters, carpenters and other workmen and labourers and stone, timber, tiles, shingles, iron, lead and other necessaries and carriage for the same, receiving fees at the discretion of the treasurer.
By bill of the treasurer.

Appointment of Hugh Harland to control the repair and the purveyance and the payments made by the said John and to testify on his account at the Exchequer. By the same bill.

Nov. 12. Westminster. Grant for life to Alice Barry, for her good service to the king's mother, deceased, of a livery yearly at the hands of the keeper of the great wardrobe as other damsels of the household of her estate have, and two tuns of wine yearly at the hands of the chief butler. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 13.

Nov. 13. Westminster. Restoration of the priory of St. Mary Magdalen, Barnastapel, in the diocese of Exeter, with all its possessions to Simon Ocle, who has been admitted prior, and his successors, rendering yearly to the king during the war with France the ancient apport due in time of peace to the chief house of the priory in the parts beyond the seas, supporting the monks and others to the number of the first foundation, paying to the king the tenths, fifteenths and other subsidies granted by the clergy and commonalty of the realm and supporting other charges, provided that he answer for all arrears of the farm of the priory before this date.
[*Fœdera.*] By K.

The like of the following:—

The priory of Lodres, in the diocese of Salisbury, to Sampson Trigal, professed monk of the monastery of St. Mary, Montebourg, in the diocese of Coutances. By K.

Nov. 14. Westminster. The priory of St. Michael's Mount in Cornwall, in the diocese of Exeter, to Richard Auncel, monk of the abbey of Tavystok.
By K.

Nov. 13. Westminster. The alien priory of Blythe, in the diocese of York. By K.

Nov. 14. Westminster. The alien priory of Holy Trinity, in the diocese of York, to John de Castello *alias* Eschall, instituted prior by his abbot. By K.

Nov. 13. Westminster. The priory of Moddebury, in the diocese of Exeter, to John Rogery, monk of the monastery of St. Mary of St. Pierre sur Dive, of the order of St. Benedict, in the diocese of Séez. By K.

Nov. 15. Westminster. The alien priory of Andevere, in the diocese of Winchester, to Nicholas Gwyn. By K.

Nov. 14. Westminster. The priory of Montacute, in the diocese of Bath and Wells, to Francis de Baugiaco, instituted prior by the abbot of Cluny, quit of any payment to the king or the earl of Salisbury except the ancient apport etc. By K.

Membrane 18—*cont.*

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Nov. 18. Westminster. The alien priory of Folkeston, in the diocese of Canterbury, to Nicholas Chiriton. By K.

The priory of Hagh, in the diocese of Lincoln, to Richard de Beaugrave, canon of the monastery of St. Mary de Voto by Cherbourg, of the order of St. Augustine, in the diocese of Coutances. By K.

Nov. 15. Westminster. The alien priory of Lynton, in the diocese of Ely, to Nicholas Monfrei. By K.

Nov. 18. Westminster. The priory of St. Neot, of the order of St. Benedict, in the diocese of Lincoln, to William de Sancto Vedasto. By K.

Oct. 14. Westminster. The alien priory of St. Andrew, Northampton, in the diocese of Lincoln. By K.

Nov. 18. Westminster. The alien priory of Lire Ocle, in the diocese of Hereford, to Ralph Maylot. By K.

Nov. 24. Westminster. The alien priory of St Mary, Caresbrok, in the Isle of Wight, in the diocese of Winchester, to Thomas de Walle Osoul. By K.

Nov. 18. Westminster. The alien priory of Lapley, in the diocese of Coventry and Lichfield, to John Bally. By K.

Nov. 26. Westminster. The alien priory of St. James by Exeter, in the diocese of Exeter, to John Thetford. By K.

Nov. 18. Westminster. The priory of Stocursy, in the diocese of Bath and Wells, to Richard Amys, monk of the monastery of St. Mary, Lonlay, of the order of St. Benedict, in the diocese of Le Mans. By K.

Nov. 16. Westminster. The priory of St. Mary, Monmouth, in Wales, to Robert Warde, the priory being conventual, as the king's clerk Master John Prophete, dean of the cathedral church of Hereford, William Lucy, 'chivaler,' steward of the lordship of Monemouth, and John Leventhorp, esquire, have testified in Chancery. By K.

Dec. 5. Westminster. The priory of St. Helen in the Isle of Wight, in the diocese of Winchester, to Hugh Borrey, instituted prior by his prior. By K.

Dec. 6. Westminster. The alien priory of Tykeford by Neuport Paynell, in the diocese of Lincoln, to John Drieu. By K.

Dec. 21. Westminster. The alien priory of Tuttebury, in the diocese of Coventry and Lichfield, to John Bellocier. By K.

Dec. 22. Westminster. The alien priory of St. Nicholas, Pembroke, in the diocese of St. Davids, to Gervase le Brek. By K.

Dec. 29. Westminster. The priory of Kirkeby Monachorum, in the diocese of Coventry and Lichfield, to John Godinier, monk of the order of St. Benedict. By K. on the information of John Robosard, 'chivaler.'

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Jan. 12. Westminster. The alien priory of St. Mary, Lancastre, in the diocese of York, to Giles Lonnell. By K.

Jan. 26. Westminster. The alien priory of Hynkelaye, in the diocese of Lincoln, to Michael Aufri. By K.

Membrane 13—*cont.*

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Feb. 11. Westminster. The priory of St. Mary, Striguil, in the diocese of Llandaff, to Simon de Bristoll. By K.

Feb. 11. Westminster. The priory of Totnes, in the diocese of Exeter, to Thomas Swynford, late monk of the monastery of St. Andrew, Norhampton, of the Cluniac order, in the diocese of Lincoln. By K.

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Feb. 16. Westminster. The priory of Bergeveny, in the diocese of Llandaff, to William Paytrau. By K.

Feb. 12. Westminster. The priory of Cowyk, in the diocese of Exeter, to John de Bourgeauvyll, priest, of the order of St. Benedict, in the monastery of St. Mary, Bec Helluyny, in the diocese of Rouen. By K.

March 31. Westminster. The priory of St. Mary, Goldcliff, in the diocese of Llandaff, to German de Sancto Vaddasto, monk of the monastery of St. Mary, Bec Hulleyni, of the order of St. Benedict, in the diocese of Rouen (*Bathom'*). By K.

March 19. Westminster. The priory of Trewerdrayth, in the diocese of Exeter, to John Maslyn, priest, of the order of St. Benedict, in the monastery of St. Mary of St. Pierre sur Dive, in the diocese of Séez. By K.

May 26. Westminster. The priory of Alverton, in the diocese of York, to Guy de Ruppe, monk of Marmoutiers les Tours. By K.

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MEMBRANE 11.

Nov. 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 6 March, 3 Richard II, confirming letters patent dated 12 November, 38 Edward III, to Richard Benet, parson of the parish church in the castle of Dover. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 10. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 27 January, 14 Richard II, granting for life to John Filkoc that he shall be ranger of the forest of Saucy, co. Northampton.
2. Letters patent dated 29 September, 21 Richard II, granting to the same by the name of John Horton the livery of the crown.

By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 11. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Roger Smert, whom the king has retained for life, of 20 marks yearly at the hands of the sheriff of Warwick. By p.s.

Vacated because below.

Oct. 16. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Richard Mawardyn of 10*l.* yearly from the issues of the county of Wilts. By p.s.

Vacated because in the third year.

Nov. 7. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire John Cophill, whom the king has retained for life, of 20*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

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Inspeximus and confirmation to Richard Crowe of letters patent dated 1 February, 22 Richard II, granting to him for life 7½*d.* daily.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because with his assent on 30 *October,* 8 *Henry IV, the king granted the same for life to John Fouler, clerk of the chief butler.*

Nov. 10. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Robert Passemer of 10*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 20 *December,* 5 *Henry IV, under the seal of the duchy of Lancaster the king granted to him the mill of Wottokessadra, co. Stafford, and the bailiwick and common bakery of the town to the value of* 20*l. yearly to hold for life or until the king should make other provision for his estate.*

Nov. 4. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Banastre of letters patent dated 11 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 11 November, 50 Edward III.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 1. Westminster. Grant for life to Peter de Bukton of the offices of steward of the lordship of Holdernesse and master forester of the same, with the accustomed fees.
By p.s.

Nov. 7. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 12 September, 15 Richard II, granting for life to John Mareschall 20*l.* yearly.
By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 7. Westminster. Grant for life to John Ryver, mariner, of 6*d.* daily at the Exchequer.
By p.s.

Nov. 12. Westminster. Grant for life to John Stapilton of the office of tronage of wools and other small ponderable things in the port of Kyngeston on Hull, with the due fees. By p.s.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because with his assent on 9 *February,* 7 *Henry IV, the king granted the same for life to Thomas Lathe, esquire, and John Waleys.*

Nov. 12. Westminster. Grant for life to John Stapulton of the office of gauger of the town of Kyngeston on Hull, with the due fees and profits. By p.s.
Vacated as above.

Nov. 12. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 19 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 1 January, 50 Edward III, to Henry atte Water.
By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 14. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Roger Smert, whom the king has retained for life, of 20 marks yearly from the issues of the county of Warwick. By p.s.

Nov. 12. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Edmund Barry, whom the king has retained for life, of 20*l.* yearly from the petty custom of Jernemuth.
By p.s.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because the king granted the same to him on 8 *December.*

Nov. 12. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Simon Chambre of 6*d.* daily from the customs in the port of Southampton. By p.s.
Vacated because in the third year.

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Nov. 11. Westminster. Grant for life to John Keep of Lenne of the office of tronage in the port of Lenne, with the due fees and profits. By p.s.

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Feb. 16. Westminster. William Carlele, staying in England, has letters nominating Walter Eure and Thomas Taillour his attorneys in Ireland for one year.
John de Hertilpole, clerk, received the attorneys.

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Nov. 5. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Mary de Sancto Hillario of letters patent dated 19 February, 13 Richard II, granting to her for life 20*l.* yearly. By p.s. and for 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 7. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Alexander Langweth, whom the king has retained for life, of the manor of Helston in Trigge, co. Cornwall, with parks and all other commodities, profits and revenues to the value of 40 marks yearly, provided that he answer at the Exchequer for any surplus. By p.s.

Nov. 4. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Katharine Dengayne and her heirs and assigns of letters patent dated 18 February, 18 Richard II, granting to her the manor of Wyghtresham, co. Kent.
By K. and for 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Par, 'chivaler,' of letters patent (*French*) of the king's father John, duke of Aquitaine and Lancaster, earl of Derby, Lincoln and Leicester, steward of England, lieutenant of Aquitaine, dated at London, 26 October, 1392, granting for life to the said William and Elizabeth his wife the land and lordship of Ayran in the parish of St. Medart, Ruyan, forfeited by the lord of Budos.
By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 10. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Robert Attelbrigge of letters patent dated 8 April, 22 Richard II, granting to him for life the office of porter of Cambridge with the custody of the warren there and of Chesterton, co. Cambridge. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 12. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Gregory Bodsankoethe of letters patent dated 14 January, 10 Richard II, granting to him for life 5 marks yearly.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 18. Westminster. Whereas William Saunderton and William Morteyn lately bought the wood of Rysburgh for the sum of 500 marks from the earl of Salisbury, of which they have paid to him 200 marks, and part of the wood has been cut down and part has not, the king grants licence for them to cut down the part still growing and to dispose of that and the remainder.
By p.s.

Nov. 10. Westminster. Grant for life to Janico Dartas of 100 marks yearly from the issues of the city of London, in lieu of a grant by letters patent of Richard II, surrendered; and also 100 marks yearly from the issues of the town of Drogheda in Ireland, because the king has retained him for life. By p.s.

Mandate in pursuance to the mayor, bailiffs or other officers of the town of Drogheda.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled so far as concerns the second 100 *marks, because on* 26 *March the king granted the same to him for life from Michaelmas last from the fee-farm of the town on the parts of Uriel and Meath and the custom and coket of the town.*

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Membrane 10—*cont.*

Nov. 12. Westminster. Grant, during good behaviour, to Robert Harsyke of Shepeden Crowemere of the office of controller in the port of Boston, with the accustomed fees and other commodities. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 21 November the king granted to him 6d. daily for life from the petty custom in the port of Lynne.

Nov. 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 7 July, 21 Richard II, granting for life to Stephen Lescrope 100 marks yearly. By p.s. and for 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 14. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Snayth of letters patent dated 21 May, 22 Richard II, granting to him for life 40 marks yearly. By p.s. and for 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

MEMBRANE 9.

Nov. 5. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Coubrigge of letters patent dated 6 February, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life 6*d.* daily, and letters patent dated 31 May, 21 Richard II, granting to him during good behaviour the office of ranger of the forest of Whicchewode, co. Oxford. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because with his assent Henry V on 19 July, 8 Henry V, granted for life to John Launce 4d. daily and the office of ranger.

Nov. 5. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Lyntoft of letters patent dated 20 August, 9 Richard II, granting to him for life 6*d.* daily. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 22. Westminster. Grant for life to Baldwin de Bereford of the manor of Fortyngton, co. Dorset, as he had it of the grant of Richard II. By p.s.

Oct. 22. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's kinsman Peter de Courteney of the custody of the forest and park of Claryndon and the forests of Grovele, Melchet and Bukholt, with all fees, and branches, brushwood and bark of all trees within the same, as Baldwin de Bereford had by letters patent dated 12 March, 18 Richard II, and 22 November, 5 Richard II, surrendered. By p.s.

Nov. 5. Westminster. Grant to William James, clerk, that he shall be restored to his estate within the University of Oxford, from which he was banished by mandate of Richard II without reasonable cause. By p.s.

Nov. 7. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's kinswoman Joan the wife of William Beauchamp, in lieu of a grant to her of 52*l.* yearly by letters patent (*see p.* 36), surrendered, of the 51*l.* 10*s.* 6*d.* by tale for 49*l.* 17*d.* blank which the sheriffs of Hereford are bound to render yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Vacated because in the third year.

Nov. 10. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Walter Hertlaund of Carswell, co. Gloucester, of the office of bailiff of Bottelowehundred, co. Gloucester, with 3*d.* daily from the issues of the hundred. By p.s.

Nov. 18. Westminster. Presentation of William Bynbrok, parson of the church of Swaby, in the diocese of Lincoln, to the church of Tylbrok, in the same diocese, on an exchange with John Grantham.

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Membrane 9—*cont.*

Nov. 12. Westminster. Grant to Alan Norreys that of the annuities of 20 marks at the hands of the sheriffs of London and 100*s.* from the issues of the lordship of Walyngford granted to him for life by Richard II and confirmed by the king he shall have 15*l.* in arrear before the date of the king's letters of confirmation. By p.s.

Nov. 8. Westminster. Grant to William Joce and Alan Leverton, chaplain, that they and their attorneys shall have livery of all their goods and chattels at the town of Bristol or elsewhere seized without reasonable cause. By p.s.

Nov. 6. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Thomas Euere, dean of the church of St. Paul, London, George Louthorp, clerk, Thomas Coggeshale, Richard Thurston, clerk, Richard Waltham, William Creket and Thomas Kays, tenants of the manor of West Whetynham, co. Essex, of letters patent dated 15 June, 20 Richard II, granting the reversion of the manor to them. For 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 13. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire David Gam, whom the king has retained for life, of 40 marks yearly from the issues of the city of London. By p.s.

Nov. 6. Westminster *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Thomas de Brounflete of letters patent dated 10 December, 13 Richard II, granting to him for life the custody of the park of Foli Jon, and letters patent dated 25 November, 18 Richard II, granting to him for life 20*l.* yearly. By p.s. and for 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 12. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 29 September, 4 Richard II, granting for life to Roger atte Gate the manor of Althurst, co. Chester. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

MEMBRANES 8 *and* 7.

Nov. 1. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the abbot and convent of Croyland of letters patent dated 7 July, 17 Richard II, inspecting and confirming the following:—

1. A charter of Aethelbald, king of the Mercians, dated 716. [*Monasticon*, II. 107.]
2. A charter of Aedred, king of England, dated 948. [*Ibid.* 114.]

For 12 marks paid in the hanaper.

Membrane 7—*cont.*

Oct. 12. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Belle of letters patent dated 14 June, 14 Richard II, inspecting and confirming with additions an indenture (*French*) of Anne, queen of England, dated at London, 12 November, 9 Richard II. For ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 11. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Roger Flour of letters patent (*French*) of Edward of York, duke of Albemarle, dated at London, 20 October, 1 Henry IV, granting to him for life the keeping of his park of Flyterys and the warren of his lordship of Okham, with the accustomed fees. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 11. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the said Roger Flour of Okham of letters patent (*French*) of the said Edward dated at London, 22 October, 1 Henry IV,

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granting to him and his heirs a messuage with a parcel of land containing 3 roods adjoining the garden of the messuage between the tenement of the said Roger on the west and the messuage of John Malkyn on the east within the town and lordship of Okham, rendering yearly 4 capons and two services at the court of the lordship, the said Roger having previously held the same for three lives by the roll of the court, rendering yearly 2*d.* and two services. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Dec. 4. Westminster. Grant for life to John Colvyle, 'chivaler,' whom the king has retained for life, of 40*l.* yearly from the hanaper. By p.s.

Nov. 17. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Ethom of letters patent (*French*) of Margaret, late duchess of Norfolk, by the name of countess of Norfolk, dated at her castle of Framlyngham, 1 April, 13 Richard II, granting for life to the said John, her butler, the keeping of her park, warren and game pertaining to her manor of Weston, co. Hertford, and a vesture of the suit of her esquires yearly or 13*s.* 4*d.* for the same and 10 marks yearly from the issues of the manor; notwithstanding any title of the king in the same by the death of Thomas de Moubray, late earl of Nottingham, or the minority of his heir or heirs.

By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

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Feb. 13. Westminster. Grant for life to Thomas Pykstoke of Leycestre, 'glover,' of 5 marks yearly from the issues of the counties of Leicester and Warwick. By p.s.

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Oct. 6. Westminster. Exemplification of the tenour of the enrolment of letters patent dated 28 March, 14 Richard II, granting to Hugh de Lincolne 40*s.* yearly from the issues of the alien priory of Myntyng, co. Lincoln, during the war with France. These letters have been accidentally lost, as he has taken oath, and if they are found he will surrender the present letters.

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March 4. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Walter Grove of 6*d.* daily from the issues of the county of Cambridge. By p.s.

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Nov. 7. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Simon Olyver of letters patent dated 16 May, 19 Richard II, granting to him for 60 years the custody of a tenement and place in Bristol.

By p.s. and for 13*s.* 4*d.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 7. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to George Felbrigg of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 10 May, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 16 August, 35 Edward III.
2. Letters patent dated 18 July, 8 Richard II, granting to him for life 40*l.* yearly.
3. Letters patent dated 9 September, 9 Richard II, granting to him for life 40*l.* yearly.
4. Letters patent dated 4 July, 16 Richard II, granting to him for life a tun of wine yearly.
5. Letters patent dated 10 July, 19 Richard II, granting to him for life 40*l.* yearly.
6. Letters patent dated 20 September, 22 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent (*French*) of Roger de Mortemer, earl of March, dated at Usk, 24 July, 21 Richard II.

By p.s. and for 6 marks paid in the hanaper.

Mandate in pursuance to the chief butler.

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Nov. 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 26 February, 16 Richard II, granting for life to Simon Felbrigg 50 marks yearly, and letters patent dated 8 July, 19 Richard II, granting to him for life 100*l.* yearly. By p.s. and for 6 marks paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 31. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 13 March, 19 Edward II, and 7 August, 22 Richard II, each granting for life to James Billyngford 20*l.* yearly; and grant to him of arrears for Michaelmas term last. By p.s.

Nov. 15. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Denys, for his good service to the king's father and the king, of 10 marks yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 5.

Nov. 4. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Isabel the wife of Robert Morle of letters patent dated 11 August, 18 Richard II, granting to them for life 40*l.* yearly. By p.s.

Nov. 5. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire William Clypston of the office of constable of the castle of Cambridge with the custody of the prisoners there with the due fees and profits, in lieu of a like grant to Roger Gate by letters patent of Richard II, surrendered. By p.s.

Nov. 12. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight Thomas Erpingham of the office of constable of the castle of Dover with the office of warden of the Cinque Ports, with all fees and other profits and other commodities. By p.s.

Nov. 12. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire John de Holand of Paston of certain lands in Paston and Milton, co. Northampton, which William Wynkefeld, 'chivaler,' deceased, had for life of the grant of the earl of Oxford and which came into the king's hands by pretext of a judgement against the duke of Ireland in Parliament at Westminster, 11 Richard II, confirmed by the present Parliament, and the reversion of which the said John acquired from the council of the late king, to hold to the value of 12 marks yearly, provided that he answer for any surplus. By p.s.

Nov. 5. Westminster. Grant for life to Agnes the wife of the king's esquire William Burgoyne, late servant of the king's consort, deceased, of two tuns of red wine of Gascony yearly from the king's prises in the port of Kyngeston on Hull. By p.s.

Nov. 8. Westminster. Appointment of Robert de Hilton, John Conestable of Halsham, Richard de Beverlee and John Redenesse as the king's attorneys to deliver seisin to the king's son Thomas de Lancastre, steward of England, of the manor and lordship of Brustwyk and divers other specified possessions granted to him and his heirs and assigns on 2 November by letters patent. By K.

Nov. 4. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire John de Kyghley of the office of bailiff of the skivinage of the town of Calais and the island of Colne with the due fees and other profits and commodities, as Richard Stanlake or anyone else had. By p.s.

Vacated because on the French Roll.

Nov. 11. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Hugh Dalby of letters patent dated 8 May, 22 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent (*French*) of Thomas, earl of Nottingham, dated at London, 10 February, 20 Richard II. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

1399. *Membrane 5—cont.*

Nov. 7. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight Gerard Salvayn of two tuns of wine yearly from the king's prise in the port of Kyngeston on Hull. By p.s.

Nov. 13. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Richard Fauconer of two letters patent dated 8 August, 18 Richard II, granting to him for life yearly rents of 5 marks and 23*s.* 8*d.* By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 12. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 9 August, 18 Richard II, granting for life to Thomas Goodboy 20*s.* yearly, and letters patent dated 14 June, 19 Richard II, granting for life to Thomas Godegrome the office of keeper of the gaol of Yevelchestre, co. Somerset. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 15. Westminster. Grant for life to Richard de Sancto Mauro, 'chivaler,' whom the king has retained for life, of 100 marks yearly from the issues of the counties of Somerset and Dorset. By p.s.

Grant for life to William Burley of 6*d.* daily from the custom and subsidy of Lenne. By p.s.
Vacated because in the third year.

MEMBRANE 4.

Nov. 11. Westminster. Grant for life to John Garsonier of 12*d.* daily at the hands of the treasurer of Calais, as was granted by Edward III to Eustace his father because the lands and tenements in the county of Guynes and in the land of Mark to the value of 40*l.* which belonged to the said Eustace as in the right of his wife were devastated by reason of the war with France. By p.s.

Nov. 12. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Roger Ploufeld of letters patent dated 27 February, 10 Richard II, granting to him for life a garden by the castle of Hereford, and letters patent dated 28 July, 15 Richard II, granting to him for life 10*l.* yearly. By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 12. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Thomas Knapp of 6*d.* daily from the customs of Ipswich. By p.s.
Vacated because in the third year.

Nov. 6. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire William Alyngton of the manor of Woderewe, co. Wilts, worth 25 marks yearly, with 'housbote' and 'haybote' in the forest of Blakemore, co. Wilts. By p.s.

Nov. 10. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Baud of letters patent dated 18 November, 22 Richard II, granting to him for life the custody of the forest of Snowdon. By p.s. and for 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 6. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Derby of letters patent dated 7 June, 9 Richard II, granting to him for life 2*d.* daily, and letters patent dated 4 June, 14 Richard II, granting to him for life the king's mills of Walyngford called 'Southgatemylles." By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 7. Westminster. Appointment, during pleasure, of the king's brother John, earl of Somerset, as chamberlain of England, receiving the accustomed fees. By p.s.

Nov. 14. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant William Nooke of 6*d.* daily from the subsidy and custom of wools and other merchandise in the port of Boston. By p.s.
Vacated because in the third year.

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Nov. 1. Westminster. Grant to the king's clerk William Flete of the custody of the hospital of St. Mary Magdalen, Southampton. By p.s.

Nov. 10. Westminster. Grant for life to John Oke and Alice his wife of two bucks and two does yearly in the king's park of Eltham. By p.s.

Nov. 11. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Wellom of letters patent dated 20 April, 7 Richard II, granting to him for life 100*s.* yearly. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 12. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Kilmyngton *alias* Kilvyngton of letters patent dated 11 November, 17 Richard II, granting to him for life 10 marks yearly, and letters patent dated 24 February, 18 Richard II, granting to him for life certain lands, rents and services in the county of Kildare. By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 14. Westminster. Grant for life to John Warde of 6*d.* daily from the customs of Boston. By p.s.
Vacated because in the fourth year.

Nov. 14. Westminster. Grant for life to John Foljambe of the office of crier in the court of the marshalsea of the household and of the assay of measures, with the due fees, in lieu of a like grant to Guy de Allesley by letters patent of Edward III, surrendered. By p.s.

Nov. 2. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John del Bank of letters patent dated 31 January, 21 Richard II, granting to him for life 20*l.* yearly. By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 20. Westminster. Pardon to the king's kinsman Thomas, archbishop of Canterbury, of the moneys incurred by him towards the king for the escape from the prison of Maydestane of John Skyrinor, convicted clerk, and John Swyfte, arrested on suspicion of felony. By p.s.

Dec. 1. Westminster. Grant to the king's servant Henry Langdon of the moneys incurred by the abbot of Westminster towards the king for the escape from his prison of William Slothehay, convicted clerk. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 3.

Nov. 15. Westminster. Restoration, with the assent of the council in Parliament, to the abbot and convent of St. Martin, Séez, of the power of France, of the advowsons of all their priories, conventual and others, in England and elsewhere within the king's power, in the king's hands on account of the war with France, provided that they present suitable persons to the priories at their voidances, and saving to the king and his heirs and the chief lords the accustomed services. By K.

The like to the following:—

Nov. 15. Westminster. The abbot and convent of Montebourg. By K.

Nov. 16. Westminster. The abbess and convent of St. Mary, Almenesches. By K.

The abbot and convent of Lire. By K.

Nov. 20. Westminster. The abbot and convent of St. Nicholas by Angers. By K.

Dec. 1. Westminster. Grant to Henry Langdon (*as on m.* 4). By p.s.
Vacated because elsewhere in this year.

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[Restorations to the following as above :—]

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Nov. 18. Westminster. The abbot and convent of St. Mary, Lonlay. By K.

Dec. 5. Westminster. The abbot and convent of Marmoutier les Tours. By K.

Dec. 20. Westminster. The abbot and convent of St. Denis in France. By K.

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May 17. Westminster. The abbot and convent of SS. Sergius and Bachus by Angers. By K.

July 4. Westminster. The abbot and convent of St. Taurin. By K.

The abbot and convent of St. Peter, Conches. By K.

July 4. Westminster. The abbot and convent of Bernay. By K.

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Nov. 15. Westminster. The abbot and convent of Holy Trinity, Fécamp, in Normandy. By K.

MEMBRANE 2.

Dec. 4. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 24 October, 21 Richard II, exempting Robert Gosholme of Gyngraf, co. Essex, from being put on assizes etc. For 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 22. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 3 April, 48 Edward III, granting for life to John Harwe 100*s.* yearly. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 5. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of the following :—

1. Letters patent dated 11 May, 16 Richard II, granting for life to John Drax wages of 12*d.* daily.
2. Letters patent dated 2 January, 16 Richard II, granting to him for life a robe yearly.
3. Letters patent dated 4 April, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life 16*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* yearly.
4. Letters patent under the great seal of Ireland attested by Edmund de Mortuo Mari, lieutenant of Roger de Mortuo Mari, earl of March and Ulster, lieutenant of Ireland, at Naas, 24 April, 21 Richard II, granting for life to him and Margaret his wife 16*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* yearly from the fee farm of the city of Waterford, without any compulsion to pay two parts or any parcel of the same. By p.s. and for 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Mandate in pursuance to the mayor and bailiffs of Waterford.

Nov. 7. Westminster. Whereas John Bryan and Anne his wife, late the wife of James Berners, 'chivaler,' have shown that Richard II by letters patent granted to her and the heirs of her body by the said James the manor of Westhorsley with the park, warrens and all fees, advowsons, wards, marriages, reliefs, heriots, services and other commodities pertaining to it as the said James had in his lifetime, which letters were not made by the advice of the great council although by the judgement of forfeiture against the said James in Parliament, 11 Richard II, the premises came into the hands of Richard II

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and should not have been alienated by him except by sale by the advice of the great council; the king nevertheless confirms the estate of the said John and Anne in the premises and grants that on the death of her and her said heirs they shall remain to Richard son of the said James and his heirs. By p.s.

Nov. 10. Westminster. Grant for life to the said Anne of the manors of Rodyngberners, Bernestone and Cryppynges, co. Essex, and the parks, warrens, fees and advowsons pertaining to them, belonging to the king by the forfeiture of the said James as above, with remainder to the said Richard and his heirs, notwithstanding the ordinance in Parliament, 11 Richard II. By p.s.

Oct. 25. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 8 May, 22 Richard II, granting for life to Poncius, lord of Castelhou, the reversion of the provostship of Dax in Aquitaine. By p.s. and for 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

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Nov. 14. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 28 December, 14 Richard II, granting for life to John Reuel 6*d.* daily.
2. Letters patent dated 25 October, 1 Henry IV, being an exemplification of letters patent dated 14 January, 13 Richard II, to the said John. By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 30. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Golafre of letters patent dated 5 December, 19 Richard II, granting to him for life 40 marks yearly. By p.s. and for 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

Memorandum:—This fine was made for the confirmation of these letters and certain other letters afterwards cancelled in the fifth year.

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Nov. 9. Westminster. Commission to John Lysle, 'chivaler,' John Popham, 'chivaler,' Thomas Romesye, Robert Martyn, John Auntyoche, Walter atte Welle, John Veer and Edmund Enefeld to arrest John Andrewe, canon of Christchurch, Twynham, co. Southampton, of the order of St. Augustine, who lately left his house secretly without licence of his prior and obtained divers bulls in the court of Rome, contrary to the regular obedience of his order and the form of the statute of Provisors, and with a multitude of partisans has personally shown them to the prior at the priory, and to bring him before the king in Chancery with the bulls.

MEMBRANE 11*d.*

Nov. 10. Westminster. Commission to Th. archbishop of Canterbury, on the supplication of the dean and chapter of the cathedral church of St. Mary, Salisbury, by petition in Parliament that whereas John Waltham, late bishop of Salisbury, in his last will bequeathed his body to be buried in the said church and his better and more precious vestment to the said church, but after his death by the counsel and procurement of William Lescrope, late

1399. *Membrane* 11*d*—*cont.*

earl of Wiltshire, it was delivered to the abbot of Westminster, a remedy may be found, to summon the abbot to appear before him and to inspect the will and do justice to the parties and deliver the vestment to those to whom it belongs of right. By pet. of Parl.

MEMBRANE 5*d*.

Nov. 11. Westminster. Commission to Thomas de Wendesley, John Curson, Peter de la Pole, Roger Leche, Robert Fraunceys and John Knyghtley to enquire into the complaint of the lieges and commonalty of the hundred and forest of Macclesfeld, co. Chester, that although after the king's last advent into England when he was with his army in the said county he took all the lieges and commonalty of the county and their goods and chattels under his protection, nevertheless certain men of the counties of Derby and Stafford who were not in the king's army came within the said hundred and forest, distant 30 miles and more from Chester, and drove off oxen, bullocks, cows, heifers, mares, sheep and other beasts into the counties of Derby and Stafford, to the number of 700 and more, of which some have been seized and are in the possession of the said Thomas and John Curson and others are still detained, and to cause restitution or satisfaction to be made. By p.s.

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MEMBRANE 38.

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Nov. 12. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Morvill of letters patent dated 1 July, 18 Richard II, granting to him for life 88*s.* 4*d.* yearly. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 8. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Maysham of the office of ranger of the forests of Teddesley and Allerwashay, co. Stafford, with wages of 3*d.* daily from the issues of the county and all other fees and profits as Richard Raunger had. By p.s.

Oct. 1. Westminster. Grant to the king's clerk William de Flete of the wardenship of the hospital of St. John Baptist, Whitteby. By p.s.

Nov. 8. Westminster. Restoration of Robert Lecchelad to his estate in the University of Oxford, from which he was banished at the command of Richard II without reasonable cause. By p.s.

Nov. 10. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Pakyngton of letters patent dated 4 September, 21 Richard II, granting to him for life the keeping of the clock within the palace of Westminster. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 10. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Elys of letters patent dated 10 August, 18 Richard II, granting to him for life 100*s.* yearly. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 8. Westminster. Grant for life to Henry Busshon of the office of parker of the king's park of Liskerit with the accustomed fees and other commodities. By p.s.

Nov. 14. Westminster. Presentation of David Usk, vicar of the church of All Saints and St. Peter, Malden, in the diocese of London, to the church of Blakenham, in the diocese of Norwich, in the king's gift by reason of the alien priory of Okebourn being in his hands on account of the war with France, on an exchange of benefices with John Weston. By p.s.

Nov. 18. Westminster. Grant to John Russell, 'chivaler,' late farmer of the alien priory of Durhurst, of all issues, tithes, rents, farms and profits of the priory, temporal and spiritual, from Monday after Michaelmas, 22 Richard II, to the Monday after Michaelmas following, to hold of the king's gift, any grant of the custody of the priory by the late king or by the king to Richard Wych or anyone else notwithstanding. By p.s.

Nov. 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 22 June, 20 Richard II, granting for life to Robert Teye the office of constable of the castle of Colecestre with the hundred of Tendrynge. By p.s. and for 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 4. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 8 April, 19 Richard II, granting for life to Roger Morton 3*d.* daily. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 11. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Roger de la Halle of letters patent dated 26 December, 16 Richard II, granting to him for life 100*s.* yearly. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

1399. *Membrane* 38—*cont.*

Nov. 18. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Clement of letters patent dated 15 July, 17 Richard II, granting to him for life 4½*d.* daily. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 12. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Shelford of the office of bailiff of Morleyston, co. Derby, with the fees, profits and other commodities belonging to the office to the value of 11*l.* yearly. By p.s.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because the king granted to him the office of the wapentake of Morleyston on 5 September in the second year.

Nov. 12. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Richard del Brugge *alias* Lancastre king of arms of the north, whom the king has retained for life, of 20*l.* yearly from the issues of the county of Lincoln. By p.s.

Nov. 13. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Lord of 6*d.* daily from the issues of the county of Nottingham. By p.s.

Nov. 15. Westminster. Grant to the king's servant John Partout, one of the king's yeomen porters, of 6*d.* daily from the moneys arising from the custom in the port of Suthampton. By p.s.

Nov. 15. Westminster. Pardon to John del Keld of Pykeryng for all felonies and trespasses committed by him, treason, murder, rape and common larceny excepted. By p.s.

Nov. 14. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant William Perkyn of 6*d.* daily from the custom and subsidy of wools and merchandise in the port of Kyngeston on Hull. By p.s.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 8 March in the third year the king granted to him for life 6d. daily at the Exchequer, with arrears.

Nov. 15. Westminster. Grant for life to Walter Tamworth of the rent from the fee-farm of the borough of Dounheved, co. Cornwall, to the value of 10 marks yearly, provided that he answer yearly for any surplus. By p.s.

Nov. 15. Westminster. Grant to Richard, archbishop of York, that for two years he may have a passage called a 'fery' across his water at Hulbrigge and ½*d.* for every man with a horse crossing there, poor people excepted, and ¼*d.* for every other beast crossing, provided that the moneys be applied by the supervision of Peter de Bukton, knight, Hugh Ardern and Richard Beverley to the repair of a stone bridge to be newly built there. By K.

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Nov. 6. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Henry Maunsell of the office of keeper of 'la crane' in the town of Boston with all fees, profits and commodities pertaining to it and the houses which other keepers have received at farm, with power for him to have a deputy in the office. By p.s.

Nov. 12. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire John Auncell of Spaldyng, whom the king has retained for life, of 10 marks yearly from the issues of the county of Lincoln. By p.s.
Vacated because otherwise below.

Nov. 4. Westminster. Grant for life to Richard Croke of the offices of the bailiwick of 'Offelawe hundert' and 'Sesdon hundret,' co. Stafford, with the accustomed fees and profits. By p.s.

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Nov. 12. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Denford of letters patent dated 20 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 16 April, 48 Edward III. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 12. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire John Auncell of Spaldyng of 10 marks yearly from the issues of the county of Lincoln. By p.s.

Nov. 13. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Geoffrey Melton of letters patent dated 17 June, 22 Richard II, granting to him for life 40 marks yearly; and grant to him of arrears. By p.s.

Nov. 15. Westminster. Grant for life to William Cressewell of 6*d.* daily from the moneys arising from the custom in the port of Boston. By p.s.

Nov. 11. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Ferour of letters patent dated 9 December, 4 Richard II, granting to him for life 20*l.* yearly. By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 12. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Thomas Denton of 6*d.* daily from the customs in the port of Ipswich. By p.s.

Grant for life to the king's servant Thomas Been of the office of keeper of the park of Lantegles and Hillesbury, within the duchy of Cornwall, with the fees and other profits and commodities. By p.s.

Grant for life to the king's esquire Sampson Grenewyche that he shall be one of the king's serjeants at arms, receiving wages of 12*d.* daily from the petty custom within the city of London and a robe yearly at the great wardrobe. By p.s.
Vacated because elsewhere in this year.

Nov. 11. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's son Henry, prince of Wales, that he shall have all charters, patents and writs in Chancery and other courts of the king quit of fee of the seal and fines. By p.s.

Nov. 13. Westminster. Grant for life to John Cosyn of Cirencestre, whom the king has retained for life, of 10*l.* yearly from the issues of the manor of Merston Meisy, co. Wilts. By p.s.

Oct. 28. Westminster. Presentation of David ap Jorwerth, chaplain, to the vicarage of the church of Llandyshull, in the diocese of St. Asaph, in the king's gift by reason of the temporalities of the bishopric being lately in the hands of Richard II by voidance.

Nov. 14. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Dam and William Floure of letters patent dated 11 April, 22 Richard II, granting to them for life 8*l.* yearly. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 12. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Thomas Ryvere of 100*s.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Nov. 13. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 5 November, 18 Richard II, granting for life to John Wilteshire, 'chivaler,' and Blanche his wife the commote of Kemetmayn, co. Carnarvon. By p.s. and for 2½ marks paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 19. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of a charter dated at Westminster, 28 September, 16 Henry III, granting that the prior and canons of Blakemore shall have a fair yearly at their house of Blakemore on the vigil, the day and the morrow of St. Laurence. [*Charter Roll*, 16 *Henry III*, *m.* 2.] For 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

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Nov. 4. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Corby and Agnes his wife of the following :—

1. Letters patent dated 12 August, 1 Richard II, granting to him, during pleasure, certain offices in the household.
2. Letters patent dated 30 May, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent (*French*) of the said king when prince dated 1 February, 51 Edward III, to the said William.
3. Letters patent dated 12 October, 11 Richard II, granting to them for life the park of Bradenynch, co. Devon, and certain lands.
4. Letters patent dated 26 November, 15 Richard II, granting to him for life a close by the castle of Lanceston, co. Cornwall.
5. Letters patent dated 25 March, 15 Richard II, granting to them for life the manor and town of Little Weldon with a tenement in Great Weldon, co. Northampton.
6. Letters patent dated 15 August, 18 Richard II, granting to them for life a tun of wine yearly.
7. Letters patent dated 23 April, 22 Richard II, granting to her for life a livery yearly. By p.s. and for 2½ marks paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 13. Westminster. Exemption for life of Thomas Brooke, 'chivaler,' from being put on assizes, juries, attaints, recognitions, perambulations or other inquisitions and from being made trier, sheriff, escheator, coroner or other officer or minister of the king against his will. By p.s.

Nov. 12. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Henry Kirkestede of the custody of the park of Leskeret, co. Cornwall, with the due fees and profits, in lieu of a like grant to John Skynnere by letters patent of Anne, queen of England, confirmed by letters patent of Richard II, surrendered. By p.s.

Nov. 15. Westminster. Grant to Thomas de Ternyn, late chaplain of Peter de Legh, of all goods and chattels late of the said Peter, for the payment of the debts and in aid of the support of the wife and children of the latter. By p.s.
Vacated because below.

Nov. 10. Westminster. Writ of aid for Simon Kentebury, whom the king's clerk John Godmaston, clerk of the works of the great hall within the palace of Westminster and the outer gate of the palace, has deputed as purveyor.
By bill of the said John.

Nov. 13. Westminster. Grant, during pleasure, to William de Benyngton of the office of clerk of the statute merchant within the town of Hedon and the office of keeping the lesser part of the seal for the recognisances of debts according to the form of the statute in the said town.
By K. on the information of Peter de Bukton, 'chivaler.'

Nov. 15. Westminster. Grant for life to John Chamberlein of the county of Southampton of 6*d.* daily from the customs in the port of Suthampton. By p.s.

Nov. 15. Westminster. Grant for life to Robert Dogle, esquire, of 20 marks yearly from the issues of the county of Northumberland. By p.s.

Grant to the king's clerk Thomas de Mitford of the wardenship of the free chapel of St. Thomas the Martyr on the bridge of Bedeford. By p.s.

Nov. 15. Westminster. Grant to John Reymes of the custody of all lands late of Robert Hethe, tenant in chief, during the minority of Thomas his son and heir, provided that he find a competent sustenance for the heir and maintain the houses, buildings, woods, gardens and enclosures and support all other charges. By p.s.

1399. *MEMBRANE* 35.

Oct. 29. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the under-mentioned Mariot and William of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 28 October, 9 Richard II, granting for life to Mariot late the wife of Thomas Alanby and John her son certain land and pasture at a rent of 5 marks yearly.
2. Letters patent dated 2 July, 9 Richard II, granting for life to William de Stapilton, esquire, the reversion on the death of Mary de Stapilton, his mother, of parcels of the king's demesne lands and pastures by the city of Carlisle at a rent of 5 marks yearly, in consideration of certain houses, rents and gardens by the city of his inheritance of the value of 10 marks yearly having been razed for the fortification and safety of the enclosure of the city against the Scots.
3. Letters patent dated 28 October, 1 Henry IV (*see p.* 60), being an exemplification of letters patent dated 10 June, 10 Richard II.

By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 14. Westminster. Grant for life to William Stapylton of the close of Touthwayt within the forest of Inglewode, rendering yearly at the Exchequer 22*s.* 4*d.* as Thomas Forster, deceased, did. By p.s.

Nov. 14. Westminster. Grant to the king's esquire Thomas Chaucer of all the malt and wheat within the castle of Walyngford. By p.s.

Nov. 2. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 10 November, 9 Richard II, granting for life to Roger Gate 18*l.* 18*d.* yearly.

By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 14. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 30 April, 21 Richard II, granting for life to Nicholas Bokeland 6*d.* daily.

By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because with his assent the king granted the same for life to Thomas de Lylborun, under-clerk of the kitchen, on 12 *April in the ninth year.*

Nov. 15. Westminster. Grant to Thomas de Ternyn, late chaplain of Peter de Legh, of all goods and chattels late of the said Peter, for the payment of the debts and in aid of the support of the wife and children of the latter. By p.s.

Nov. 12. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 8 October, 17 Richard II, granting for life to John Topclyf 10 marks yearly.

By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 15. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquires Ralph de Barton, Oliver de Barton, and Ranulph de Barton, brothers, of a hamlet called Tasshagarde within the lordship of Newcastle by Rathcole in Ireland, which renders at the exchequer there 20*l.* yearly, to hold with all profits and appurtenances without rendering anything to the king. By p.s.

Nov. 15. Westminster. Grant for life to John de Munketon of 6*d.* daily at the hands of the sheriffs of the city of York, in lieu of a like grant at the hands of the bailiffs by letters patent of Richard II, surrendered. By p.s.

Nov. 17. Westminster. Grant for life to John Spaldyng of 6*d.* daily from the customs in the port of Boston. By p.s.

Nov. 14. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant of the chandlery, Simon Flete, of 20*l.* yearly from the customs in the port of Boston, co. Lincoln. By p.s.

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Nov. 17. Westminster. Grant for life to Thomas Flesshewer of Southam of 2*d.* daily from the issues of the county of Warwick. By p.s.
See a petition to the king, on the files of Chancery, in the thirteenth year.

Nov. 5. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 20 August, 9 Richard II, granting for life to Henry Dygon 6*d.* daily.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

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Nov. 4. Westminster. Grant for life to George Felbrigge the younger of 20*l.* yearly from the fee-farm and issues of the city of Norwich, in lieu of a like grant from the abbey of Bury by letters patent of Richard II, surrendered. By p.s.
Vacated by surrender.

Nov. 7. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Ivo de Wyram of letters patent dated 2 May, 19 Richard II, granting to him for life that he shall be one of the king's serjeants at arms. By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 4. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Ralph Alianore of letters patent dated 26 October, 5 Richard II, being an exemplification of letters patent dated 19 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 7 November, 40 Edward III, granting to him for life 10*l.* yearly.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 14. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's yeoman Thomas Ake of 6*d.* daily from the custom of wools and merchandise in the port of Kyngeston on Hull.
By p.s.

Nov. 14. Westminster. Grant for life to Richard Barlowe of 6*d.* daily from the subsidy and custom of wools and merchandise in the port of Kyngeston on Hull.
Vacated because in the third year. By p.s.

Nov. 14. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 15 March, 1 Richard II, granting for life to Mundina Danes the manor of Wittele, co. Surrey.
2. Letters patent dated 12 August, 18 Richard II, granting for life to [the said] Mundina Rauf 30*l.* yearly.
3. Letters patent dated 8 February, 9 Richard II, granting for life to Mundina Denys a tun of wine yearly.
4. Letters patent dated 12 March, 4 Richard II, granting for life to Walter Rauf, who has married the said Mundina Danes, the reversion of the said manor on her death.

By p.s. and for 4 marks paid in the hanaper.

Grant for life to John Bernolby, esquire, of 20*l.* yearly from the issues of the hanaper, in recompense of a grant to him by Richard II of the custody of the castle of Dublin in Ireland and the offices of gaoler and porter of the same, which offices the king has granted to another.
By p.s.

Oct. 25. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Alan Norreys of letters patent dated 13 February, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life 100*s.* yearly, and letters patent dated 22 April, 21 Richard II, granting to him for life 20 marks yearly. By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 12. Westminster. Grant for life to Henry Clare of 6*d.* daily from the issues of the counties of Cambridge and Huntingdon. By p.s.

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Nov. 12. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant William Stoke of Norwych of 8*d.* daily from the fee-farm of the city of Norwich. By p.s.

Nov. 22. Westminster. Ratification of the estate which Robert Manfeld has as provost of the collegiate church of St. John, Beverley, and prebendary of the altar of St. James in the same church, Hustwayt in the cathedral church of St. Peter, York, and Cristhall in the king's free chapel of St. Martin le Grand, London. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 33.

Oct. 31. Westminster. Grant to John Jaye, 'heremite,' of pontage for two years for the repair of the bridges and causeway between the towns of Cambridge and Barton.

Nov. 10. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Marchall *alias* Mareschal of the following:—

1. Letters patent (*French*) of Thomas, earl Marshal and of Nottingham, lord of Moubray and Segrave, dated at London, 15 February, 16 Richard II, granting for life to the said William, his yeoman, the office of parker of his park of Hawenes, co. Bedford, with fees as Roger Parker, deceased, had.
2. Letters patent (*French*) of the same dated at Newenham Priory, 11 June, 19 Richard II, granting for life to the said William, one of the yeomen of his chamber, the keeping of his park of Calowdon, co. Warwick, with the accustomed fees.
3. Letters patent (*French*) of the same, then duke of Norfolk, dated at Windsor, 26 May, 21 Richard II. granting to him for life the profits of the agistment and herbage in the park of Hawenes, provided that sufficient pasture be kept for the deer (*savagine*).

By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 21. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Wymondeswold, esquire, of an indenture (*French*) of Thomas earl of Nottingham, marshal of England, lord of Moubray, Segrave and Gower, dated at London, 18 February, 20 Richard II, retaining him for life and granting to him for life an annuity of 20 marks from the issues of the manor of Thresk, co. York, in lieu of an annuity of 10*l.* at the hands of the sheriff of Nottingham.

By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 10. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Edward de Clynton, so far as concerns the 20*l.*, of letters patent (*French*) of Thomas, earl Marshal and of Nottingham, lord of Moubray and Segrave, dated at London, 16 November, 15 Richard II, appointing him for life master forester and chief keeper of the chace in the Isle of Axiholm with the accustomed fees and profits and granting to him for life 20*l.* yearly from the issues of the manor of Eppeworth, provided that he find a ranger at his own cost.

By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 14. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Benedict Sely *alias* Cely, knight, of letters patent dated 7 December, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life 40*l.* yearly, and letters patent dated 20 November, 21 Richard II, granting to him for life the manor of Ihamme by Wynchelse.

By p.s. and for 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

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Nov. 14. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Edmund de Rongton of letters patent (*French*) of Thomas, duke of Norfolk, earl of Nottingham, marshal of England, lord of Moubray, Segrave and Gower, dated at London, 4 October, 21 Richard II, granting to him for life an annuity of 10 marks from the issues of the manor of Hynton, co. Cambridge.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 18. Westminster. Grant for life to John Cokayn, 'luncle,' of 15*l.* yearly from the issues of the counties of London and Middlesex, in lieu of a like grant at the Exchequer by letters patent of Richard II, surrendered. By p.s.

Nov. 12. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Thomas Abberbury of letters patent dated 17 April, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life 20*l.* yearly.
By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because with the assent of the said Thomas and John (sic) *the king granted to William Bradwardyn, esquire, for life the said* 20*l. yearly and the said* 12*d. daily* (sic) *on* 28 *May, in the tenth year.*

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Nov. 11. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Gerard Braybrok of letters patent dated 20 October, 15 Richard II, granting to him for life the custody of the forest of Sause, co. Northampton.
By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 5. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 27 March, 20 Richard II, granting for life to Matthew Boure 6*d.* daily from the issues of the county of Nottingham.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because the king granted to him 6*d. daily for life from the issues of the county of Hereford on* 18 *December, in the third year.*

Nov. 14. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Seymer *alias* Semere of letters patent dated 10 August, 18 Richard II, granting to him for life an annuity of 100*s.* and letters patent dated 13 July, 21 Richard II, granting to him for life the offices of certain bailiwicks.
By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 6. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Henry Somer of letters patent dated 11 February, 16 Richard II, granting to him for life 100*s.* yearly.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 14. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Braye of 10*l.* yearly from the petty custom of the city of London. By p.s.
Vacated because in the third year.

Nov. 14. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Swelle of six weirs of timber in the county of Kent opposite the town of Whitstaple standing in the king's water running between the towns of Feversham and Sandwich on the land called 'le Shelwe,' worth 20*s.* yearly, and a 'woose' lying between the towns of Milton and Feversham called 'le Martyn,' worth 40*d.* yearly, with all accustomed profits. By p.s.

Nov. 11. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 11 August, 18 Richard II, granting to Ideka 40 marks yearly.
By p.s. and for 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

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Nov. 5. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Aymar de Atthell of letters patent dated 4 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 17 June, 29 Edward III. By p.s. and for 50*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Dec. 10. Westminster. Appointment of John de Stanley as the king's lieutenant of Ireland for three years according to the form of a certain indenture, with power to receive and pardon rebels and to grant them letters patent of pardon under the seal used in Ireland, to supervise the behaviour of the king's ministers in Ireland and to appoint and remove officers and ministers by the advice of the council, with the exception of the chancellor and treasurer, the chief justices of either bench, the chief baron of the exchequer and others who hold their offices for life by letters patent, to move the common bench and the exchequer of Ireland by the advice of the chancellor, treasurer and others of the council to suitable places from time to time, and to do all things necessary for the rule and safety of that land and the king's people there. By K. and C.

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Nov. 13. Westminster. Whereas John de Harleston and Thomas Sees of Lincoln, merchants, about Martinmas, 20 Richard II, shipped certain wools in the port of Kyngeston on Hull to take to the staple of Calais, the customs and subsidies on which amounted to 59*l.* 6*s.* 1½*d.*, and for this sum they were bound to the late king and the customers in the said port, and the wools were lost at sea, the king pardons to them the said sum. By K.

Nov. 13. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Richard Boteller of 10*l.* yearly at the hands of the abbot and convent of St. Albans from a yearly sum which they are bound to render to the king on account of voidance of the abbey. By p.s.

Nov. 12. Westminster. Grant for life to John Louth of 6*d.* daily from the custom of the town of Hull. By p.s.

Nov. 12. Westminster *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 5 July, 21 Richard II, inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Gloucester, 18 August, 8 Edward III [*Charter Roll, 8 Edward III, No.* 32], granting to Robert de Veer, earl of Oxford, that his men and tenants of his manor of Lavenham, co. Suffolk, shall be quit of toll throughout the realm. For 4 marks paid in the hanaper.

Inspeximus and confirmation to Walter de Edyngton of letters patent dated 17 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 2 February, 36 Edward III. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 14. Westminster Grant for life to the king's servant Thomas Colle of 6*d.* daily from the subsidy and custom of wools in the port of Kyngeston on Hull. By p.s.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 8 *March in the third year, the king granted to him for life* 6*d. daily at the Exchequer, with arrears.*

Inspeximus and confirmation to Richard Broun of letters patent dated 20 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 22 September, 50 Edward III. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 12. Westminster. Grant for life to Hugh le Despenser, knight, whom the king has retained for life, of 100*l.* yearly from the custom and subsidy in the port

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of Lenne, in lieu of a grant to him of 100 marks yearly at the Exchequer by letters patent of Richard II, surrendered; and grant to him of arrears. By p.s.

Vacated because in the second year.

Nov. 14. Westminster. Grant for life to John Crane of 6*d.* daily from the custom in the port of Kyngeston on Hull. By p.s.

Nov. 17. Westminster. Grant to the king's esquire Thomas Chaucer of all the malt found within the castle of Walyngford on 15 September and all the wheat found there on 18 October. By p.s.

Nov. 17. Westminster. Grant, during pleasure, to Almaric Bynart *alias* Tourville of 10 marks yearly at the Exchequer from 18 August last. By p.s.

Nov. 18. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Barstaple of 6*d.* daily at the hands of the bailiffs of the city of Coventre. By p.s.

Vacated because elsewhere in this year.

Nov. 16. Westminster. Grant to the king's esquire William Wolaton, in recompense for his wages and rewards for the time when he was in the king's company after the king's last advent into England, of 80 marks from the revenues of the king's manors of Maunsfeld and Lendeby, co. Nottingham, for the year from Michaelmas, 22 Richard II, to the Michaelmas following, in arrears in the hands of the reeves there. By p.s.

Nov. 14. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant, John Brembre, 'mariner,' of 10*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Nov. 20. Westminster. Grant for life to William Parkar, esquire of Isabel, late queen of England, of 20*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Nov. 19. Westminster. Grant for life to William Olton of 10*l.* yearly from the issues of the city of London, in recompense for annuities of 6 marks and 100*s.* granted to him by letters patent of Richard II, surrendered because those annuities belong to the king's son as pertaining to the principality of Wales. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 30.

Nov. 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Edmund Noon of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 11 July, 3 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent (*French*) of the said king when prince dated 25 February, 51 Edward III, inspecting and confirming letters patent (*French*) of Edward, prince of Wales, dated 1 October, 49 Edward III.
2. Letters patent dated 27 June, 6 Richard II, granting to him for life the office of gauger in the ports of Great Jernemuth and Lenne.
3. Letters patent dated 25 November, 7 Richard II, granting to him for life two annuities amounting to 40 marks.

By p.s. and for 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 12. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight Thomas Erpyngham of the offices of constable of the king's castle of Framyngham, master of the game and keeper of the parks of Framyngham, Kelsale and Sahambarres, with the fees and other profits. By p.s.

Nov. 12. Westminster. Grant to the king's knight Thomas Erpingham of the custody of all lands, rents, services, fees and advowsons late of John de Clifton,

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'chivaler,' during the minority of Constantine his son and heir, with the marriage of the latter without disparagement, and so from heir to heir, provided that he find a competent sustenance for the heir, keep up the houses, buildings, enclosures and woods without waste and support all other charges. By p.s.

Nov. 4. Westminster. Grant, for twenty years, to the chancellor of the University of Oxford that he and his successors and their commissaries and lieutenants may signify the names of excommunicated persons within their jurisdiction to the chancellor of England, who shall grant writs of *significavit* as at the signification of bishops. By p.s.

Nov. 18. Westminster. Revocation of the protection with clause *volumus*, for one year, lately granted by letters patent to Richard Trenode, 'taverner,' staying on the king's service in the company of John Dabrychescourt, knight, captain of the castle of Calais, on the safe-custody of the same, because at the time he was in the city of London, as the sheriffs have certified.

Nov. 14. Westminster. Grant in frank almoin to the prioress and nuns of Hynwode, co. Warwick, of the advowson of the church of Everdon by Daventre, co. Northampton; and licence for them to appropriate the church in mortmain, provided that the diocesan shall order a competent sum of money for distribution among the poor parishioners every year and a vicar be well endowed. By K.

Nov. 17. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Thomas Denys of letters patent dated 1 April, 9 Richard II, granting to him for life the offices of the rhaglawships of certain commotes in the county of Cardigan.
By p.s. and for 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 20. Westminster. Grant for life to John Assheford of two tuns of red wine of Gascony yearly in the port of Bristol. By p.s.

Nov. 21. Westminster. Grant for life to Robert Harseke of Shepeden Crowemer of 6*d.* daily from the petty custom in the port of Lynne, in lieu of a grant to him of the office of controller of the town of Boston by letters patent, surrendered. By p.s.

Nov. 2. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Edmund atte Wode of letters patent dated 18 July, 19 Richard II, granting to him for life 2*d.* daily.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 12. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 10 August, 21 Richard II, granting for life to Richard Rowe 10 marks yearly.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because the king granted to him 10*l. yearly for life at the Exchequer on* 29 *March.*

Nov. 17. Westminster. Grant, at the supplication of Hugh de Waterton, 'chivaler,' to the king's kinsman Henry de Percy the son of all lordships, manors, towns, hamlets, lands, rents and services late of Gilbert Talbot within the liberty of Tyndale, of which the king when earl of Derby and Ivo Fitz Waryn and others were enfeoffed to the use of the said Hugh, the said Ivo and others having released their right in the premises to the king. By p.s.

Nov. 14. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Robert Brykyll of the custody of the bailiwick of the water of Lyne with the accustomed fees. By p.s.

Nov. 19. Westminster. Grant for life to Henry Fitz Hugh, 'chivaler,' whom the king has retained for life, of 100 marks yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

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Nov. 18. Westminster. Grant for life to John Sayvyll, 'chivaler,' of the wapentake or hundred of Strafford with the fees, issues, profits, commodities and emoluments belonging to it. By p.s.

Vacated because in the fourth year.

MEMBRANE 29.

Nov. 15. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 9 September, 19 Richard II, granting for life to John Rederich 6*d.* daily.
2. Letters patent dated 21 November, 21 Richard II, granting for life to John Redres 4*d.* daily.

And grant to the said John of arrears.

By K. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because the king granted to him 10*d. daily for life at the Exchequer on* 17 *July in the ninth year.*

Oct. 30. Westminster. Grant for life to Richard Rayle of the custody of the gate of the king's castle at Okeham with the custody of the gaol within the castle, with wages of 8*d.* daily for the custody of the gate and the fees and other commodities pertaining to the offices, as he had of the grant of Richard II and has at present. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because with his assent the king granted the same for life to Thomas Ednesouere on 22 *February in the thirteenth year.*

Nov. 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 11 July, 19 Richard II, granting for life to John Hunte 6*d.* daily.

By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 16. Westminster. Presentation of Ralph Canon, chaplain of the chantry of Wolseley in the prebendal church of Colewyche, in the diocese of Coventry and Lichfield, to the prebend of Syryscote in the king's free chapel of Tamworth, in the same diocese, on an exchange of benefices with Nicholas Slake. By p.s.

Nov. 12. Westminster. Grant for life to Marjory Pensax, anchoress in the cemetery of St. Botolph without Bisshopsgate, London, of 40*s.* yearly from the farm of the city of London. By p.s.

Nov. 15. Westminster. Writ of aid for Thomas Percy, earl of Worcester, whom the king has appointed during pleasure as admiral of the fleet from the mouth of the Thames to the north and west and of the fleet in Ireland, with power to hear complaints concerning matters touching his office and to do justice and punish offenders and to take ships for war when necessary and mariners and others for them and to appoint deputies in his place, provided that he do not do anything contrary to the statute in Parliament at Westminster, 15 Richard II. By K.

Nov. 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Knottynglee of letters patent dated 8 May, 14 Richard II, granting to him for life 3*d.* daily.

By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 18. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 5 December, 8 Richard II, granting for life to John Walssh 40 marks yearly.

By p.s. and for 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

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Nov. 21. Westminster. John London, citizen and skinner of London, staying in England, has letters nominating Hugh Bavent, clerk, and Richard de Wynyngton his attorneys in Ireland for one year.
John Rome, clerk, received the attorneys.

Nov. 19. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Baldwin Yong of 6*d.* daily at the hands of the sheriffs of the city of York. By p.s.
Vacated by surrender.

Nov. 4. Westminster. Presentation of Henry Nightyngale, chaplain, to the parish church of Llanrayadur, in the diocese of Bangor.

Nov. 18. Westminster. Grant for life to John Fairhode, in recompense of his great costs and expenses in the king's service, of 6*d.* daily at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Nov. 10. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Holton of letters patent dated 14 January, 22 Richard II, granting to him for life a place called 'Stowe' within the forest of Dene, co. Gloucester.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 14. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Holde of letters patent dated 20 September, 19 Richard II, granting to him for life 2*d.* daily.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 21. Westminster. Presentation of Robert Frie to the parish church of Stanewell, in the diocese of London. By p.s.

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Nov. 15. Westminster. Grant for life to John Sterlyng, whom the king has retained for life, of 20*l.* yearly from the issues of the king's town and lordship of Higham Ferres. By p.s.

Nov. 1. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Gregory Ballard of the following:—
1. Letters patent dated 3 July, 19 Richard II, granting to him for life 9*l.* 10*s.* yearly.
2. Letters patent dated 1 October, 19 Richard II, granting to him for life 10*l.* yearly.
3. Letters patent dated 17 May, 19 Richard II, granting to him for life 40*l.* yearly.

And grant to him of arrears.
By p.s. and for 30*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 1. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Robert Stokley of letters patent dated 8 January, 17 Richard II, and 23 September, 18 Richard II, each granting to him for life 10*l.* yearly; and grant to him of arrears.
By K. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 18. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Nicholas Ingelfeld *alias* Inglefeld *alias* Englefeld of the following:—
1. Letters patent dated 4 June, 15 Richard II, granting to him for life 8 marks 4*s.* 8*d.* yearly.
2. Letters patent dated 14 June, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life 10*l.* yearly.
3. Letters patent dated 3 November, 21 Richard II, granting to him for life the lesser part of the seal for the recognisances of debts in the town of Coventre.

By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

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Nov. 19. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Thomas Gloucestre of the manor of Whitechurche, co. Oxford, worth 23*l.* yearly, and certain lands in the city of London and Eye, co. Middlesex, worth 7 marks yearly, late of William Serle. By p.s.

Nov. 10. Westminster. Grant for life to Maurice de Burgh of 5 marks yearly from the issues of the county of Devon, in lieu of a like grant at the Exchequer by letters patent of Edward III, confirmed by letters patent of Richard II, surrendered. By K.

Nov. 19. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 3 September, 20 Richard II, granting for life to John Ammory 100*s.* yearly, and grant to him of arrears. By K. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 20. Westminster. Writ of aid for Roger Marche, whom the king has appointed purveyor of the works under William Dionys, clerk of the works at the king's manors within the park of Wyndesore, Esthampstede and 'Henley sur le Heth' and the chapel of St. George within the castle of Wyndesore. By bill of the said William.

Nov. 20. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Grey, 'mariner,' of 9*d.* daily from the custom of the town of Boston. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because the king granted to him 9d. daily for life from the custom in the port of the town on 10 *February, in the second year.*

Nov. 19. Westminster. Revocation of letters patent of Richard II, granting for life to Roger Walden and John his brother the custody of the castle and town of Porcestre and the forest and warren there. By K.

MEMBRANE 27.

Nov. 16. Westminster. Grant to the king's esquire Walter Tylly, during the minority of John son and heir of John Blaunchard, of the custody of all lands in Berford Seint Martyn, Wilton, Honybrugge and Coterigge with the office of bailiff in the forest of Groveligh called 'souzbaillif,' in the king's hands by reason of the said minority, to the value of 20 marks yearly beyond a yearly rent of 20*l.* with which they are charged to Joan the wife of the said Walter and late the wife of the said John the father, and so from heir to heir, provided that he find a competent sustenance for the heir, keep up the houses, woods, enclosures and gardens without waste, support all charges and answer to the king for the surplus. By p.s.

Nov. 18. Westminster Confirmation of letters patent of Richard II, granting to John de Katerinton, clerk, and Petronilla his wife the custody of Joan Spencer, idiot, and all her lands within the city of London, to the value of 20 marks yearly. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 18. Westminster Grant for life to William Byspham of 12*d.* daily from the issues and other profits of the counties of Warwick and Leicester. By p.s.

Vacated because in the third year.

Nov. 12. Westminster. Grant for life to William Landesdale of 6*d.* daily from the custom of the town of Hull. By p.s.

Vacated because elsewhere in this year.

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Nov. 13. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight John Tiptot, whom the king has retained for life, of 100 marks yearly from the issues of the county of Cambridge. By p.s.

Nov. 13. Westminster. Grant to the king's servants John Mersh and Henry Forster of 30*l.* due to the king by John Mersh, citizen of London, from two fines made by him in the Bench in the time of Richard II. By p.s.

Nov. 15. Westminster. Grant for life to William Dewesbury of 6*d.* daily from the custom of the town of Boston. By p.s.
Vacated because elsewhere in the year.

Nov. 15. Westminster. Protection for Thomas Cam, citizen of London, and Stephen Grove, whom the king's clerk John de Scarle, the chancellor, has appointed during his pleasure as purveyors and buyers of victuals for the expenses of the household of the Chancery.

Nov. 20. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Robert de Waterton, whom the king has retained for life, of 40*l.* yearly at the hands of the customers of the town of Kyngeston on Hull. By p.s.
Vacated by surrender.

Nov. 12. Westminster. Grant to the king's clerk Robert Manfeld of the prebend of St. John in the collegiate church of Houeden. By p.s.
Mandate in pursuance to R. archbishop of York. By the same writ.

Nov. 17. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Joce of letters patent dated 20 August, 9 Richard II, granting to him for life 6*d.* daily.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 20. Westminster Pardon, at the supplication of the king's esquire Robert Watirton, to Henry Abell of the town of Kenylworth, servant of Thomas Parker of the same town, for the death of John Janyns on Saturday before SS. Philip and James, 21 Richard II, in the park of Kenylworth. By p.s.

Nov. 19. Westminster. Grant to the king's servant Thomas Coton of London, 'bowyer,' of the office of making the king's bows in the Tower of London, receiving 6*d.* daily as Robert Bridport had. By p.s.

Nov. 20. Westminster. Grant for life to Agnes Beaufaire, in relief of her poor estate, of 4*d.* daily from the custom of the town of Suthampton. By p.s.

Nov. 18. Westminster. Grant to the king's servant John Midelham and his heirs of a house in Bordehawelane in the city of London, not worth more than 2 marks yearly, which Burdeux Heraud, deceased, had of the grant of Richard II. By p.s.

Nov. 19. Westminster. Whereas John Barbour 'Rogerservant Claryngdon' was indicted of the death of William Drayton, 'chivaler,' of which he is not guilty, and was outlawed, but was ignorant of the outlawry, the king pardons him the outlawry and grants him his peace.

Nov. 20. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Manfeld of 8 marks yearly from the issues of the county of York. By p.s.

Nov. 21. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Richard Clapham of 6*d.* daily from the issues of the counties of Nottingham and Derby. By p.s.

Grant for life to the king's servant John de Bradeley of 6*d.* daily from the issues of the county of Lincoln. By p.s.

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Nov. 20. Westminster. The prior of Bath, staying in England, has letters nominating brothers Thomas de Wilton and John Preston, his fellow-monks, his attorneys in Ireland for five years.
John Hull, 'chivaler,' received the attorneys by writ.

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Nov. 16. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant William Thornbury of 6*d.* daily at the hands of the sheriffs of London. By p.s.

The like to Robert Soterman. By writ.

Nov. 14. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Erlesyate of 6*d.* daily from the custom and subsidy of wools and merchandise in the port of Kyngeston on Hull. By writ.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 8 March in the third year, the king granted to him 6d. daily for life at the Exchequer, with arrears.

Nov. 16. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Richard Grene of Dover of the office of warrener and keeper of the king's warren at the castle of Dover with the due fees and profits, as Thomas Mewe had. By p.s.

Nov. 15. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire William Rye of the office of the constableship of the castle of Dublin, with the accustomed fees. By p.s.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because with his assent the king granted the same to Janico Dartas for life on 8 April, in the second year.

Nov. 16. Westminster. William Asshe, esquire, staying in England, has letters nominating Robert Burnell and Hugh Bavent, clerk, his attorneys in Ireland for one year. John Chitterne, clerk, received the attorneys.

Nov. 14. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Swet of letters patent dated 12 November, 21 Richard II, granting to him for life 6*d.* daily.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 16. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Sayer, of the order of Austin Friars, of letters patent dated 4 January, 16 Richard II, granting to him for life 16 yards of cloth yearly.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 18. Westminster. Grant for life to John Reede of 5 marks yearly at the Exchequer, in recompense of a like grant to him by the king's uncle the duke of Gloucester, deceased, from the fee-farm of the town of Gloucester, which farm has come into the king's hands for want of a male heir of the said duke. By p.s.

Nov. 15. Westminster. Grant for life to Thomas Waleys of 6*d.* daily from the issues of the county of Wilts. By p.s.

Nov. 21. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire William Loueney of the manors of Silkeby and Dembleby, co. Lincoln, with all fees, profits and commodities, late of John Bussy, 'chivaler,' and in the king's hands by reason of his forfeiture. By K.
Vacated because in the fifth year.

Nov. 15. Westminster. Grant for life to Robert Walys of the office of maker of bows, springalds, cross-bows and gear and arraying of the king's guns within the castle of Pontefract or elsewhere at the king's appointment, receiving for himself

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and his servant of the same art 12*d.* daily at the hands of the sheriffs of London. By p.s.

Vacated because otherwise below.

Nov. 3. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Eyr *alias* Eir of the following:—
1. Letters patent dated 10 December, 18 Richard II, granting to him for life the office of keeper of the king's beds and cloths within the privy palace of Westminster.
2. Letters patent dated 27 June, 14 Richard II, granting to him, during pleasure, a chamber within the palace.
3. Letters patent dated 14 March, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life 100*s.* yearly. By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Non otr' quia.

Oct. 31. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John West of the following:—
1. Letters patent dated 6 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 16 May, 44 Edward III, and 10 October, 50 Edward III.
2. Letters patent dated 1 March, 1 Richard II, granting to him for life the custody of the king's privy palace of Westminster.

By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 19. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Sutbury of Crowemer of 4*d.* daily from the custom of the town of Great Jernemuth. By p.s.

Vacated because elsewhere in this year.

Grant for life to the king's servant Gerard Hunt of 4*d.* daily from the fee-farm of the town of Great Jernemuth. By p.s.

Nov. 20. Westminster. Grant for life to Richard Yoxhale of 10*l.* yearly at the Exchequer, in lieu of a grant to him by letters patent of Richard II of the office of porter of the castle of Chester with wages of 2*d.* daily and an annuity of 100*s.* at the exchequer of Chester, because the premises now belong to the king's son the prince. By p.s.

Nov. 15. Westminster. Grant for life to Robert Walys of the office of maker of bows, springalds, cross-bows and gear and arraying of the king's guns within the castle of Pontefract and elsewhere at the king's appointment, receiving for himself and his servant of the same art 12*d.* daily from the farms, issues and profits of the city of London and county of Middlesex. By p.s.

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Nov. 11. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John de Roche of letters patent dated 8 July, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life 100 marks yearly.

By p.s. and for 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 16. Westminster. Ratification of the estate which William de Stirkeland has as prebendary of Houeden in the collegiate church of Houeden. By p.s.

The like for the following:—

Nov. 17. Westminster. George de Louthorp, prebendary of Ludyngton in the conventual church of Shaftesbury, in the diocese of Salisbury, and parson of the church of St. Thomas the Martyr, Salisbury. By p.s.

Nov. 10. Westminster. John Malewayn, parson of the church of Hulpryngton, in the diocese of Salisbury.

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Nov. 23. Westminster. Henry Blakemore, parson of the church of Haukchirche, in the diocese of Salisbury.

Nov. 13. Westminster. Richard Alred, master of the house or hospital of St. Thomas of Acon, in the city of London. By p.s.

Oct. 18. Westminster. Master Richard Ronhale, parson of the churches of Clyve, in the diocese of Rochester, and Aldyngton, in the diocese of Canterbury, and prebendary of Driffeld in the church of St. Peter, York, and Bekyngham in the collegiate church of Suthwell. By K.

Nicholas Hemyngford, king's clerk, master or warden of the hospital or free chapel of St. John Baptist, Huntyngdon, in the diocese of Lincoln. By K.

Nov. 22. Westminster. William Lychard, warden of the free chapel of Alghamston, co. Salop. By p.s.

Nov. 5. Westminster. Richard Henry, parson of the church of Temesford.

Dec. 3. Westminster. John Fermer, king's clerk, parson of the church of Rybchestre, in the diocese of York.

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July 18. Westminster. Walter Wytteby, warden of the free chapel of Watton atte Stone. By p.s.

Aug. 5. Newcastle-upon-Tyne. William de Wottenhull, parson of the church of Rathmore, in the diocese of Meath, in Ireland. By p.s.

July 28. Newcastle-upon-Tyne. Simon Marcheford, parson of the church of Harow on the Hull, in the diocese of London. By p.s.

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Nov. 14. Westminster. Grant to the king's kinsman William Beauchamp of all arrears of annuities of 100 marks granted to him by Edward III and 200 marks granted to him by Richard II, confirmed by letters patent of the king. By p.s.

Sept. 30. Westminster. Grant, during office, to William Thirnyng, chief justice of the Common Bench, of two tuns of wine of Gascony yearly in the port of London. By K.

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Nov. 6. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Joan late the wife of Walter Partrich of letters patent dated 17 October, 10 Richard II, granting to her for life 12 marks yearly. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 8. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire John de Leventhorpe of all lands, rents and services late of William Trenchaud in the town of Aulton, co. Southampton, which were granted to William Serle by Richard II and are now in the king's hands. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 27 February, in the third year the king granted to him the same for life from Michaelmas, 23 Richard II.

Nov. 20. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight Thomas Flemmyng of the duchy of Lancaster, whom the king has retained for life, of 40 marks yearly from the issues of the county of York. By p.s.

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Nov. 6. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Thomas Croydon of letters patent dated 25 August, 9 Richard II, granting to him for life 6*d.* daily.
By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 4. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Nicholas othe Blakehall of letters patent dated 15 October, 14 Richard II, granting to him for life 3*d.* daily.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 12. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Russell of letters patent dated 22 April, 5 Richard II, granting to him for life 10*l.* yearly.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 21. Westminster. Grant for life to John Hereford of 12*d.* daily for his wages as one of the king's serjeants at arms at the hands of the sheriffs of London and a robe yearly at the great wardrobe, in lieu of grants by letters patent of Richard II, surrendered. By p.s.

Nov. 16. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Robert Eyton of letters patent dated 10 October, 9 Richard II, granting to him for life 6*d.* daily.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 21. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Henry Maunsell of a writing (*French*) of Ralph, earl of Westmoreland, lord of Neville and marshal of England, dated 20 November, 1 Henry IV, granting to him for life a yearly rent of 10*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* from the manor, town and lordship of Boston, which the king has granted to the said earl by letters patent, in lieu of a grant of the keeping of the crane in Boston by letters patent (*see p.* 85), surrendered; and grant that if he survive the earl he shall have the rent for life.
By p.s.

Nov. 16. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Riffane, so far as concerns the custody of the park, of letters patent (*French*) of Thomas, duke of Norfolk, earl of Nottingham, marshal of England, lord of Moubray, Segrave, Gower and Lewes, dated at Windsor, 17 March, 21 Richard II, granting to him for life the custody of the park of Calwedon, co. Warwick, and the office of lieutenant of the manor and castle of Calwedon, the custody of which John Kyngeley has for life, with the accustomed fees.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

MEMBRANE 23.

Nov. 19. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant William Blount of the lands in Barwe and Qwerndon, co. Leicester, late of John Ussher, who was killed on account of the king's uncle the duke of Gloucester, deceased, in the king's hands as escheated on that account, to hold to the value of 26*s.* 8*d.* yearly, provided that he answer yearly at the Exchequer for any surplus. By p.s.

Nov. 20. Westminster. Grant for life to Robert Kilby of 10 marks yearly from the issues of the county of Leicester. By K. & by p.s.

Nov. 20. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Thomas atte Wode of letters patent dated 30 June, 22 Richard II, granting to him for life 10*l.* yearly.
By K. & by p.s.

Nov. 18. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Giles Frenssh of letters patent dated 8 February, 16 Richard II, granting to him for life the office of keeping

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the king's beds and armour within the castle of Wyndesore; and grant to him for life of the custody of the king's park of Langeley Marreys with the accustomed fees and other profits, as Edward Durdent, deceased, had. By K. & by p.s.

Oct. 15. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Langrygge *alias* Langrych *alias* Langerigge of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 12 May, 16 Richard II, granting to him for life the office of 'felbyndynge' in London.
2. Letters patent dated 27 July, 19 Richard II, granting to him for life 8*d.* daily.
3. Letters patent dated 5 April, 22 Richard II, granting to him for life 100*s.* yearly. By K. & by p.s.

Nov. 20. Westminster. Whereas James de la Mare, Richard de la Mare, John Plum 'Jamesservant de la Mare,' and John Berewyk 'Richardesservant de la Mare' are indicted of having on Monday after St. Peter ad Vincula, 23 Richard II, come with others unknown to Eton by Leominstre and there broken the house of Hugh Hakeluyt and stolen and carried off 9*s.* of gold and silver, a sword worth 6*s.* 8*d.*, three pairs of shoes worth 2*s.*, and other goods of his and also of having on the same day at Eton seized Joan the wife of Walter son of the said Hugh, in the custody of Hugh, and carried her off and still detaining her and of beating Llewellyn, servant of the said Hugh, there and taking a dagger worth 8*d.* of his, and the said James and Richard and John Tylere and Tannere are charged with having come to Kymbalton in the franchise of Leomynstre and there lain in ambush on Friday before Shrovetide, 18 Richard II, and killed Nicholas Maugne, the king hereby pardons the said James. By p.s.

The like to the said Richard de la Mare. By the same writ.
The like to the said John Plum. By the same writ.
The like to the said John Berewyk 'Richardesservant de la Mare.' By the same writ.
The like to the said John Tylere and Tannere. By the same writ.

Nov. 23. Westminster. Grant to John Dyndon that he shall have the office of the king's chief tailor with the fees and other profits belonging to it as Master Walter Rauf had. By p.s.

Nov. 24. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Fower, for his good service to the king's uncle, the prince, deceased, and Richard II and the king, of 100*s.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 1 *January, in the third year, the king granted to him* 100*s. yearly for life at the hands of the abbot and convent of St. Albans.*

Nov. 15. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 23 January, 16 Richard II, granting for life to Thomas Monk that he shall be one of the messengers of the Exchequer. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 17. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 4 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 30 November, 50 Edward III, to John Gosebourn. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

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Nov. 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Lambert Fermer of the following :—

1. Letters patent dated 22 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent (*French*) of Edward, prince of Wales, dated 11 August, 1374, and 5 June, 50 Edward III.
2. Letters patent dated 12 January, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life 20*l.* yearly.
3. Letters patent dated 31 October, 7 Richard II, granting for life to him and Isabel his wife a tun of wine yearly.
4. Letters patent dated 15 March, 22 Richard II, granting for life to him and John Morvyle the office of the bailiwick of Blakemore in the counties of Cornwall and Devon.

By p.s. and for 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 12. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 11 June, 4 Richard II, granting for life to Richard Pounfreyt 10*l.* yearly, and letters patent dated 30 May, 15 Richard II, granting for life to Richard Pontefrayt 10*l.* yearly. By p.s. and for 16*s.* 8*d.* paid in the hanaper.

Vacated by surrender.

Nov. 17. Westminster. Exemplification, at the request of Margaret late the wife of Nicholas de Sarnesfeld, of the tenour of the enrolment of letters patent dated 28 October, 1 Henry IV (*see p.* 39), inspecting and confirming letters patent of the following dates :—

20 October, 18 Richard II.
21 March, 16 Richard II.
10 July, 19 Richard II.
22 March, 22 Richard II.

These letters have been accidentally lost, as she has taken oath in Chancery, and will be surrendered if found.

MEMBRANE 21.

Nov. 12. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of the following :—

1. Letters patent dated 19 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming the following :—
   (1.) Letters patent dated 2 June, 51 Edward III, inspecting and confirming letters patent (*French*) of Ingelram de Coucy, earl of Bedford, to Henry Dounham dated 1 October, 1375, and 25 March, 51 Edward III.
   (2.) Letters patent dated 4 March, 51 Edward III, inspecting and confirming letters patent (*French*) of the said Ingelram dated 21 August, 49 Edward III, granting for life to the said Henry the custody of the park of Hamstede Mareschal, co. Berks.
2. Letters patent dated 23 January, 4 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent (*French*) of Alexander, archbishop of York, and others to the said Henry dated 8 April, 2 Richard II.

By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, so far as concerns the custody of the said park, because with his assent on 5 May in the fourth year the king granted the office of parker of the park to William Dancastre for life with the due fees and profits.

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Nov. 15. Westminster. Grant for life to John Wardon, in consideration of his labour and service in the Exchequer in the times of Edward III and Richard II and because he is now old and cannot labour, of 12*d.* daily from the issues of the counties of Somerset and Dorset. By p.s.

Nov. 17. Westminster. Grant for life to Walter Stapelford of 10 marks yearly from the issues of the county of Wilts, in lieu of a like grant of 6*d.* daily by letters patent of Richard II, surrendered. By p.s.

Nov. 4. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 31 December, 16 Richard II, granting for life to Robert Greseley 2*d.* daily. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 20. Westminster. Grant for life to Peter Stantor of 40*l.* yearly from the issues of the county of Wilts, in lieu of a grant to him and Elizabeth his wife by letters patent of Richard II, confirmed by letters patent of the king, surrendered. By p.s.

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Nov. 16. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Peter de Bolleron of letters patent dated 18 November, 8 Richard II, inspecting and confirming an indenture of John Innocent, prior of St. Mary's, Lancastre, dated Sunday after Martinmas, 8 Richard II, demising the manor of Aldeclif to the said Peter for sixty years. For 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 14. Westminster. Grant for life to John Wilton of 6*d.* daily from the custom of Lynne. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled because invalid, and so he had amended letters patent of the same date.

Nov. 13. Westminster. Grant to Peter Swan, 'brouderer,' that he shall be the king's broiderer during good behaviour, receiving the accustomed fees. By p.s.

Nov. 12. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant William Eliot of 6*d.* daily from the customs of Southampton. By p.s.

Vacated because in the third year.

Nov. 15. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 10 December, 5 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 11 November, 50 Edward III, to John Canterbury. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 20. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight Walter Clopton of the county of Suffolk, whom the king has retained for life, of 40*l.* yearly from Michaelmas last at the hands of the sheriff of Norfolk and Suffolk. By p.s.

Nov. 20. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation, notwithstanding that the manor of Hovyngham, co. York, is or has been in the king's hands by reason of the minority of the heirs (*hereditariorum*), of letters patent (*French*) of Thomas, duke of Norfolk, earl of Nottingham, lord of Moubray, Segrave and Gower, dated at London, 8 October, 22 Richard II, granting for life to his esquire William de Barkesworth an annuity of 100*s.* from that manor. By p.s. and for ¼ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 18. Westminster. The like of letters patent (*French*) of the same dated at London, 12 October, 22 Richard II, granting for life to his yeoman John Holborne a yearly rent of 10 marks from his manor of Lynchelade, co. Buckingham. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

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Nov. 21. Westminster. Grant for life to Thomas Lytylton, esquire, whom the king has retained for life, of 20*l.* yearly from the fee-farm of the town of Worcester. By p.s.

Nov. 22. Westminster. Grant, during pleasure, to William son of Richard de Weston of the office of clerk and keeper of the lesser piece of the seal for the recognisances of the statute merchant within the town of Shrewsbury, with the accustomed fees and profits. By p.s.

Nov. 23. Westminster. Exemplification, at the request of Edmund, earl of Rutland, of the tenour of the enrolment of letters patent dated 30 November, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life the custody of the islands of Jeresey, Gernesey, Serk and Aurney.

MEMBRANE 19.

Nov. 17. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of the following :—

1. Letters patent dated 9 October, 22 Richard II, granting for life to William Sandeham 10*l.* yearly.
2. Letters patent dated 6 November, 21 Richard II, inspecting and confirming to William Sandale *alias* Sendale two letters patent of Thomas, archbishop of York, and Edward, earl of Rutland, dated 12 December, 20 Richard II.

By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 12. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Richard Hert of the following :—

1. Letters patent dated 1 September, 8 Richard II, granting to him for life from Easter next, by mainprise of Thomas Hatfeld and Nicholas Prake, the custody of the honours of Boulogne, Peverell and Hagenet in the counties of Norfolk, Suffolk, Essex, Hertford, Cambridge and Surrey, rendering 12 marks yearly at the Exchequer.
2. Letters patent dated 5 April, 11 Richard II, granting to him for life a mansion and two virgates of land in Watelyngton.

By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 19. Westminster. Grant to the king's servant Henry Longdon of the moneys incurred by the abbot of Westminster towards the king for the escape from his prison of William Forster, convicted clerk. By p.s.

Nov. 21. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Robert Saperton that he shall be one of the king's serjeants at arms, receiving 12*d.* daily from the issues of the city of London. By p.s.

Nov. 20. Westminster. Licence for the masters and scholars of the college of the great hall of the University of Oxford, which is of the foundation of the king's progenitors, to acquire in mortmain, after inquisition, lands and rents, not held in chief by knight-service, to the value of 40*l.* yearly. By K.

Sept. 30. Westminster. Grant to Hugh Holes, one of the justices of the King's Bench, of full power to receive cognisances from any persons who may wish to make them for the levying of fines before the justices of the Bench, and to certify accordingly to the justices of the Bench, who shall receive the certificates and permit fines to be levied.

The like to John Hull.

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Nov. 18. Westminster. Whereas Robert Northflete, 'cook,' on Monday after the Conversion of St. Paul, 22 Richard II, at Neugate, London, before John Warnere and John Wade, sheriffs, and John Michel, coroner, became approver and acknowledged himself to be a robber and felon and charged William Chapman, dwelling opposite the Friars Minor at Luchefeld, co. Stafford, with having with himself on St. Stephen's day in the same year at Luchefeld in the household of the late king stolen divers silver vessels of the said king and other magnates to the value of 20*l.*, of which each had a moiety, and also with having at divers times between Christmas and Epiphany in the same year at Luchefeld in the household of the said king within his palace there stolen divers silver vessels of the said king and other magnates, weighing 18 pounds by the estimation of the jurors in a certain inquisition, each pound being worth 26*s.*, and the said Robert on Tuesday before the Conversion of St. Paul was taken with the vessels so stolen by him in the parish of St. John Zakarie in the ward of Aldrichegate, London; the king hereby pardons him. By p.s.

Nov. 20. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 8 August, 18 Richard II, granting for life to John Colton 40*s.* yearly, and letters patent dated 14 October, 13 Richard II, granting to him by the name of John Skynnere the custody of the warren of Blakegrove, co. Wilts, for life. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 15. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 4 June, 22 Richard II, granting for life to John Fraunceys 10*l.* yearly, and letters patent dated 6 July, 19 Richard II, granting to him for life 44*s.* yearly. By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, so far as concerns the annuity of 10*l. because with his assent on* 14 *February in the third year, the king granted the same for life to John Bailly, clerk, and so far as concerns the annuity of* 44*s. because with his assent on* 12 *February, in the seventh year, the king granted the same for life to Roger Tuttebury and Agnes his wife.*

Nov. 7. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Thomas Barre of letters patent dated 28 May, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life 40 marks yearly, letters patent dated 16 November, 8 Richard II, granting to him for life 40 marks yearly, and letters patent dated 28 May, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life three tuns of red wine yearly. By p.s. and for 4 marks paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 15. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 26 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 4 October, 50 Edward III, to William Hardyng. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 5 November, 8 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 11 November, 50 Edward III, to John Haydon.
2. Letters patent dated 8 July, 14 Richard II, granting for life to John Heydon the custody of the king's garden of Wyndesore.

By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 20. Westminster. Grant to Hugh de Lilburn, late servant of the earl of Nottingham, deceased, of 12 marks yearly from the manor of Aspeley, co. Warwick, from Michaelmas last during the minority of Thomas, son and heir of the said earl, and so from heir to heir. By p.s.

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Nov. 14. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Reynald of the following:—
1. Letters patent dated 7 August, 18 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent (*French*) of Anne, queen of England, dated 20 June, 6 Richard II.
2. Letters patent dated 10 July, 19 Richard II, appointing him one of the king's serjeants at arms.
By p.s. and for 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 19. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Hugh Chaddeslee of letters patent dated 8 August 18 Richard II, granting to him for life 100*s.* yearly. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 12. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Richard Raundes of the following:—
1. Letters patent dated 24 October, 15 Richard II, granting to him for life 100*s.* yearly.
2. Letters patent dated 16 June, 15 Richard II, granting to him for life certain fees and profits to the value of 9 marks yearly.
3. Letters patent dated 7 August, 18 Richard II, granting to him for life 100*s.* yearly.
4. Letters patent dated 10 November, 21 Richard II, granting to him for life the said fees and profits to the value of 5 marks further. By p.s. and for 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 7. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Thomas Arumer of the following:—
1. Letters patent dated 12 July, 15 Richard II, granting to him for life the office of under-parker of the park of Chilternelangeley.
2. Letters patent dated 17 May, 18 Richard II, granting to him for life the ferry of Redewynde *alias* Charteseye Ferye.
3. Letters patent dated 28 February, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life 10*l.* yearly.
By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Richard Cradoc of letters patent dated 18 October, 15 Richard II, granting to him for life 40*l.* yearly. By p.s. and for 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 20. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Richard Merston *alias* Mersshton of letters patent dated 9 February, 16 Richard II, granting to him for life the office of ranger in the forest of Fekkenham, and letters patent dated 26 January, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life the office of parker of the park of Fekenham. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

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Nov. 18. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Richard of York, son of Edmund, duke of York, of letters patent dated 8 February, 16 Richard II, granting to him 100*l.* yearly, and letters patent dated 16 March, 16 Richard II, granting to him for life 238*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* yearly. By p.s.

Nov. 21. Westminster. Grant for life to Robert Coton of 10*l.* yearly from the issues of the subsidy, ulnage and forfeiture of cloths within the city of London. By K.

Nov. 24. Westminster. Presentation of Thomas ap Adam, parson of the church of Panteg, in the diocese of Llandaff, to the church of Neweton Nether Went, in the same diocese, on an exchange of benefices with Adam Usk.

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Nov. 14. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Waryn *alias* Waryng *alias* Warryng of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 20 August, 11 Richard II, granting a shop to him and Thomas Mewe.
2. Letters patent dated 24 April, 17 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent (*French*) of Anne, queen of England, dated 4 March, 7 Richard II and 20 July, 14 Richard II.
3. Letters patent dated 11 February, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life 12*d.* daily.
4. Letters patent dated 26 September, 21 Richard II, granting to him for life the office of keeper of the park of Brustwyk in Holdernesse.

By p.s. and for 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 16. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Henry Morecroft of letters patent dated 5 May, 22 Richard II, granting to him the custody of the lands late of John Nowers during the minority of Almaric, son and heir of the latter, and so from heir to heir. By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

MEMBRANE 15.

Nov. 15. Westminster *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Tunstall, notwithstanding that Thomas, earl of Nottingham, marshal of England, lord of Moubray and Segrave is dead and the manor of Wyllyngton is in the king's hands by reason of the minority of Thomas his son and heir, of letters patent (*French*) of the said earl, dated at Eppeworth, 1 September, 18 Richard II, appointing the said John for life keeper of the warren in the said manor and granting to him for life the keeping of the wood of Shirehacche and 2*d.* daily from the said manor, and letters patent (*French*) of the same dated at London, 13 February, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life an annuity of 40*s.* from the manor of Wylyton, co. Bedford.

By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 14. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Joan late the wife of Donald Hesilrigg of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 20 July, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 25 June, 33 Edward III, in favour of the said Joan, then Joan de Bredon.
2. Letters patent dated 2 July, 13 Richard II, granting to her for life 20 marks yearly and pardoning to her certain sums.
3. Letters patent dated 5 April, 19 Richard II, granting to her for life a tun of wine yearly.

By p.s. and for 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 23. Westminster. Grant for life to Richard Rayle and Nicholas Chirchehill of the lands called Cleygate and Whetershh lying at Henlee on le Heth, for which 12*l.* yearly were paid at the Exchequer in the time of Richard II, to hold without rendering anything. By p.s.

Nov. 20. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Thomas Rande *alias* Ronde of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 2 September, 18 Richard II, granting to him for life an annuity of 20*s.*
2. Letters patent dated 2 February, 21 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent of Edward, duke of Albemarle and earl of Rutland, dated 1 January, 21 Richard II.

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3. Letters patent dated 20 August, 21 Richard II, granting to him for life certain lands.
4. Letters patent dated 7 April, 22 Richard II, granting to him for life 20 marks yearly.

And grant to him of arrears. By K. and by p.s.

MEMBRANE 14.

Nov. 7. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of the following :—

1. Letters patent dated 20 September, 2 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 5 November, 50 Edward III, to Thomas de Percy.
2. Letters patent dated 6 June, 14 Richard II, granting to him for life an annuity of 100*l.*
3. Letters patent dated 15 May, 14 Richard II, granting to him for life the castle of Emelyn Huckirch, co. Caermarthen, and the commote there.
4. Letters patent dated 9 January, 16 Richard II, granting to him for life the castle, town and lordship of Haverford in Wales.
5. Letters patent of the same date, granting to him for life the king's prises of wines at the port of Milforde.
6. Letters patent dated 5 July, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life 100 marks yearly.
7. A charter dated at Westminster, 29 September, 21 Richard II, creating him earl of Worcester. [*Charter Roll*, 21-23 *Richard II*, *No.* 21.]
8. Letters patent dated 3 October, 21 Richard II, granting to him for life certain manors and mills.
9. Letters patent dated 22 May, 21 Richard II, granting to him for life 20*l.* yearly.
10. Letters patent (*French*) of the king's father John, king of Castile and Leon and duke of Lancaster, dated at Quintela in Portugal, 16 March, 1386, granting to him, by the name of Thomas Percy 'Luncle,' for life 100*l.* yearly from the issues of the receipt of Knaresburgh, co. York.
11. Letters patent dated 26 July, 22 Richard II, granting to him and the heirs male of his body 181*l.* 10*s.* yearly.

And grant to him of arrears. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 13.

Nov. 18. Westminster. Grant for life to Elizabeth Harpedene of 20 marks yearly in the hanaper. By p.s.

Nov. 14. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Thomas Shepey of the following :—

1. Letters patent dated 7 February, 16 Richard II, granting to him for life 10*l.* yearly.
2. Letters patent dated 18 February, 17 Richard II, granting to him for life 100*s.* yearly.
3. Letters patent dated 6 October, 19 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent of Thomas, archbishop of York, and Edward, earl of Rutland, dated 24 September, 19 Richard II.

And grant that he and Alice his wife shall have the said annuities for life. By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

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Nov. 19. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Crede *alias* Credy of letters patent dated 26 November, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life the custody of the lesser piece of the seal for the recognisances of debts in the city of York, and letters patent dated 18 October, 22 Richard II, granting to him for life 100*s.* yearly. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Vacated so far as concerns the custody, because with his assent the king granted it for life to James Grenehalgh on 7 March in the eighth year.

Nov. 18. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Burgh of letters patent dated 18 December, 21 Richard II, and 18 February, 22 Richard II, each granting to him for life 10*l.* yearly. By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 21. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight Thomas Grey of Heton of 100 marks yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 12.

Oct. 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 17 March, 19 Richard II, granting for life to Robert de Garton a tun of red wine of Gascony yearly in the port of Kyngeston on Hull. By p.s.

Oct. 10. Westminster. Mandate in pursuance to the chief butler or his lieutenant in the said port.

Nov. 3. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 21 May, 5 Richard II, granting for life to William Wynselowe the office of the constableship of the commote of Kayo in Cantrefmaur.
2. Letters patent dated 20 November, 14 Richard II, granting for life to William Wenselawe the office of the woodwardships of Dyntheleyne and Iscorvay, co. Carnarvon.
3. Letters patent dated 12 July, 15 Richard II, granting for life to William Wyncelowe the ferry of Sandford, co. Oxford.
4. Letters patent dated 11 February, 17 Richard II, granting to him for life the office of the woodwardship of Evyonyth in North Wales. By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 20. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Cheyne, because he has informed the king and council that the manor of Bekford is not a conventual priory nor is there anything spiritual pertaining to it although it has the name of the priory of Bekford, of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 1 October, 7 Richard II, granting to him the custody of the priory of Bekford during the war with France and afterwards 100 marks yearly for life.
2. Letters patent dated 2 February, 10 Richard II, granting to him the custody of all lands in the county of Gloucester pertaining to the alien abbey of Bailbek during the war with France.

By p.s. and for 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 27. Westminster. Presentation of John Wotton, prebendary of Bullewardhethe in the free chapel of Hastynges, in the diocese of Chichester, to the free chapel of Asserton, in the diocese of Salisbury, on an exchange of benefices with Thomas atte Lee.

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Nov. 16. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Henry de Yevele of letters patent dated 22 October, 13 Richard II, granting to him for life the manors of Tremworth and Vannes, co. Kent, and 25*s.* and a robe yearly.
By p.s. and for 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.
Non otr' quia mor'.

MEMBRANE 11.

Nov. 18. Westminster. Grant to Robert, lord of Scales, of the custody of the manor of Lopham, co. Norfolk, late of Thomas, duke of Norfolk, from Michaelmas last during the minority of his son and heir, and so from heir to heir; and grant to him for life of 50*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Nov. 11. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John de Wykes of letters patent dated 16 October, 15 Richard II, granting to him for life the office of marshal of the marshalsea of the King's Bench.
By p.s. and for 2½ marks paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 13. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Richard de Neuton of letters patent dated 4 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 13 April, 30 Edward III.
By p.s. and for God because he is poor.

Nov. 20. Westminster. Appointment, during good behaviour, of Robert de Waterton as master of the king's horses and armour, with the due fees, profits and commodities. By K.

Nov. 15. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 26 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 4 October, 50 Edward III, to John Nouseley.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 22. Westminster. Grant to John Holleburne of the custody of the park of Chesterford, co. Essex, in the king's hands by the death of the duke of Norfolk, during the minority of his heirs, with 10 marks yearly for his wages and 13*s.* 4*d.* for a robe from the issues of the manor of Chesterford with other profits, as John Allerton, deceased, had. By p.s.

Nov. 27. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Edward, earl of Rutland, of the following:—
1. Letters patent dated 4 June, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life the Isle of Wight and the castle of Karsbroke.
2. Letters patent dated 23 November, 1 Henry IV (*see p.* 106), exemplifying letters patent dated 30 November, 20 Richard II.
By p.s.

Nov. 18. Westminster. Appointment, during pleasure, of Alexander, bishop of Meath, as chancellor of Ireland, receiving the accustomed fee and 10*s.* daily at the exchequer of Ireland. By K. & C.

Oct. 20. Westminster. Commission, during pleasure, to the king's clerk Robert de Faryngton of the office of treasurer of the exchequer of Ireland, receiving the accustomed fee and 6*s.* 8*d.* daily for the expenses of his household from the issues of the land of Ireland. By K. & C.

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Appointment, during pleasure, of John Fitz Adam as chief justice of the common bench in Ireland, receiving the accustomed fee. By K. & C.

Grant, during good behaviour, to the king's clerk Robert Sutton of the office of chief chamberlain of the exchequer in Ireland, receiving the accustomed fee. By K. & C.

Grant, during good behaviour, to Richard Rede of the office of chief baron of the exchequer in Ireland with the fees and other profits pertaining to it. By K. & C.

The like to Robert Burnell of Dublin of the office of second baron. By K. & C.

The like to the king's clerk Hugh de Faryngton of the office of third baron. By K. & C.

The like to William Boltham of the office of chief engrosser of the exchequer in Ireland. By K. & C.

Appointment, during pleasure, of the king's clerk John Kirkeby as keeper of the rolls of chancery in Ireland, receiving such fees as Robert de Faryngton, clerk, late keeper, had. By K. & C.

Grant, during good behaviour, to the king's clerk Hugh Bavent of the office of clerk of the hanaper of the chancery of Ireland, with the accustomed fees. By K. & C.

MEMBRANE 10.

Nov. 14. Westminster. Exemplification, at the request of the king's uncle Edmund, duke of York, of the tenour of the enrolment of letters patent dated 20 November, 1 Richard II, granting divers possessions to him, then earl of Cambridge, and Isabel his wife and the heirs male of his body. These letters have been accidentally lost, as Thomas Worfton, clerk, has taken oath in Chancery.

Nov. 20. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Thomas Ryngwode of 20 marks yearly from the custom of Suthampton. By p.s.
Vacated because elsewhere in this year.

Nov. 20. Westminster. Grant to the king's servants John Beaupere and John Baudewyn of the 100s. which the sheriff of Oxford has incurred towards the king because Robert Hygyn of Walys, committed for felony, has escaped from his custody. By p.s.

Nov. 25. Westminster. Exemplification, at the request of John Reuel, of the tenour of the enrolment of letters patent dated 14 January, 13 Richard II, granting to him for life the office of ranger of the bailiwicks of Brykstok and Clyve within the forest of Rokyngham. These letters have been accidentally lost, as John Roger, esquire, has taken oath in Chancery.

Nov. 6. Westminster. Whereas Robert le Wryght acquired to himself and his heirs from John de Warenna, late earl of Surrey, a moiety of a bovate of land in Flanshowe, co. York, held in chief, and entered thereon, and afterwards Thomas son of Laurence acquired the same from him to himself and his heirs and entered thereon, without licence, and the land was accordingly

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taken into the hands of Edward III by William Nessefeld, late escheator in the county, the king, for 6*s.* 8*d.* paid to him by John del Spen, chaplain, kinsman and heir of the said Thomas, pardons the trespasses.
For ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 19. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Archer of letters patent dated 20 August, 9 Richard II, granting to him for life 6*d.* daily.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because with his assent on 23 February in the fourth year the king granted the same for life to Richard Gardyner.

Nov. 28. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Robert Symeon, whom the king has retained for life, of 20 marks yearly from the issues of the county of Oxford. By p.s.

Nov. 17. Westminster. Whereas by an inquisition taken before John atte Crosse, escheator in the county of Norfolk, on 14 November, 20 Richard II, it was found that one Ranulph Glaunville, whose heir the late king was, granted to the prior and convent of Buttelee the custody of the hospital of Westsomerton on the condition that they should maintain in it thirteen lepers with all necessaries and a chaplain to celebrate divine service there daily and a clerk [to pray] for the souls of the said Ranulph and his father and mother, and the prior for twenty years past ceased the maintenance of nine of the lepers and the chaplain and clerk and the prior and convent for twelve years withdrew from the four lepers who were there on that date seven gallons of ale a week, worth 1*d.* each, and the hospital is worth 10 marks yearly, and the hospital was accordingly taken into the hands of the late king and still is in the hands of the king; the king, because the prior and convent have informed him that the hospital at the time of its first endowment was worth 60*l.* yearly and now does not exceed the value of 10 marks yearly, so that the charges cannot be maintained according to the first foundation, and because the place where the hospital of old time was is at present desolate, grants the hospital to them and their successors, so that they shall find two canons in their priory to celebrate divine service there for the good estate of the king and the souls of his progenitors and predecessors and the said Ranulph and his father and mother, and acquits them of the issues of the hospital for the said twenty years and the price of the said gallons of ale. By p.s. and for 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 15. Westminster. Grant to the king's first-born son Henry, prince of Wales, duke of Cornwall and earl of Chester, of the custody of all lands, rents and services in the principality of Wales and the counties of Chester and Flynt in the king's hands by reason of the minority of any heirs, to hold during the said minorities with the marriages of the heirs. [*Fœdera.*]
By K.

MEMBRANE 9.

Nov. 6. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Elizabeth Whittewell of letters patent dated 16 August, 18 Richard II, granting to her for life 10*l.* yearly.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 13. Westminster. Grant to the king's servants Roger Tuttebury and Robert Castel of the 10*l.* which William Fenes, late sheriff of Surrey, has incurred towards

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the king for the escapes from his custody of George, sometime servant of William de Arundell, and William Henseman, detained in the prison of Guldeford for felony. By p.s.

Nov. 15. Westminster. Pardon to William de Cotis 'del Cotis' for the death of Richard Bakster of Carleton and all other felonies, murders and trespasses with which he is charged. By p.s.

Nov. 20. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 20 July, 15 Richard II, granting to John Colshull and Emma his wife and their heirs and assigns certain manors late of William Hywissh.
By pet. of C. in Parl. and for 5 marks paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 10. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of the following:—
1. Letters patent dated 2 June, 16 Richard II, granting for life to John Wakirle and Joan his wife two manors.
2. Letters patent dated 25 July, 18 Richard II, granting for life to John Wakerle the custody of the park of Clyve within the forest of Rokyngham.
3. Letters patent dated 19 May, 20 Richard II, granting for life to Joan Wakerley a tun of wine yearly.

By p.s. and for 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 21. Westminster. Grant for life to Peter Lanwort, esquire, whom the king has retained for life, of 20 marks yearly at the hands of the sheriff of Lincoln. By p.s.

Nov. 24. Westminster. Grant for life to Thomas Fang of the city of York, merchant, of 6*d.* daily from the customs in the port of Kyngeston on Hull. By p.s.

Nov. 25. Westminster. Grant to William Norton of London, 'spicer,' to whom 86*l.* 6*s.* 4*d.* are due from Thomas, late duke of Norfolk, deceased, for spices (*speciebus*) bought, that the same shall be paid to him from the issues of the manors of Bretteby, Coton and Rostlastone, co. Derby, late of the said duke.
Vacated by surrender. By p.s.

Nov. 27. Westminster. Presentation of Thomas Gloreston, vicar of the church of Reynham, in the diocese of Canterbury, to the vicarage of the church of Upchirche, in the same diocese, in the king's gift by reason of the temporalities of the alien abbot of l'Isle Dieu being in his hands on account of the war with France, on an exchange of benefices with Simon Stok.

Nov. 8. Westminster. Writ of aid for the rector of Edyndon. Richard Medford, bishop of Salisbury, lately appointed him to collect the second moiety of the tenth last granted to Richard II by the clergy of the province of Canterbury in the city of Salisbury and the archdeaconries of Sarum and Dorset and pay it to the said late king at Midsummer last, but exacting nothing from the benefices of the poor college of St. Edmund, Salisbury, the poor hospital of St. Nicholas, Salisbury, the poor hospital of St. John, Wilton, and the poor nuns of Tarent; and now he has shown that, although he satisfied the said late king of the whole sum at the Exchequer, divers ecclesiastical persons refuse to pay him the sums due.

Nov. 22. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Hugh de Lincoln of letters patent dated 6 October, 1 Henry IV, being an exemplification of letters patent dated 28 March, 14 Richard II.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

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Nov. 14. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Henry Barton of letters patent dated 8 August, 18 Richard II, granting to him for life an annuity of 100*s*. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 20. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Thomas Elys of letters patent dated 9 August, 18 Richard II, granting to him for life 40*s*. yearly. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 10. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 4 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 1 October, 39 Edward III, to Gilbert del Spitel. By K. and by p.s.

Nov. 21. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Wemme of 6*d*. daily from the issues of the counties of Leicester and Warwick. By p.s.

Nov. 18. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Nicholas Cherchehull of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 31 July, 12 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent (*French*) of Thomas Tyle, dated Friday before St. Margaret, 12 Richard II.
2. Letters patent dated 11 June, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life the custody of the manor in the park of Henley on le Hethe.

And grant to him of arrears. By K. and by p.s.

Nov. 23. Westminster. Whereas the prior and convent and leprous sisters of Maydenbradeley have represented to the king that they and their predecessors were patrons of the church of Kyderminstre, co. Worcester, time out of mind and for a long time held the church to their own uses until in Easter Term, 22 Richard II, the late king recovered the presentation against the prior because one John, sometime prior, presented one John Carseley, his clerk, to the church in the time of memory and on the decease of the latter a predecessor of the present prior entered into the church and held it to his own uses without royal licence, and they ask for favour; the king grants licence for them to appropriate the church in mortmain. By K.

Nov. 15. Westminster. Grant for life to Eleanor the wife of Nicholas Dagworth, 'chivaler,' of the manor of Maunsfeld in Shirwode. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because the king on 16 *September, in his second year, granted to her the said manor and the manor of Lyndeby in Shirewode, co. Nottingham, to hold from* 1 *October for life.*

Nov. 24. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Morys of letters patent dated 15 June, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life the office of 'hauberger' and 'stuffer' of the king's arms in the Tower of London. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 15. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 2 July, 20 Richard II, granting for life to Nicholas Auncell 4½*d*. daily. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 6. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 20 August, 9 Richard II, granting for life to Thomas Plomer 6*d*. daily. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 29. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Walshale of letters patent dated 12 March, 22 Richard II, granting to him for life 10*l*. yearly, and grant to him of arrears. By K. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

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Nov. 18. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Cheyne, esquire, of an indenture (*French*) dated at Plecy, 30 September, 19 Richard II, whereby Thomas, duke of Gloucester, retains him for life with a fee of 16*l.* yearly from the lordship of Holdirnesse, *bouche de court* for himself and a yeoman his chamberlain and livery for three horses in time of war, and in time of peace, when he shall be in the duke's country, such livery as others of his condition have had. With regard to prisoners and other profits of war taken by him or his the duke shall have the third part, and if any royal person, captain or lieutenant of war shall be taken, the duke, if he please, shall have the prisoners, making compensation. Also, the said William shall make muster of his company whenever required.
By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

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Nov. 24. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the mayor, bailiffs and burgesses of the town of Kyngeston on Hull of a charter dated at Westminster, 4 June, 5 Richard II [*Charter Roll, 5 Richard II, No.* 16], inspecting and confirming with additions a charter dated at Nottingham, 15 July, 8 Edward III, inspecting and confirming with additions a charter dated at Havering atte Bower, 6 May, 5 Edward III, inspecting and confirming with additions a charter dated at York, 25 January, 5 Edward II, inspecting and confirming the following:—
1. A charter dated at Westminster, 1 April, 27 Edward I.
2. Letters patent dated 6 August, 30 Edward I.
For 20 marks paid in the hanaper.

Membrane 6—*cont.*

Nov. 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Trolle of the following:—
1. Letters patent dated 28 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 11 November, 50 Edward III.
2. Letters patent dated 18 January, 10 Richard II, granting to him for life six ells of cloth yearly.
By p.s. and for God because he is poor.

Nov. 29. Westminster. Janico Dartas, esquire, staying in England, has letters nominating Alexander, bishop of Meath, and Robert Tuyt, 'chivaler,' his attorneys in Ireland for one year. The chancellor received the attorneys.

The same has like letters nominating Nicholas Taaf and Hugh Bavent, clerk. The chancellor received the attorneys.

Nov. 10. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Bisshop of letters patent dated 10 October, 17 Richard II, granting to him for life 8*d.* daily.
By K. because he is poor and by p.s.

Nov. 29. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Thomas Roche of the office of constable of the castle of Pembroke in Wales with 20*l.* yearly from the issues of the lordship of Pembroke, at the hands of the king's kinsman William Beauchamp or whoever has the lordship at farm or receives the profits of it, and other profits belonging to the office. By p.s.

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Dec. 1. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Robert Morle of the county of Oxford of 10*l.* yearly from the ulnage and subsidy of cloths in the counties of Oxford and Berks. By p.s.

Dec. 2. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's kinsman William de Beauchamp of the manor of Fekenham, co. Worcester, with all lands, rents and services pertaining to it quit of the 87*l.* 14*s.* 4½*d.* which he used to render at the Exchequer yearly, in recompense of the manor and park of Cheillesmore which the king lately granted to him by word of mouth and which he cannot have because the king has given them to his son the prince. By p.s.

Dec. 1. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Thomas Tyle of 20 marks yearly from the petty custom in the port of London. By p.s.

Dec. 2. Westminster. Grant for life to John de Ireby of 20*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 5.

Nov. 19. Westminster. Whereas Edward III by letters patent granted licence for Simon, parson of Castre, and Nicholas Massyngham to grant the advowson of the church of Grymeston by Geyton, not held in chief, to the abbot and convent of Westderham and for these to appropriate the church in mortmain, and the said Simon and Nicholas accordingly granted the advowson to them and they were seised of it and afterwards, in 21 Richard II, the church was vacant by the resignation of Adam Pyk and the abbot and convent, because they had not licence of appropriation from the pope or the diocesan, presented one Henry Welles to the church and he was instituted and inducted; the king confirms their estate in the advowson and church and grants licence for them to appropriate the church in mortmain, provided that the diocesan appoint a competent sum of silver for distribution among the poor parishioners yearly and that the vicar of the church be sufficiently endowed. By p.s.

Nov. 20. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant William Westnesse of 6*d.* daily from the issues of the counties of Warwick and Leicester. By p.s.

Nov. 20. Westminster. Like grant to the king's servant John Westnesse. By p.s. *Vacated by surrender because he is dead.*

Nov. 20. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire William de Leek of 10 marks yearly from the fee of Lancaster in the counties of Nottingham and Leicester. By p.s.

Nov. 19. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 18 June, 16 Richard II, granting for life to John Paule, 'chivaler,' and Joan his wife two tuns of wine yearly. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 25. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 19 April, 12 Richard II, granting for life to Roger Longe wages of 12*d.* daily and a robe yearly. By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 6. Westminster. Grant to John de Etton, 'chivaler,' and Joan, late the wife of Thomas Quatremayne, deceased, of the custody of all lands late of the said Thomas and held in chief of Joan, the king's ward, daughter and heiress of Robert Grey of Retherfield, 'chivaler,' tenant in chief of Richard II,

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not exceeding the value of 20*s.* yearly, during the minority of John son and heir of the said Thomas with the marriage of the latter without disparagement, and so from heir to heir so long as the said Joan is in the king's custody, provided that they find a competent sustenance for the heir, maintain the houses, buildings, woods, gardens and enclosures and support all other charges. By p.s.

Nov. 22. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Sy of the farm which the abbot of Shrewsbury is bound to render yearly to the king for Leghwode, co. Salop, to the value of 6*l.* yearly, provided that he answer to the king for any surplus. By p.s.

Vacated because otherwise in this year.

Nov. 17. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Wytherle, notwithstanding any right of the king by the death of Thomas de Moubray, late earl of Nottingham, and the minority of his heirs, of letters patent (*French*) of Margaret, countess of Norfolk, dated at her castle of Framlyngham, 12 January, 8 Richard II, granting to him for life the keeping of the warren of Donnyngworth, co. Suffolk, and a vesture yearly of the suit of her yeomen *de mestier*, or 10*s.* for the same, and 2*d.* daily from the issues of the manor of Donnyngworth.

By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 10. Westminster. Whereas Mary, late the wife of Robert del Hall, has shown the king that the said Robert lately appealed one Robert Dode with treason before the king's kinsman the earl of Northumberland, then warden of the east march towards Scotland, and pursued the appeal to a duel in which he was killed and his goods were forfeited to Richard II, who by letters patent granted them to one Thomas de Hesham and the said Mary, and because the sheriff of Northumberland, William Charleton and the said Thomas by inquisition taken by virtue of letters patent of the present king found in whose hands the goods were the occupiers of the same lay in ambush and murdered the said Thomas; the king grants the goods to her. [*Fœdera.*] By p.s.

Nov. 25. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Nicholas Kent of letters patent dated 3 July, 19 Richard II, granting to him for life 100*s.* yearly.

By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

MEMBRANE 4.

Oct. 26. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 20 December, 19 Richard II, granting for life to Nicholas Hauberk 100 marks yearly, and letters patent dated 7 February, 21 Richard II, granting to him for life 40*l.* yearly. By p.s. and for 5 marks paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 28. Westminster. Grant to the mayor, bailiffs and good men of the town of Kyngeston on Hull of murage for four years.

Oct. 4. Westminster. Grant to the burgesses and good men of Beverley of pavage for four years, by the supervision and ordinance of Thomas Lumbard and William de Rolleston of Beverley.

Nov. 7. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 19 August, 1 Richard II, granting for life to John Wilton the office of keeper of the manor of Kenyngton.

1399. *Membrane* 4—*cont.*

2. Letters patent dated 12 October, 22 Richard II, granting to him for life 10*l.* yearly.
3. Letters patent dated 19 October, 22 Richard II, granting to him for life the custody of the garden within the said manor.
By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Dec. 4. Westminster. Appointment, during pleasure, of Edmund Burdenell as steward of the king's manor of Chilternelangele, receiving the accustomed fees.
By bill of the treasurer.

MEMBRANE 3.

Nov. 14. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Walshale of letters patent dated 28 June, 21 Richard II, granting to him for life the office of constable of the king's castle of Dynevoure, co. Kermerdyn; and grant to him of all arrears of fees or wages.
By K. and for 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 4. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 8 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 17 April, 39 Edward III, to Adam de Grantham. By p.s.

Nov. 10. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Thomas Segge *alias* Seg of letters patent dated 8 June, 12 Richard II, granting to him for life the custody of the house of the manor of Childerlangelee, and letters patent dated 22 January, 17 Richard II, granting to him for life 2*d.* daily and a robe yearly. By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 25. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Otteley of 6*d.* daily at the hand of the collectors of the customs of the town of Kyngeston on Hull.
By p.s.
Vacated because elsewhere in this year.

Nov. 22. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Henry Felungley, servant of the king's scullery, of 10*l.* yearly from the issues of the county of Warwick.
By p.s.

Nov. 24. Westminster. Licence for the abbot of Séez, because the abbey is of the foundation of the king's progenitors and in consideration of his labours and expenses in the reformation of injuries touching his possessions in England, to sell a quantity of wood pertaining to his manor of Atherynton to the value of 100*l.* and take that sum to his abbey, notwithstanding that the wood is in the king's hands on account of the war with France. By p.s.

Nov. 25. Westminster. Grant to William Gillour of the office of the bailiwick of Fennystaunton, co. Cambridge, during the minority of the heirs of the earl of Nottingham, with the accustomed wages, profits and commodities. By p.s.

Nov. 3. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John de Gayteford of letters patent dated 2 July, 16 Richard II, granting to him for life 20*l.* yearly.
By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 20. Westminster. Appointment, during pleasure, of Stephen Bray as the king's chief justice to hold the pleas following wages and the justiciary of Ireland according to the law and custom of those parts, receiving the accustomed fee.
By K. & C.

1399. *Membrane* 8—*cont.*

Nov. 15. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 26 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 4 October, 50 Edward III, to John Cok. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 18. Westminster. Grant to the mayor of Dover of murage for seven years, to be applied on the enclosure of the town by the view of the constable of Dover Castle or his lieutenant. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 2.

Nov. 28. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the men and burgesses of the town of Beverley of letters patent dated 30 January, 2 Richard II, inspecting and confirming the following :—

1. A charter dated at Westminster, 14 February, 51 Edward III, inspecting and confirming a charter dated at York, 14 December, 6 Edward III [*Charter Roll, 6 Edward III, No.* 9], inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Knaresburgh, 4 March, 16 Edward II, inspecting and confirming the following :—
   a. A charter dated at Porchester, 28 April, 1 John. [*Rotuli Cartarum, p.* 53.]
   b. A charter dated at Carlisle, 11 April, 35 Edward I [*Charter Roll, 35 Edward I, No.* 13], inspecting and confirming the following :—
      (1) A charter dated at Westminster, 18 February, 21 Henry III. [*Charter Roll, 21 Henry III, m.* 6.]
      (2) A charter dated at Westminster, 2 June, 56 Henry III.
2. Letters patent dated 14 February, 51 Edward III.

For 12 marks paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 21. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the undermentioned John and Avice, notwithstanding that the manor is or will be in the king's hands by reason of the minority of the heirs of the earl, of letters patent (*French*) of Thomas, earl of Nottingham, marshal of England, lord of Moubray and Segrave, dated at London, 31 January, 20 Richard II, granting to his servant John Purbek and Avice Cokkes, for her good service to his son John, an annuity of 100*s.* for the life of the said John from the manor of Fyndon, co. Sussex, provided that they are married before Whitsuntide, and a like annuity of 5 marks for life to the said Avice if she survive the said John.

By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

MEMBRANE 1.

Nov. 13. Westminster. Appointment of John Chamberleyn as clerk of the works of the king's ships, to repair the gear and other things necessary for their defence, to receive the profits from them and to pay the wages of mariners, receiving 12*d.* daily. By bill of the treasurer.

Oct. 29. Westminster. Whereas a discord lately arose between R. bishop of London, and the dean and canons residentiary and stagiary of the church of St. Paul, London, about superfluous expenses and other matters concerning the form of residence in the same church, and they submitted themselves to Richard II for arbitration under penalty of 1,000*l.* and he gave a decision and on 16 April, in his twenty-second year, by writ ordered them under penalty of 4,000*l.* before Michaelmas to make and observe statutes that

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the form of residence should be according to the form of the statutes of the church of Salisbury, and on 14 September in his twenty-third year by writ he extended the time to the feast of All Saints; the king hereby annuls the said writs, penalties and decision. By K.

Nov. 5. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire John Norbury of the custody of the park of Haveryng atte Boure, with the herbage and aftermath, pannage and after-pannage, browsing, brushwood and other profits and the fees, wages and profits pertaining to the custody. By p.s.
Vacated because in the second year.

Nov. 5. Westminster. Grant to him for life of 40*l.* yearly from the issues of the hanaper.
Vacated as above. By p.s.

Nov. 5. Westminster. Grant to him for life of the manor and lordship of Cromelyn in Ireland, with all profits. By p.s.
Vacated as above.

Nov. 5. Westminster. Grant to him for life of the office of the king's privy wardrobe within the Tower of London with the fees, wages and profits pertaining to it.
Vacated as above. By p.s.

Nov. 5. Westminster. Grant to him for life of the castle and lordship of Ledes. By p.s.
Vacated as above.

Nov. 5. Westminster. Grant for life to the said John, keeper of the castle of Guynes, of all tenths within the county of Guynes, and fisheries and other profits of the waters of Scureflete, la Plasshe, Mellak, Hurtesflete and Melleplasshe, with the king's mills by the castle and all other rents, revenues, profits and commodities of the county. By p.s.
Vacated as above.

Nov. 5. Westminster. Grant to him for life of the havenries in the counties of Cornwall and Devon, with the prise of wines within the same counties and wreck of sea and other profits, and the pesage of tin in the county of Cornwall and the custody of the gaol of Lostwithiel with the fees and profits pertaining to the same. By p.s.
Vacated as above.

Nov. 6. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 18 July, 19 Richard II, granting for life to John North 6*d.* daily.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid.

Nov. 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 12 March, 22 Richard II, granting for life to William Walshale 10*l.* yearly.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because with his assent on 20 March, the king in his fifth year granted the same for life to William Hethcote.

Nov. 16. Westminster. Grant to the king's clerk Richard Gabriell of the wardenship of the house or hospital or free chapel of St. John the Baptist, Andever. By K.

Nov. 13. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 10 April, 17 Richard II, granting for life to Thomas de Malton 2*d.* daily.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 14. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 21 July, 21 Richard II, granting for life to John Obdon 20 marks yearly.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

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Nov. 13. Westminster. Grant to William Fulthorp, 'chivaler,' Bernard Brokas, 'chivaler,' Robert Waterton, Ralph Repyngton, clerk, and Richard, parson of the church of Crawleton, and their heirs, of the manors of Rampton, Cotenham and Westwyk, co. Cambridge, in the king's hands by reason of the forfeiture of William Lescrope, late earl of Wiltshire, with all fees, advowsons, franchises, and liberties. By p.s.

Nov. 16. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 17 August, 17 Richard II, granting for life to Edward Charleton 40*l.* yearly; and grant to him of arrears.
By p.s. and for 88*s.* 4*d.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 10. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 20 February, 4 Richard II, granting for life to William de Beauchamp 200 marks yearly.
By p.s. and for 5 marks paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 10. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 1 April, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 27 March, 49 Edward III, granting for life to the said William 100 marks yearly.
By p.s. and for 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 14. Westminster. Grant to him of all arrears of the above annuities. By p.s.

Oct. 24. Westminster. Mandate to the sheriff of Kent to pay to John Harleston, 'chivaler,' 100 marks yearly for life from the issues of the county, as granted to him for life by letters patent dated 27 February, 16 Richard II, confirmed by the king, with all arrears.

Nov. 16. Westminster. Grant to the king's knight Hugh de Waterton of the castle and town of Chappestowe, Tudenam and Magor, the lordship and land of Chappestowe called 'Chappestoweslond' with arrears and issues during the minority of the heir of Thomas, late earl Marshal. By p.s.

Nov. 8. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire John Waterton, brother of the king's knight Hugh Waterton, of a tun of wine of Gascony of the king's prise of wines yearly at Christmas in the port of Kyngeston on Hull.

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Feb. 23. Westminster. Protection with clause *volumus*, for one year, for John Boseworth of Patryngton, going on the king's service to Ireland in the company of the king's knight John Stanley, lieutenant of Ireland. By bill of p.s.

The like for Thomas Olyvere of Colchestre. By bill of p.s.

1399. *MEMBRANE* 33*d.*

Nov. 10. Westminster. Commission to Thomas de Tunstall, John Botiller, John Elyngeham, king's serjeant at arms, John de Bredkyrk and John Oxcliff to deliver all the fruits and profits pertaining to the alien priory of Lancastre with all goods and chattels in it or in any place pertaining to it to the abbot and convent of St. Mary, Cokirsand, co. Lancaster, to whom the king by letters patent (*see p.* 49) has granted the same for the past year, they paying 50 marks for the farm for Michaelmas term.

MEMBRANE 30*d.*

Nov. 15. Westminster. Commission to all sheriffs and others, when required by the priors and superiors of the order of St. Augustine, to cause a proclamation to be

1399. *Membrane* 30*d*—*cont.*

made that all vagabond friars hermits of the order, pretending to be exempt by the apostolic see from the regular observance of the order, are to return to their priories and houses within two months and obey their priors and superiors under penalty of imprisonment, and to arrest such as do not return and deliver them to their priors and superiors for chastisement. By C.

MEMBRANE 24*d*.

Commission to John de Depeden, 'chivaler,' Robert Talkan, William Gascoigne, Robert Tirwhit, Thomas Gra, William de Selby, William Frost, Hugh Ardern and William Hungate concerning weirs, mills, stanks, piles, pales and kiddles. *Unfinished.*

MEMBRANE 11*d*.

Nov. 6. Westminster. Commission to Griffrin Wareyne, David de Malpas, Thomas de la Lee, Richard Loggere and Thomas Hynton. Elizabeth late the wife of William de Monte Acuto, late earl of Salisbury, by petition in Parliament has prayed that whereas she held jointly for life with her husband the castle and manor of Hawardyn and the stewardship of Chester and the manors of Bosele and Neston, co. Chester, with fees, advowsons and other appurtenances and the castle, town and lordship of Mohaut in the march of Wales with fees and other appurtenances, except the advowson of the church of Mohaut, of the grant of Walter Clopton, Richard Horne and Thomas Strete, as appears by divers inquisitions made after the earl's death in the counties of Chester and Salop, and she had full livery of the same from Richard II and continued her possession therein until she was expelled and the premises were taken into the hands of the said king without due process by divers inquisitions by pretext of letters patent to John Massy of Tatton, 'chivaler,' and others at the instance of John de Monte Acuto, now earl of Salisbury, and are now in the hands of the latter of the commission of the said king, the king should cause the premises to be restored to her with the issues in the meantime and deliver to her the manors of Crischurche Twynham, Ryngwod, Swaynston, and Brixton, co. Southampton, of the said present earl, until she shall have the said issues. The commissioners are to deliver to her the said castle, town and lordship of Mohaut with fees and other appurtenances, except the advowson, and to enquire by oath of men of the county of Salop to what sum the issues of the castle, town and lordship amount from the time of her expulsion. By K. and C. and by pet. in Parl.

Commission to William Ryngebourn, Theobald Wykham, Thomas Breredyng, Thomas Warenner, John Laurence and Thomas Colynton to make an extent of the said manors of Crischurche Twynham, Ryngwod, Swaynston and Brixton and to deliver the manors to the said countess until she shall be satisfied of the issues of the above mentioned premises from the time of her expulsion. By K. and C. and by pet. in Parl.

MEMBRANE 9*d*.

Nov. 20. Westminster. Commission to John Elyngeham and Robert Saperton, serjeants at arms, and William Ifeld to arrest Robert Bekyngham, John Thorp, Walter

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Thorp, John Phelipot, John Writhe, John van Rikell, John Sabdy, John Bakere, John Cornyssh, Clays Armurer, William Staunton, Richard Trenat, John Giffard and Thomas Bret of Piriford and bring them before the king and council. By C.

MEMBRANE 6d.

Nov. 29. Westminster. Commission to the king's clerk John Chitterne, William Stourton, Thomas Romesey and John Wykyng to enquire into divers wastes, dilapidations and destructions committed in the king's castle of Old Sarum, co. Wilts.

MEMBRANE 5d.

Nov. 21. Westminster. Commission to Nicholas Skelton, serjeant at arms, on complaint by Richard Tempest that Robert de Raddecliff and William de Raddecliff came to Helufeld, co. York, and entered his manor of Helufeld when he was on the king's service with the king's kinsman Henry de Percy, earl of Northumberland, in the last Parliament at Westminster, seized his goods to the value of 160*l.* and still forcibly hold the manor and goods, to go to the said manor and, if satisfied by inquisition or otherwise that the said Robert and William entered the manor without process of law after the beginning of that Parliament and took his goods, to restore the manor and goods to the said Richard or his attorney and to arrest and imprison all who resist and to tell the said Robert and William to pursue any right they may have according to the common law. By p.s.

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MEMBRANE 35.

Nov. 20. Westminster. Licence, for 50 marks paid by him in the hanaper, for John de Berkeleye, 'chivaler,' and Elizabeth his wife, daughter and heiress of John de Bettesthorne, deceased, to augment a chantry in the chapel of St. Mary in the parish church of Mere, co. Wilts, founded of old of one chaplain in honour of the Annunciation, of which they are patrons as in her right, by two other chaplains to celebrate divine service in the said chapel for the good estate of the said John and Elizabeth and Gooda late the wife of the said John de Bettesthorne and for their souls after death and the soul of the said John de Bettesthorne, and to grant in mortmain to the said three chaplains nine messuages, 80 acres of land, 4 acres of meadow and an acre of wood in Mere, one messuage, 140 acres of land and 12 acres of meadow in Clopton, co. Somerset, and 10 acres of land and 2 acres of meadow in Gillyngham, co. Dorset, not held in chief, for their sustenance and the support of the charges of the chantry.

Licence, for 10 marks paid by him to the king, for the said John and Elizabeth to grant in mortmain a messuage, 80 acres of land and 5 acres of meadow in Gillyngham and Milton by Selton, co. Dorset, not held in chief, to the chaplain of the chantry of St. Katharine in the parish church of Gillyngham in aid of his sustenance and for the support of certain charges according to their ordinance.

Nov. 6. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Ivo Fitz Waryn of letters patent dated 12 February, 17 Richard II, granting to him the custody of the castle and manor of Whityngton in Wales during the minority of Fulk Fitz Waryn at a rent of 60*l.* yearly, and letters patent dated 18 June, 18 Richard II, granting to him from the said rent 40 marks yearly and also 20 marks yearly for repairs.

By p.s. and for 40*s* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 18. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Richard Wyche and John Warton of letters patent dated 12 August, 22 Richard II, granting to them for life the office of the rhaglawship of the commote of Evyonyth, co. Carnarvon.

By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 24. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Seman Tong, now tenant, of letters patent dated 10 July, 18 Richard II, granting to John Brokeman and others and their heirs and assigns the manor of Pyrye, co. Kent, and certain land and pasture. By pet. in Parl. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

MEMBRANE 34.

Nov. 18. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent (*French*) of Thomas, earl Marshal, of Nottingham, lord of Moubray and Segrave, dated at Eppeworth, 20 July, 15 Richard II, granting for life to Thomas Brunham for his services in the law a yearly rent of 10*l.* from the manor of Eppeworth, and letters patent (*French*) of the same dated at London, 14 February, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life for his diligence in the earl's suit for his heritage in the land of Gower an increase of 5 marks yearly from the same. By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

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Nov. 22. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 29 September, 18 Richard II, granting for life to William Ploufeld 100*s.* yearly. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 5. Westminster. Whereas Richard II lately by letters patent granted to the keepers and commonalty contributing to the maintenance of the bridge of Rouchestre between Rouchestre and Strode, for the maintenance of the bridge and three chaplains to celebrate divine service there, a messuage, 80 acres of land, 900 acres of marsh and 30*s.* rent in the Isle of Grene, a yearly rent of 40 marks from the manor of Sharndenne and a marsh called Elmele and the reversion of a messuage with two shops annexed in Cornhill, London, which William Wangford holds for life of the demise of John de Cobham, 'chivaler,' Reginald de Cobham, clerk, Ralph de Cobham and William Makenade, and the said John, Reginald, Ralph and William Makenade have released their estate therein to them, the king grants the premises to them and confirms their estate therein. By p.s.

Nov. 2. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent (*French*) of the king's uncle Edmund, duke of York and earl of Cambridge, dated at London, 30 October, 1 Henry IV, reciting that the king has granted to him for life the office of chief keeper of the mews and falcons in England and granting to Thomas Gyssyng the office of tender in the counties of Norfolk and Suffolk with the accustomed fees. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 25. Westminster. Grant to the children of Henry Grene, 'chivaler,' deceased, because the goods granted to them in aid of their maintenance and the payment of their father's debts are not sufficient, of the issues of all lands late of their father, not already granted to other persons, for the terms of Christmas and Easter next, in case they are not recovered before Easter term from the king's hands by the heir of the said Henry, who is of full age. By p.s.

Dec. 1. Westminster. Presentation of William Repyngton to the prebend of Erdyngton in the collegiate church of Bruggenorth. By p.s.

Nov. 12. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent (*French*) of Thomas, late duke of Gloucester, earl of Essex and Buckingham, constable of England, dated at London, 17 January, 17 Richard II, granting for life to John Cosyn the office of porter of the castle of St. Briavel, receiving 6*d.* daily from the castle and the forest of Dene. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 4. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William de Hungerford of letters patent dated 2 March, 17 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 15 January, 40 Edward III, granting to him for life 100*s.* yearly. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Dec. 8. Westminster. Presentation of William Dene, parson of the church of Camelton, in the diocese of Lincoln, to the vicarage of the church of Swavesseye, in the diocese of Ely, on an exchange of benefices with John Chocwold.

Dec. 1. Westminster. Presentation of Thomas atte Lee, warden of the free chapel of Asserton, in the diocese of Salisbury, to the prebend of Bullewardhethe in the free chapel of Hastynges, in the diocese of Chichester, on an exchange of benefices with John Wotton. By p.s.

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Dec. 1. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire John Lambe, whom the king has retained for life, of 40*l.* yearly from the petty custom in the port of London. By p.s.

Dec. 1. Westminster. Grant for life to John Sallok of Dover, one of the king's mariners, of 4*d.* daily from the issues of the county of Kent. By p.s.

Grant for life to the king's servant Thomas Bonnere of 8*d.* daily from the custom of the towns of Sandwich and Dover. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 17 *April the king granted to him* 2*d. daily for life from the custom of wools, hides and wool-fells in the port of Sandwich.*

Grant for life to the king's servant John Bonnere of 4*d.* daily from the issues of the county of Kent. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 33.

Nov. 27. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the mayor, bailiffs and burgesses of Quenesburgh of a charter dated at Westminster, 20 March, 1 Richard II [*Charter Roll*, 1 *Richard II*, *No.* 13], inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Westminster, 10 May, 42 Edward III [*Charter Roll*, 42 *Edward III*, *No.* 8]. For 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 12. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Eliona de France of letters patent dated 8 August, 4 Richard II, granting to her for life two shops under the castle of Bordeaux, and letters patent dated 18 August, 18 Richard II, granting to her for life 10 marks yearly. By p.s. and for God because she is poor.

Nov. 28. Westminster. Mandate to all sheriffs and others to permit the men and tenants of the honour of Richemond of Benyngton and Foston, co. Lincoln, to be quit of toll, stallage, cheminage, pontage, pavage, picage, murage and passage for their goods and merchandise within the realm, according to custom.

Nov. 29. Westminster. Grant for life to Thomas Couele of 10*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Nov. 26. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Richard Filongleye of 20*l.* yearly from the issues of the city of London, in recompense of the office of the tronage of wools in the port of London which he had of the grant of Richard II by letters patent, surrendered because the king granted the office to another person. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 18 *December*, 2 *Henry IV, the king granted to him* 20*l. yearly for life from the great custom of wools in the port of London.*

Nov. 25. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Frebody of letters patent dated 29 September, 21 Richard II, granting to him for life the office of riding forester in the New Forest. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 21. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire John Gower of two pipes of wine of Gascony yearly in the port of London. By p.s.

Presentation of John Morowe, parson of the church of Heyope, in the diocese of St. Davids, to the church of St. Peter by the Guildhall, Chichester, of the immediate jurisdiction of John de Maydenhith, dean of

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the cathedral church of Chichester, on an exchange of benefices with John Drake.

Dec. 8. Westminster. Whereas William Seward *alias* Cheddre by petition in the last Parliament complained that he was admitted to the church of Wotton under Egge and occupied it for many years until he was expelled by one John Dautre, chaplain, by colour of a presentation by Richard II and a judgement in the court of the said king before the justices of the Bench, and the said William and John appeared before the king in Parliament and judgement was given that William should be restored and the said presentation annulled, the king hereby revokes the said presentation.
By pet. in Parl.

Dec. 1. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire William Lokton, in consideration of his great labours and expenses in the king's service, of a tun of wine yearly in the port of Kyngeston on Hull. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 32.

Nov. 11. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire John Cope of the office of clerk and serjeant marshal of the marshalsea of the household, with the due fees, commodities and profits. By p.s.

Nov. 4. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Rose *alias* Roose *alias* Roos of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 17 February, 1 Richard II, granting to him for life the bailiwick of Rodheth.
2. Letters patent dated 5 August, 8 Richard II, granting to him for life two tuns of wine yearly.
3. Letters patent dated 7 July, 14 Richard II, granting to him for life 12*l.* yearly.
4. Letters patent of the same date, granting to him for life 7½*d.* daily.
5. Letters patent dated 30 January, 4 Richard II, granting to him the demesne lands of the manor of Kenyngton.

By p.s. and 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 21. Westminster. Grant for life to Richard Boteller of Waltham Holy Cross, late pantler of Richard II, of 20 marks yearly from the issues of the counties of Essex and Hertford, because he has given the king to understand that he cannot enjoy the office of the tronage and pesage of wools in the port of Boston, which he had of the grant of Richard II, because the king has given it to another. By p.s.

Nov. 22. Westminster. Grant for life to Edmund Thorp, 'chivaler,' whom the king has retained for life, of 100 marks yearly from the custom in the port of Bishop's Lenne, co. Norfolk, in lieu of a grant of 50 marks yearly at the Exchequer by letters patent of Richard II, surrendered. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 6 December the king granted the same to him for life from the issues of the petty custom in the said port.

Nov. 17. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Thomas Walssh of letters patent dated 25 January, 4 Richard II, granting to him for life 100*s.* yearly.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 18. Westminster. Grant to John Dalyngrigge of all woods cut down or to be cut down pertaining to the manors of Wyltyng and Holyngton, co. Sussex, with all

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woods growing in a place called Bulwarheth, which Richard II bought from him and which belong to the king, and grant that he may sell, cut down and carry off the same. By p.s.

Nov. 29. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Gay of 4*d.* daily at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Nov. 18. Westminster. Licence for Walter, bishop of Durham, to grant in mortmain lands not held in chief, of which he is seised or others are enfeoffed to his use, to the value of 20*l.* yearly to any ecclesiastical person or persons for certain charges, alms and divine services according to his ordinance, or to found a chantry or chantries of one or more chaplains and to grant in frank almoin to these chaplains lands as above, after inquisition. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because the king on 28 *November, in his fourth year, granted licence for him to grant certain lands and rents to the value of* 18 *marks yearly to the abbot and convent of St. Mary, Thornton, in full satisfaction.*

Dec. 1. Westminster. Whereas Richard II by letters patent granted to John Cheyne, 'chivaler,' all lands in the county of Gloucester pertaining to the alien abbot of Beaubek during the war with France, rendering 10*l.* 18*s.* 4*d.* yearly at the Exchequer, and the king by letters patent has confirmed this grant, the king now grants this rent to John son of the said John for life, if the war last so long. By p.s.

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Feb. 12. Westminster. Whereas certain goods and chattels of Katharine Gibbes of Cirencestre, co. Gloucester, have been carried off and many of them were bequeathed by John de Lucy, her late husband, at the time of his death to his children, the king grants restitution to her of all goods and chattels thus carried off. By p.s.

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Nov. 18. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire John Hertishorn of 12*d.* daily by reason of his office of serjeant at arms from the issues of the city of London with a robe of the suit of the king's esquires yearly at Christmas at the great wardrobe, in lieu of a grant by letters patent of Richard II, surrendered. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because Henry V on 27 *September, in his first year, granted for life to him that he should be one of hiss erjeants at arms, receiving* 40*l. yearly with a robe as above.*

Nov. 14. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Roger Sherman of 6*d.* daily from the issues of the county of Nottingham. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because the king with his assent on 8 *January, in the tenth year, granted the same for life to John Parker.*

Nov. 20. Westminster. Grant for life to Thomas Appelby of 10*l.* yearly from the customs in the port of Southampton. By p.s.

Grant for life to Katharine Salvayn of 10*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Nov. 21. Westminster. Grant to John Arnald that he shall be one of the king's serjeants at arms, receiving for life 12*d.* daily at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Nov. 15. Westminster. Grant for life to William Parl of the office of porter of the castle of Exeter and the custody of the gaol, with the wages, fees and profits belonging to them. By p.s.

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Nov. 20. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John de Croft of letters patent dated 22 March, 15 Richard II, granting to him for life 10*l.* yearly.
By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 17. Westminster. Whereas Margaret, late duchess of Norfolk, by letters patent granted to William Parker for life, for his good service to her for twenty years and more, the office of bailiff of the lordship of Dovercourt and Herewiz, co. Essex, and the lordship of Walton, co. Suffolk, by land and water on either side and the custody of the warrens with the game pertaining to the lordships with an annuity of 10*l.* from the issues of the manors of Dovercourt and Walton, a moiety from each, and he was in possession a long time before her death, and these letters were taken from him at the king's advent into England by certain men who seized the castle of Framelyngham in the king's name, so that he could not have confirmation, the king grants to him for life the offices of chief bailiff and the custody of the warrens with the due fees, wages and other commodities and the said annuity, notwithstanding that the premises are in the king's hands by reason of the minority of Thomas son and heir of Thomas, late duke of Norfolk. By p.s.

Dec. 1. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 4 June, 9 Richard II, granting protection for John Beaumont *alias* Frenssh of Worcester, born in the power of the king's adversary of France, who has been domiciled in England for 28 years. For 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 19. Westminster. Grant to the king's esquire Janico Dartas that he may occupy all the lands, rents and possessions which he has in Ireland by his attorneys, bailiffs and servants and that these may levy the issues thereof and send them to England for his use for eight years, and pardon to him of all issues thus already received. By p.s.

Nov. 6. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 3 July, 22 Richard II, granting to Adam atte Wode and his heirs and assigns 20*l.* yearly from the manor of Bloxham, co. Oxford.
By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 18. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Farnham of letters patent dated 17 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 30 April, 51 Edward III, granting to him for life certain lands.
By p.s. and for God because he is poor.

MEMBRANE 30.

Nov. 12. Westminster. Protection for the king's clerk Master William Waltham, master or warden, and the hospital of St. Leonard, York, and the brethren of the same and their men, lands, rents, possessions and goods, as the said William has informed the king that William Botheby and other masters or wardens sold or granted to divers persons divers corrodies, payments and prests to the value of 500 marks yearly from the revenues of the hospital contrary to the statutes made by Edward III; and grant that such payments shall cease except to hermits and poor persons residing within the hospital until the king shall make ordinance for the estate of the hospital. By K.

Nov. 16. Westminster. Commission to Master John Newton, treasurer of the church of St. Peter, York, Master William Cawod, Master Alan Newerk, William Selby, William Frost and Thomas Thurkhill to visit the said hospital, as

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the king's clerk John de Scarle, the chancellor, to whom the visitation of the king's hospitals pertains, is occupied on business of the king and cannot visit it in person, and to enquire into the defects in the hospital and the houses, buildings, goods, jewels and ornaments, the dissipation of its lands, goods and possessions and the burden of excessive pensions, maintenances and corrodies, to do everything concerning the visitation of the hospital and the reformation of the defects and to return their inquisitions into Chancery. By K.

Nov. 17. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Roger Bliklyng, notwithstanding that the premises are or were in the king's hands by reason of the minority of the duke of Norfolk, deceased, of letters patent dated 5 February, 8 Richard II, inpecting and confirming letters patent (*French*) of Margaret Mareschall, countess of Norfolk, dated at her castle of Framelyngham, 1 September, 6 Richard II. By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 17. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Thomas Stok, notwithstanding any right or title of the king by the death of Thomas de Moubray, late earl of Nottingham, or the minority of his heir or heirs, of letters patent (*French*) of Margaret Mareschall, countess of Norfolk, dated at her castle of Framelyngham, 29 May, 5 Richard II, granting to him for life the office of parker of the park pertaining to her manor of Kelshale, co. Suffolk, and a vesture or 10*s.* yearly at Christmas and 2*d.* daily from the issues of the manor. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 7. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Mareschall of letters patent dated 18 November, 18 Richard II, granting to him for life 10*l.* yearly. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 17. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Chalke, notwithstanding any right, etc. of letters patent (*French*) of Margaret, countess of Norfolk, dated at her castle of Framlyngham, 1 April, 18 Richard II, granting to him for life a yearly rent of 40*s.* from the issues of her manor of Chestreford, co. Essex. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

MEMBRANE 29.

Nov. 17. Westminster. Grant for life to Walter Power, esquire, of an annuity of 10*l.* at the hands of the sheriffs of Warwick and Leicester, in lieu of a like grant from the alien priory of Derhurst by letters patent of Richard II, surrendered, and grant to him of arrears. By p.s.

Nov. 18. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Robert Felbrigg of letters patent dated 28 March, 21 Richard II, granting to him for life 40*l.* yearly. By p.s. and for 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 17. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John de Wyghton of 15*l.* yearly from the issues of the petty custom of Lenne. By p.s.

Nov. 14. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Middelton of letters patent dated 28 November, 21 Richard II, granting to him for life 100 marks yearly. By p.s. and for 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Grant to the king's esquire Simon Bermyngeham that he shall be one of the king's serjeants at arms, receiving for life wages of 12*d.* daily at the hands of the sheriff of Bristol and a robe yearly at Christmas at the great wardrobe. By p.s.

Vacated because below.

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Inspeximus and confirmation to Nicholas Gascoigne of letters patent dated 8 March, 22 Richard II, granting to him for life a tun of wine yearly in the port of Kyngeston on Hull and certain fish yearly in the king's several water of Fosse by York; and grant to him of 10 marks yearly for life from the issues of the county of York in lieu of a like grant at the Exchequer by letters patent of Richard II, surrendered.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.
Mandate in pursuance to the chief butler or his lieutenant in the port.
Mandate in pursuance to the keeper of the said water.
Mandate in pursuance to the sheriff of York.

Nov. 20. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Richard Dulle, notwithstanding that the manor, park and warren are or have been in the king's hands by reason of the minority of the heirs, of letters patent (*French*) of Thomas, earl Marshal and Nottingham, lord of Moubray and Segrave, dated at London, 4 February, 17 Richard II, granting to him for life the keeping of the park and warren of Fyndon and Wassyngton, co. Sussex, with the houses and land pertaining thereto, receiving 2*d.* daily for his wages from the manor of Fyndon and a robe yearly or a mark of silver, as Robert Craak had, and letters patent (*French*) of the same, dated at London, 6 August, 18 Richard II, granting to him for life an annuity of 5 marks from the said manor. By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 24. Westminster. Grant for life to John Reymes, esquire, whom the king has retained for life, of 20*l.* yearly from Michaelmas last from the issues of the petty custom in the port of Great Jernemuth. By p.s.

Nov. 12. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Rees, notwithstanding, etc. of letters patent (*French*) of Thomas, earl of Nottingham, marshal of England, lord of Moubray, Segrave and Gower, dated at London, 15 February, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life an annuity of 10*l.* from the issues of the manor of Hynton, co. Cambridge, and letters patent (*French*) of the same dated at London at the hostel of the bishop of Ely, 3 October, 21 Richard II, granting to him for life a yearly rent of 20 marks from the manor of Wylyngton, co. Bedford; and grant to him of 35*l.* of arrears. By p.s. and for 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 28. Westminster. Grant for life to Thomas Rygge of two bucks and two does yearly within the forest of Kyngeswode by Bristol with two tuns of wine yearly of the king's prise in the port of Bristol. By p.s.

Dec. 4. Westminster. Presentation of Edmund Nicoll, parson of the church of Covyngton, in the diocese of Lincoln, to the church of Rypton Regis, in the same diocese, on an exchange of benefices with Benedict Nicoll.

Dec. 10. Westminster. Appointment, during pleasure, of John Ricard to take barley, malt, wheat, beans, peas and other victuals for the castle of Dover and ships, vessels and other carriage for the same. By C.

MEMBRANE 28.

Nov. 27. Westminster. *Inspeximus* to John Haweley *alias* Hauley and his heirs and assigns of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 21 October, 18 Richard II, 23 November, 18 Richard II, and 15 May, 18 Richard II, granting to him divers possessions late of Robert Tresilian.

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2. Letters patent dated 27 November, 12 Richard II, granting to Humphrey de Stafford, knight, and his heirs the manors of Polhorman and Penhergard late of the said Robert.
By pet. in. Parl. and for 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 25. Westminster. Licence for William Langton, parson of the church of Wellys by Walsyngham, to make execution of papal bulls concerning a benefice in the church of Chichester, which he had licence from Richard II to obtain, and to take possession of the benefice. [*Fœdera.*] By p.s.

Nov. 28. Westminster. Whereas Richard, late earl of Arundel and Surrey, in the Parliament held at Westminster on Friday, St. Matthew, 21 Richard II, was unjustly condemned to death and all his possessions were forfeited, and now this Parliament has been annulled in the last Parliament and divers of the said possessions are in the king's hands by reason of the minority of Thomas, now earl of Arundel, son and heir of the late earl; the king grants licence for the said Thomas to enter freely into all the possessions of which his father was seised, and grants to him all issues of the same due to the king and not levied at the time of his last reaching England, all issues received by Thomas, archbishop of Canterbury, William Farryngdon, 'chivaler,' Robert Pobelowe, clerk, and Thomas Yong, esquire, by colour of letters patent of the king as duke of Lancaster to the use of the said earl and all issues after the king last reached England. By p.s.

Nov. 13. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 6 March, 20 Richard II, granting for life to William de Forde 16*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* yearly.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 19. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent under the seal of Ireland dated at Kilkenny, 23 June, 23 Richard II, granting, during good behaviour, to William Seint Johan, mariner of Dertemuth, the office of water bailiff in all ports between Kynsale and Blaskey in Ireland with the fees, profits and commodities.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

MEMBRANES 27-24.

Nov. 24. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation, in favour of the king's uncle Edmund, duke of York, of the following:—

1. A charter dated at Westminster, 13 November, 36 Edward III. [*Charter Roll, 36 Edward III, No.* 8].
2. A charter dated at Westminster, 8 May, 37 Edward III. [*Charter Roll, 37 Edward III, No.* 10].
3. Letters patent dated 8 February, 48 Edward III, granting to him divers possessions within the liberty of Tyndale.
4. Letters patent dated 25 May, 51 Edward III, granting divers possessions to him and Isabel his wife.
5. Letters patent dated 1 February, 4 Richard II, granting to them the manor and hundred of Berton Bristol.
6. A charter dated 6 August, 9 Richard II. [*Charter Roll, 9 and* 10 *Richard II, No.* 26].
7. Letters patent dated 24 October, 9 Richard II, granting that he shall be quit of fees of the seals.
8. A charter dated at Westminster, 12 November, 14 Richard II. [*Charter Roll, 14 Richard II, No.* 8].
9. Letters patent dated 12 November, 14 Richard II, granting to him for life 500 marks yearly.

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10. Letters patent dated 8 February, 14 Richard II, granting to him divers possessions.
11. Letters patent dated 9 February, 14 Richard II, granting to him the reversion of the custody of the castle of Hadley, co. Essex.
12. Letters patent dated 6 March, 15 Richard II, granting for life to him and Isabel his wife and Edward their son 100 marks yearly.
13. Letters patent dated 24 September, 19 Richard II, granting to him for life the manor of Compton Basset.
14. Letters patent dated 24 February, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life the castle and castellany of Mouretaigne on Gyrond in Aquitaine.
15. Letters patent dated 12 May, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life the custody of the park of Frymantell.
16. Letters patent dated 17 July, 21 Richard II, granting to him for life the manor of Sevenhampton, co. Wilts.
17. Letters patent dated 14 November, 1 Henry IV, being an exemplification of letters patent dated 20 November, 1 Richard II.

And grant to him of all arrears of the annuities mentioned therein, and grant to him and the heirs male of his body of all offices pertaining to the premises. By K.

Membrane 24—*cont.*

Nov. 15. Westminster. Grant for life to John Fyndern of the office of foreign apposer in the Exchequer with the accustomed fees, profits and commodities. By p.s.

Nov. 17. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Thomas Ipstanes, whom the king has retained for life, of 20*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Nov. 17. Westminster. The like to the king's esquire, Richard Ipstanes, whom the king has retained for life. By p.s.

Nov. 21. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Elyngeham of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 30 April, 8 Richard II, granting to him for life the office of porter of the castle of Newcastle on Tyne.
2. Letters patent dated 1 February, 9 Richard II, granting to him for life a fishery in the river Tweed.
3. Letters patent dated 8 February, 16 Richard II, granting to him for life 20*l.* yearly from the petty custom in the port of London.

By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Mandate in pursuance to the collectors of the said custom.

MEMBRANE 23.

Dec. 2. Westminster. Grant to Robert Lamplogh of 40*l.* yearly from the manor of Ersham, co. Norfolk, during the minority of Thomas son and heir of the earl of Nottingham, provided that he be not retained by any other person than the king. By p.s.

Nov. 21. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Nicholas van Spire of 6*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* yearly at the Exchequer and 10*l.* yearly from the great wardrobe, in lieu of like grants by letters patent of Richard II, surrendered. By p.s.

Dec. 1. Westminster. Ratification of the estate which the king's clerk Robert de Faryngton has as parson of the church of Croston, in the diocese of Lichfield, and

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prebendary of Laghton in Morthyng, in the cathedral church of St. Peter, York, and the prebend of one portion of Lusk in the cathedral church of St. Patrick, Dublin, which Master John Bryan lately had. By K.

The like for the following:—

Oct. 20. Westminster. John de Wakeryng, parson of the church of Orpynton. By K.

Oct. 31. Westminster. Thomas Hanley, parson of the church of Byfeld, in the diocese of Lincoln, chancellor of the cathedral church of Hereford, prebendary of Gaya Major of the cathedral church of Lichfield, dean of the royal free chapel of Tetenhale, in the diocese of Coventry and Lichfield, and warden of the free chapel of Kybbeworth, in the diocese of Lincoln. By p.s.

Dec. 18. Westminster. John de Hereford *alias* John Carpenter, parson of the church of Uppyngham, in the diocese of Lincoln, and prebendary of Nonyngton in the cathedral church of Hereford. By p.s.

Dec. 23. Westminster. William Lyndewode, warden or master of the hospital of St. Nicholas, Scardeburgh, and the chapel of St. Mary within the castle of Scardeburgh. By p.s.

Nov 27. Westminster. John de Thorp, archdeacon of Suffolk, and prebendary of Coryngham in the cathedral church of Lincoln. By p.s.

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Jan. 3. Westminster. Walter de Swafham, archdeacon of Bangor in the cathedral church of Bangor. By p.s.

Thomas Butiller, prebendary of the prebend of Wodeford *alias* Trillek or Goderynghull which Master John Bryan lately had in the collegiate church of Westbury, in the diocese of Worcester. By p.s.

John Swyft, prebendary of Castelknok on the precentor's side in the cathedral church of St. Patrick, Dublin. By p.s.

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Oct. 31. Westminster. John Ikelyngton, archdeacon of Wells. By p.s.

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Jan. 12. Westminster. John Okarwell, parson of the church of Killalou, in the diocese of Meath.

Jan. 8. Westminster. Brother John Seint Paul, master of the hospital of St. John Baptist, Bristol. By p.s.

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Dec. 28. Westminster. John Mason, parson of the church of More Mounketon, in the diocese of York. By p.s.

Alan Newerk, prebendary of Essh in the collegiate church of Langecestre, in the diocese of Durham. By p.s.

John de Popilton, parson of the church of Patrikbrumpton, in the diocese of York. By p.s.

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Jan. 18. Westminster. John de Grymeston, parson of the church of Holdesworthie, in the diocese of Exeter. By p.s.

Feb. 6. Westminster. William Frankyssh, parson of the church of St. Magnus, London, in the diocese of London.

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William Brynkelowe, parson of the parish church of Mancestre, in the diocese of Lichfield. By p.s.

Feb. 7. Westminster. Thomas Wynterton, parson of the church of Chedull, in the diocese of Coventry and Lichfield.

Jan. 23. Westminster. Robert de Barton, parson of the church of Wynterslewe, in the diocese of Salisbury.

Feb. 7. Westminster. John Waddesworth, clerk, treasurer in the cathedral church of St. Patrick, Dublin, in Ireland. By p.s.

Feb. 12. Westminster. John Trefnant *alias* ap Howell, canon in the cathedral church of Hereford and prebendary of Litelwythinton in the same. By p.s.

Feb. 15. Westminster. John Milys, parson of the church of Flixburgh, in the diocese of Lincoln. By p.s.

Feb. 16. Westminster. William Spaldewyk, prebendary of Roscompe in the cathedral church of Salisbury and parson of the church of Tarent Monketon, in the diocese of Salisbury. By p.s.

Feb. 11. Westminster. John Clerk, parson of the church of Langton, in the diocese of Lincoln.

Feb. 18. Westminster John Pygot the elder, parson of the church of Rosse in Holdernesse, in the diocese of York. By K.

Feb. 24. Westminster. William Irby, chaplain, parson of the church of Medburn, in the diocese of Lincoln. By p.s.

March 2. Westminster. Ralph Repyngton, prebendary of Wyvelesford and Wodeford in the cathedral church of Salisbury. By p.s.

March 3. Westminster. Master Griffin Yonge, prebendary of Bouchruch and Llanpeter in the collegiate church of Abergwyly, in the diocese of St. Davids. By p.s.

March 4. Westminster. John Bokelond, warden of the college of St. Mary, Oterey, in the diocese of Exeter. By p.s.

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Dec. 23. Westminster. John Carter, parson of the church of Cantelee, in the diocese of Norwich. By p.s.

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March 13. Westminster. Thomas Buggeley, parson of the church of Sondey, in the diocese of Lincoln, and prebendary of Somerlegh in the cathedral church of Chichestre. By p.s.

March 16. Westminster. Nicholas Salesbury, parson of the church of Banham and prebendary of a prebend in the king's free chapel of St. Stephen within the palace of Westminster and the prebend of Werham in the cathedral church of Hereford. By p.s.

March 18. Westminster. William Gaunstede, parson of the church of St. Margaret, Friday-strete, London, in the diocese of London.

March 2. Westminster. Roger Mason, parson of the church of St. Botolph without Bisshopes-gate, London.

March 23. Westminster. John Everdon, parson of the church of Twyford near Buckyngham, in the diocese of Lincoln. By p.s

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March 30. Westminster. Thomas Fouent, parson of the church of Donyngton, in the diocese of Salisbury. By p.s.

March 28. Westminster. John Drye, chaplain of the chantry founded at the altar of St. John Baptist in the chapel situated by the church of Aldermarichirch, London, on 'la Charnell.' By p.s.

April 7. Westminster. Geoffrey Melton, parson of the church of Llantussel, in the diocese of St. Davids and prebendary of Aust in the collegiate church of Westbury, in the diocese of Worcester. By p.s.

April 26. Westminster. Walter de Ixworth, parson of the church of Multon, in the diocese of Norwich. By p.s.

March 16. Westminster. John Park, parson of the parish church of Wythyndon, in the diocese of Worcester, and prebendary of Welton Payneshall in the cathedral church of Lincoln, the prebend which Robert Bosoun lately had in the cathedral church of Exeter, and Wodelond in the church of St. Cross, Criditon. By p.s.

May 12. Westminster. William Hocchepound, chaplain of the chantry in the church of St. Clement, London.

May 12. Westminster. Robert de Lowether, parson of the church of Skelton, co. Cornwall. By p.s.

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Dec. 2. Westminster. Robert de Faryngton, clerk, staying in Ireland, has letters nominating Master William de Faryngton, clerk, and Henry Maupas, clerk, his attorneys in England for one year.
Thomas Stanley, clerk, received the attorneys until his return.

Nov. 22. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant William del Saucerie of 5 marks yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Nov. 22. Westminster. Like grant to the king's servant John de Hirland. By p.s.

Dec. 1. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Thomas Cotchere of 4*d.* daily from the fee-farm of the city of Canterbury. By p.s.

Dec. 4. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant William de Hogwik of the office of bailiff of the hundred of Gartre, co. Leicester, with the accustomed wages, fees, and other profits. By p.s.

Nov. 3. Westminster. Nomination to Henry, prince of Wales, of John Maslyn, alien monk, for presentation to the priory of Trewerdreth, co. Cornwall, void by the death of William de la Haye, last prior, pertaining to the king by reason of the war with France. By p.s.

Dec. 4. Westminster. Grant for life to John Cok of the town of Boston of 12*d.* daily from the custom of wools, hides and wool-fells in the port of the town. By p.s.

Nov. 4. Westminster. Exemplification, at the request of John de Greyli, of the tenour of the enrolment of letters patent dated 4 February, 22 Richard II [*Gascon Roll*, 22 *Richard II*, *m.* 4], granting to him for life the bailliage of Hastynges in the duchy of Aquitaine and other things.

Dec. 7. Westminster. Grant, for his life, to Philip Repyndon, the abbot, and the convent of Leycestre, in support of the charges of the abbey, of 250 marks yearly during the war with France from the apport which the alien prior and convent of Ware render yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.
Mandate in pursuance to the prior, farmers or occupiers of the priory.

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MEMBRANE 22.

Nov. 11. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Waryn of letters patent dated 12 May, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life 10 marks yearly.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 14. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Leukonore *alias* Lekenore of letters patent dated 21 March, 14 Richard II, granting to him for life a house in Hereford and certain land, and letters patent dated 25 March, 21 Richard II, granting to him for life 10*l.* yearly.
By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 10. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 19 July, 15 Richard II, granting for life to William Rokyngham the office of gardener of the garden of Shene. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Dec. 2. Westminster. Presentation of John Belynges, king's clerk, to the church of St. Patrick, Trym, in the diocese of Meath. By p.s.

Dec. 3. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Walter Rauf of letters patent dated 26 January, 4 Richard II, granting to him for life a yearly rent of 7*l.*
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 10. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the dean and chapter of the new collegiate church of the Annunciation of St. Mary, Leicester, of letters patent dated 14 November, 2 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 4 June, 35 Edward III.

Nov. 20. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 19 May, 19 Richard II, granting for life to Richard de Drax 12*d.* daily and a robe yearly; and grant to him of arrears. By p.s.

Nov. 1. Westminster. Exemplification, at the request of Eynon ap Morgan, of the tenour of the enrolment of letters patent dated 5 June, 11 Richard II, granting to him for life the office of 'walstot' of Elvet and Wydygada in Wales.

Nov. 4. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Biker of letters patent dated 16 December, 14 Richard II, granting to him wages and fees as artiller in the Tower of London. By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Dec. 9. Westminster. Presentation of Alexander Neweman, chaplain, to the vicarage of the church of Kirkeby Monachorum, in the diocese of Coventry and Lichfield.

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Nov. 2. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John de Carleton of letters patent dated 25 August, 13 Richard II, granting to him for life the office of the custody of the manor of Eltham and portor of the manor, and letters patent dated 28 June, 20 Richard II, granting for life to him and Eleanor Elderbeke the custody of the king's wardrobe within the manor.
By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled so far as concerns the custody of the wardrobe, because the king granted it to him for life by other letters patent on 9 January, in the eleventh year.

Dec. 2. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Richard Clopton of 20*l.* yearly at the hands of the sheriff of Buckingham and Bedford.
Vacated because elsewhere in this year. By p.s.
Mandate in pursuance to the sheriff.

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Dec. 6. Westminster. Exemplification, at the request of the English merchants in the parts of the merchants of Almain, of the tenours of the enrolment of a condition and memorandum (*see p.* 57) concerning their merchandise. [*Fœdera.*]

Nov. 28. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Barrok of letters patent dated 18 August, 17 Richard II, granting to him for life 12*d.* daily, and letters patent dated 24 June, 17 Richard II, granting to him for life a livery yearly. By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 13. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 24 May, 17 Richard II, inspecting and confirming to William Dygeley letters patent (*French*) of Anne, queen of England, dated at Eltham, 1 January, 17 Richard II.
2. Letters patent dated 15 September, 18 Richard II, granting for life to William Dyggeley 12 marks 6*s.* 8*d.* yearly.

And grant to him of arrears.

By K. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 29. Eltham Manor. Grant for life to the king's kinsman William Beauchamp of the custody and governance of the castle and county of Pembroke, the castle and lordship of Tyneby, the castle and lordship of Kilgarran and the commote of Osterlowe, with all royalties, liberties, franchises, fees and services of knights, advowsons of churches and other things, rendering yearly at the Exchequer 800 marks, as the king's kinsman Thomas Percy did, minus the yearly value of Traharn and Seintcler, which the latter held at farm.

By p.s.

Nov. 11. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John de Scardeburgh of letters patent dated 5 March, 8 Richard II, granting to him for life that he be under-clerk of Parliament and have 100*s.* yearly, and letters patent dated 14 October, 22 Richard II, granting to him for life 10*l.* yearly.

By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

MEMBRANE 20.

Nov. 21. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the prioress and nuns of Wrotheshale of letters patent dated 20 October, 2 Richard II, inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Nottingham, 7 January, 1 Edward III [*Charter Roll, 1 Edward III, No.* 1], inspecting and confirming the following:—

1-3. Three charters of Henry II.
4. A charter dated at Svaintun, 8 September, [1] Richard I.
5-7. Three charters dated at Westminster, 11 June, 1 John.
8. A charter dated at Westminster, 21 October, 11 Henry III [*Charter Roll, 11 Henry III, p.* 2, *m.* 1].
9. A charter dated at Westminster, 24 October, 43 Henry III [*Charter Roll, 43 Henry III, m.* 1].
10. The foundation of the church and divers private grants.

For two marks, on account of the poverty of the house, paid in the hanaper.

MEMBRANE 19.

Nov. 20. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to James Butter of letters patent dated 20 August, 9 Richard II, granting to him for life 6*d.* daily.

By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

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Dec. 4. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's clerk William de Pontefracto of a robe for winter and another for summer of the king's livery yearly at the hands of the keeper of the great wardrobe, as the masters of Chancery have yearly at the hands of the keeper of the hanaper. By p.s.

Nov. 29. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Dodmore of letters patent dated 14 January, 15 Richard II, granting to him for life 10*l.* yearly. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 24. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Wydemere of letters patent dated 14 January, 17 Richard II, granting to him for life wages and robes. By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 29. Westminster. Grant for life to Alice Bonyng of 2*d.* daily from the petty custom in the port of London. By p.s.

Nov. 4. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Giles de Hyde of 10*l.* yearly from the issues of the county of Stafford. By p.s.

Dec. 4. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Robert Litton, controller of the king's household, of a moiety of the castle and manor of Bollesore, co. Derby, with the fees, wages and other profits belonging to it, as John Shirwynd, deceased, had. By p.s.

Nov. 15. Westminster. Grant for life to Thomas Lancastre, esquire, of 20 marks yearly at the Exchequer, in recompense of a grant to him by the king of the custody of Joan Spenser, idiot, with her lands within the city of London, which he cannot enjoy because the king has confirmed the estate which John Katerynton and Petronilla his wife had therein by virtue of a grant by Richard II. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because the king with his assent on 15 March, in the tenth year, granted the same to his servant John Hethe for life.

Dec. 4. Westminster. Exemption for two years of John, bishop of Ely, from coming to Parliaments and councils. [*Fœdera.*] By p.s.

Dec. 4. Westminster. Presentation of John Marnham to the parish church of Thornton, in the diocese of York and of the immediate jurisdiction of Thomas Dalby, archdeacon of Richmond. By p.s.

Dec. 5. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Adam Cooke of Leycestre, for his good service to the king's father and the king, of 4*d.* daily from the issues of the counties of Leicester and Warwick. By p.s.

Dec. 5. Westminster. Grant for life to Nicholas Coventre, chaplain, of the custody of the hospital of St. John in the town of Devize. By p.s.

Dec. 1. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 28 February, 20 Richard II, granting for life to John Swift 10*l.* yearly. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 6. Westminster. Writ of aid for the abbot of Coggeshale, whom R. bishop of London appointed to collect the two moieties of the tenth last granted to Richard II by the clergy of the province of Canterbury in the archdeaconry of Colcestre and to answer to the said king for one moiety at Martinmas, 22 Richard II, and the other at Midsummer last.

Dec. 7. Westminster. Grant for life to John Langrigge of 10 marks yearly at the hands of the sheriffs of London, in recompense for the office of 'felbyndyng' at the custom of Wolkeye, London, granted to him for life by letters patent of Richard II, confirmed by the king, which he cannot enjoy because the king has granted the same to John Galby by letters patent. By p.s.

1399. *Membrane* 19—*cont.*

Dec. 1. Westminster. Licence, for 5 marks paid by him to the king, for Almaric de Sancto Amando, 'chivaler,' the elder to enfeoff Thomas Dauntesey, Henry Yngepenne and Philip Shepyer of his manor of Cotes, co. Bedford, held in chief, and for these to re-grant it to him and Eleanor his wife for life with successive remainders to Almaric de Sancto Amando the younger and the heirs male of his body, the heirs of the bodies of the said Almaric the elder and Eleanor and the right heirs of the said Almaric the elder.

Dec. 7. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Sy of 6*l.* yearly which the abbot and convent of Shrewsbury render to the king for the wood or hay called Lythewode. By p.s.

Nov. 16. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Nicholas de Skelton of letters patent dated 3 January, 8 Richard II, granting to him for life 12*d.* daily at the Exchequer. By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because the king on 7 November, in the second year, granted to him 12d. daily for life from the issues of the county of York.

MEMBRANE 18.

Nov. 25. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Hugh Lutterell of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 28 August, 19 Richard II, granting to him for life 40*l.* yearly.
2. Letters patent dated 11 February, 22 Richard II, granting to him for life the office of the forest of Gillyngham and other things.

And grant to him for life of 20*l.* yearly and 100*s.* yearly from the issues of the manor of Middelton, in lieu of grants to him for life of 20*l.* yearly from the issues of the lands and possessions of the alien abbot of St. Nicholas, Angers, and the custody of the constableship of the castle of Leedes by letters patent of Richard II, surrendered.

By p.s. and for 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled because on 28 May, in the fifth year, the king pardoned to him 482l. 8s. 11d. demanded from him in the Exchequer.

Dec. 3. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Robert Brut of 10*l.* yearly from the issues of the county of Lincoln. By p.s.

Mandate in pursuance to the sheriff. *Et erat patens.*

Nov. 17. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William de Hilton of letters patent dated 16 April, 9 Richard II, granting to him for life 50 marks yearly.

By p.s. and for 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Dec. 9. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Thomas Sy of the office of verger of the company of 'la Garter' within the castle of Wyndesore with a mansion within the castle, as Walter Whithors had, receiving such wages from the issues of the castle as he had, with the custody of the mantles of the company and the black rod and all other accustomed fees and profits.

Vacated because in the third year. By p.s.

Dec. 6. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Hugh Blees that he shall be one of the king's thirty serjeants at arms, receiving 12*d.* daily from the issues of the great custom of wools, hides and wool-fells in the port of London with a robe of the suit of esquires of the household yearly at Christmas at the great wardrobe. By p.s.

Mandate in pursuance to the collectors of the custom.

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Membrane 18—*cont.*

Dec. 6. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight Edmund de Thorp, whom the king has retained for life, of 100 marks yearly from the issues of the petty custom in the port of Bishop's Lynne, co. Norfolk, the first payment beginning at Michaelmas last, in lieu of a grant by letters patent dated 22 November (*see p.* 129), surrendered. By p.s.

Mandate in pursuance to the collectors.

Nov. 19. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Thomas Kentwode of letters patent dated 13 August, 18 Richard II, granting to him for life 100*s.* yearly. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 7. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 8 August, 18 Richard II, granting to Edmund Baret for life 5 marks yearly. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 30. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight Ralph de Euyr of 50*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Dec. 11. Westminster. Grant to the king's knight John Pelham of the custody of the lordship of Bosham, co. Sussex, late of Thomas, duke of Norfolk, deceased, tenant in chief, during the minority of Thomas his son and heir without waste, and so from heir to heir. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 17.

Nov. 22. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Holt of 5 marks yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

The like to the king's servant Ralph Horton. By p.s.

Dec. 5. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Richard Gest of two tuns of wine yearly from the king's prises of wine in the port of Lynne. By p.s.

Nov. 28. Westminster. Grant to the king's esquire Robert de Waterton and his heirs and assigns of the manor of Dubbuldyke and the advowson of the church of Gosberkirk, with all lands, meadows, woods, moors, marshes, pastures, turbaries, waters, several fisheries, rents, services, reversions, fees, advowsons, profits and commodities belonging thereto, and all other lands in the towns of Gosberkirk, Spaldyng, Quadryng, Pynchebek and Surflete, co. Lincoln, which John Bussy, 'chivaler,' purchased from the feoffees or executors of John, late lord de la Warre, and which came into the king's hands by his forfeiture. By p.s.

Dec. 2. Westminster. Grant to the king's son Humphrey and the heirs of his body, of the manors of Cokham and Bray, co. Berks, and the manor of Middelton and the hundreds of Middelton and Merden, co. Kent, with knights' fees, advowsons, liberties, franchises, commodities, profits and other rights. By p.s.

Dec. 1. Westminster. Grant for life to John Gerlethorpe of 10*l.* yearly at the Exchequer, in lieu of a like grant by letters patent of Richard II, surrendered. By p.s.

Dec. 4. Westminster. Grant for life to Robert de Louthe, 'vynter,' of 4*d.* daily from the issues of the city of York. By p.s.

Nov. 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 25 September, 12 Richard II, granting to him for life the office of porter of the wardrobe. By p.s. and for God because he is poor.

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Dec. 3. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the prior and friars of the house of the Carmelite order of Leghline in Ireland of letters patent under the great seal of Ireland dated at Dublin, 20 February, 18 Richard II, granting to them of the king's alms 20 marks yearly for ever from the issues of the town of Newcastle of Lyons, in furtherance of a grant by letters patent dated 13 March, 2 Richard II. By p.s.

Mandate in pursuance to the keeper or constable of the town or the collector of the issues.

Dec. 4. Westminster. Protection, with clause *volumus*, for one year, for Robert de Faryngton, clerk, treasurer of Ireland, staying there on the king's service. By bill of p.s.

The like for Hugh de Faryngton, clerk, one of the barons of the exchequer of Ireland. By the same bill.

Dec. 8. Westminster. Grant for life to Thomas Tredyngton, chaplain, whom the king has retained for life to stay in the new tower of Suthampton, to celebrate divine service there, to keep the ornament in the tower, to do what he can for the defence of the tower and to control the works within the castle of Suthampton, of 10*l.* yearly for his salary and maintenance from the custom of wools and wool-fells in the port of Suthampton, in lieu of a like grant by letters patent of Richard II, surrendered. By p.s.

Nov. 10. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 10 October, 9 Richard II, granting for life to Richard Cachero 6*d.* daily at the hands of the sheriff of Wilts; and grant that he shall have for life the office of forester of the bailiwick of Borele in the New Forest. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Dec. 5. Westminster. Pardon to Philip Dombelton for all felonies and trespasses committed by him except treasons, murders, common larceny and rapes of women. By p.s.

Dec. 12. Westminster Grant to the king's clerk William Donne of the prebend which Ralph Kestevene, deceased, had in the king's free chapel of St. Stephen within the palace of Westminster. By p.s.

Mandate in pursuance to the dean and college. By the same writ.

Dec. 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Thomas Legg of letters patent dated 20 August, 9 Richard II, granting to him for life 6*d.* daily. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper

MEMBRANE 16.

Dec. 1. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to David Holgrave of letters patent dated 2 June, 9 Richard II, remitting to him and Ellen his wife a yearly sum of 6*l.* 4*s.* 6*d.*, and letters patent dated 22 February, 15 Richard II, granting to him for life 40 marks yearly. By p.s. and for 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 7. Westminster *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 13 June, 22 Richard II, granting for life to Robert Jay 100*s.* yearly. By p.s. and for God because he is poor.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because the king granted the same to him for life on 30 January, in his second year.

Nov. 28. Westminster. Grant to the king's uncle Edmund, duke of York, and the heirs male of his body of the castle of Rysyng, co. Norfolk, which Richard II

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granted to Thomas, late duke of Gloucester, and which has come into the king's hands because the latter died without male heir of his body, with advowsons of churches and chapels, knights' fees, rents, customs, services, reversions, escheats, forfeitures, courts, leets, chaces, warrens, tolls, fairs, markets, lands, woods, meadows, pastures, marshes, waters, fisheries, wreck of sea, lagan, flotsam, jetsom, prests and other liberties, franchises, profits and commodities as the said duke of Gloucester had the same to the value of 66*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* yearly, at which the castle is extended, as appears by inquisitions, in part deduction of 500 marks yearly granted to him by Edward III and confirmed by Richard II; provided that after his death the 50*l.* yearly for the manor of Compton Basset from the residue of the said 500 marks yearly shall be deducted. By K.

Dec. 11. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Edward Perys of letters patent (*French*) of Thomas, earl of Nottingham, marshal of England, lord of Moubray and Segrave, dated at Trestildormot in Ireland, the last day of February, 18 Richard II, granting to him for life an annuity of 20*l.* from the issues of his manor of Hawenes, co. Bedford.
By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Dec. 12. Westminster. Richard Rede, going to Ireland, has letters nominating Walter Houth and Robert Fitz Robert his attorneys in England for one year.
Thomas Stanley, clerk, received the attorneys until his return.

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Feb. 8. Westminster. Ralph Standissh, esquire, staying in England, has letters nominating John Cophull and Walter Eure his attorneys in Ireland for one year.
John Wakeryng, clerk, received the attorneys until his advent.

Feb. 18. Westminster. William Walton, esquire, staying in England, has letters nominating Thomas Walton and Henry Clakeston his attorneys in Ireland for one year. John Hertilpole received the attorneys.

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MEMBRANE 15.

Nov. 14. Westminster. Grant for life to Joan late the wife of Robert Morice of 2*d.* daily from the petty custom in the port of London. By p.s.

Grant, during good behaviour, to Walter Merwe of the custody and governance of the mistery of the king's money within the Tower of London and the town of Calais with the office of the exchange of the money within the Tower, receiving the accustomed fees and profits.
Vacated by surrender. By p.s.

Nov. 26. Westminster *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Silby, clerk, notwithstanding any right of the king etc., of letters patent (*French*) of Margaret, countess of Norfolk, dated at her castle of Framlyngham, 29 May, 5 Richard II, granting to him for life a yearly rent of 10 marks from the town of Silby, co. Leicester. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 17. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire John Huse of 20*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Nov. 5. Westminster Grant for life to the king's esquire Thomas Roche of the office of the constableship of the castle of Pembroke in Wales, with the profits belonging to it, with 8*d.* daily for the wages of the porter of the castle from the issues of the county or lordship of Pembroke; and grant to him for life of 20*l.* yearly from the same. By p.s.

Nov. 28. Westminster. Mandate in pursuance to the farmers, receivers or occupiers.

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Dec. 1. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 19 May, 15 Richard II, granting to Thomas Wodyfeld for life the office of serjeant at arms. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 17. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Peter Lobbe and Alice his wife, notwithstanding any right, etc. of letters patent (*French*) of Margaret, countess of Norfolk, dated 1 October, 14 Richard II, granting to them for life a yearly rent of 10 marks from the issues of her manor of Bongeye, co. Suffolk. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Mandate in pursuance to the farmers, occupiers or receivers.

Dec. 9. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's clerk John de Hertilpole, one of the masters of Chancery, of a tun or two pipes of the better red wine of Gascony yearly in the ports of London or Kyngeston on Hull at Christmas. By p.s.

Dec. 8. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Edmund Barry, whom the king has retained for life, of 20*l.* yearly from Michaelmas last from the petty custom in the port of Great Jernemuth, in lieu of another grant of 20*l.* yearly by letters patent surrendered. By p.s.

Mandate in pursuance to the collectors.

Nov. 30. Westminster. Exemption for life of the king's knight Ralph de Euyr from being put on any jury or inquisition and from being made sheriff, escheator, coroner or any other officer or minister of the king against his will. By p.s.

Dec. 5. Westminster. Whereas Richard II granted to Michael de la Pole, late earl of Suffolk, and his heirs during the life of Isabel, countess of Suffolk, the manor of Hesilbere, co. Somerset, 29*l.* yearly from the fee farm of the city of Winchester and 47*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* yearly from the farm of 120 marks yearly from the issues of the castle of Rokyngham and the stewardship of the forests and hundred between the bridges of Oxford and Stamford, and also granted to Michael de la Pole, now earl of Suffolk, son of the said earl, and the heirs male of his body 123*l.* 7*s.* 9¾*d.* yearly from Easter, 21 Richard II, from the hanaper until the reversion of the manors of Haghle and Thorndon, co. Suffolk, should fall in on the death of the said countess; the king confirms these grants, and grants to the said Michael all arrears from Easter last. By K. and 100*s.* paid in the hanaper.
Vacated because elsewhere in this year.

Nov. 22. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Whatton of letters patent dated 8 October, 6 Richard II, granting to him for life 5 marks yearly. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 20. Westminster. Grant to Robert Bendowe of the office of ranger of the forest of Rutland with wages of 6*d.* daily from the issues of the county of Rutland, as Thomas Whitherlee, deceased, had of the grant of Edward III. By p.s.

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Dec. 2. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Geoffrey de Vale of letters patent dated 27 November, 12 Richard II, granting to him for life certain manors and lands in Ireland; and grant to him for life, in consideration of his expenses in the wars of the king's progenitors and because a great part of his demesne lands have been destroyed by the Irish, of the surplus there mentioned, amounting to 23*l.* yearly. By p.s.

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Dec. 8. Westminster. Presentation of Master David Lygadbrith to the church of Llandyffnan, in the diocese of Bangor.

Dec. 6. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire John Adam, whom the king has retained for life, of 20*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Nov. 7. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 19 November, 8 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 29 May, 51 Edward III, inspecting and confirming with additions letters patent (*French*) of Isabel, countess of Bedford, dated 29 September, 37 Edward III, to Gilbert Cerle. By p.s. and for God because he is poor.

Nov. 16. Westminster. Whereas by an inquisition taken by pretext of a commission of oyer and terminer in the county of Surrey in the time of Richard II it was found that Robert atte Mille and Alice his wife found treasure to the value of 600*l.* at Gildeford, of which they were in no way guilty, and nevertheless they paid about 500 marks in the Exchequer of the said late king as is alleged by their petition in Parliament, the king pitying their poverty pardons to them the remainder of the said sum.
By K. and pet. in Parl.

Dec. 2. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Peter Edward of letters patent dated 20 August, 9 Richard II, granting to him for life 6*d.* daily.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Dec. 7. Westminster. Grant for like to John Pikwell of 10*l.* yearly from the issues of the county of Leicester. By p.s.

Dec. 10. Westminster. Commission to John Drayton, the king's pavilioner, and John Ewell, yeoman of the king's pavilions, to take workmen and other labourers for the king's pavilions and tents and carriage and shipment for the same to places where they will be needed for the king's present voyage.
By bill of the treasurer.

Dec. 10. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William of Wykeham, bishop of Winchester, and his heirs of letters patent dated 14 July, 12 Richard II, granting to him an inn in the parish of St. Mary, Mountenhaut, London.
For ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Dec. 9. Westminster. Grant for life to Peter de Mavan of 20 marks yearly at the Exchequer, in recompense of a like grant by letters patent of Richard II, which have been accidentally lost. By p.s.

Nov. 15. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Thomas Knapton of 6*d.* daily from the customs of the town of Kyngeston on Hull. By p.s.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because the king on 9 December, in the third year, granted to him 6d. daily for life at the Exchequer from 1 May, 2 Henry IV.

Dec. 9. Westminster. Grant for life to Clarice Hydon of 10*l* yearly from the issues of the county of Gloucester. By p.s.
Mandate in pursuance to the sheriff.

Dec. 12. Westminster. Master John Bernard, clerk, staying in England, has letters nominating Hugh Bauent and John Lyverpoll his attorneys in Ireland for one year.
William Roudon, clerk, received the attorneys until his advent into England (*sic*).

Dec. 13. Westminster. Grant for life to William Alberdyn, one of the yeomen of the king's chamber, of 10 marks yearly from the issues of the county of Somerset.
By p.s.

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Nov. 20. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 24 February, 18 Richard II, granting to William Parker and others divers lands in the county of Kent late of Robert Bealknap. For 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 16. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant William Cook of 6*d.* daily from the custom of the town of Bristol. By p.s.

Nov. 4. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Adam Penkhyrst of letters patent dated 23 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 14 April, 44 Edward III, granting to him for life 6*d.* daily at the Exchequer. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 20 *April the king granted to him* 6*d. daily for life from the issues of the counties of Surrey and Sussex.*

Nov. 1. Westminster. Grant to Ranulph del See, esquire, that he shall be one of the king's serjeants at arms, receiving for life 12*d.* daily for his wages at the hands of the sheriffs of the city of York and a livery yearly at Christmas as other serjeants at arms have. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 22 *June, in the second year, the king granted to him the said* 12*d. daily from the said* 1 *November for life from the issues of the city.*

Mandate in pursuance to the sheriffs.

Dec. 6. Westminster. Grant for life to Conan Filz Henry of 20*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Dec. 9. Westminster. Grant for life to John Hareshom of 8*d.* daily at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Grant to John Huet *alias* Sergeant that he shall be one of the king's serjeants at arms, receiving for life 20*l.* yearly at the Exchequer and a livery yearly at the great wardrobe at Christmas as other serjeants at arms have. By p.s.

Dec. 10. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Dolyng of letters patent dated 29 July, 19 Richard II, granting to him for life the office of ranger of the New Forest and 6*d.* daily. By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Dec. 12. Westminster. Licence for the provincial of the order of friars of St. Mary of Mount Carmel and all priors and superiors of the order in England to bring to obedience certain friars of the order, chaplains of the apostolic see and others, who have abused the privileges granted to them by the apostolic see, in accordance with bulls of the pope. [*Fœdera.*]

Nov. 11. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire John Ayschele, whom the king has retained for life, of the castle of Emelyn in South Wales with all accustomed profits, rents and services to the value of 80 marks yearly as Simon Burley, 'chivaler,' deceased, had, provided that he answer for any surplus yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

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Dec. 6. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Master William de Wynford of letters patent dated 20 October, 15 Richard II, exemplifying letters patent dated 14 November, 7 Richard II.

By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

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Nov. 22. Westminster. Exemption for life of William Boneville, 'chivaler,' from being put on assizes, juries, attaints, recognitions, perambulations, or other inquisitions and from being made trier, sheriff, escheator, coroner or other officer or minister of the king against his will. By p.s.

Dec. 6. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Edmund Stokes of the following:—
1. Letters patent dated 27 March, 5 Richard II, granting to him for life the office of bailiff in the town of Boston.
2. Letters patent dated 24 August, 7 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent (*French*) of Joan, duchess of Brittany, dated 28 September, 6 Richard II.

And grant also to him for life of 24*l.* yearly from the issues of the counties of Cambridge and Huntingdon, in recompense of the fees and profits of the stallage of the butchery of Bristol granted to him by letters patent of Edward, duke of Albemarle, surrendered because the king has granted the same to another.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 20. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Walter Malet of letters patent dated 21 July, 21 Richard II, granting to him for life 20 marks yearly.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Dec. 5. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire John de Sutton of 12*d.* daily from the moneys arising from the custom within the town and port of Ipswich.
Vacated because in the second year. By p.s.

Mandate in pursuance to the customers or collectors.

Nov. 14. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Frank of letters patent dated 4 July, 17 Richard II, granting to him for life 6*d.* daily.
By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Dec. 11. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's brother Ralph, earl of Westmoreland, of a tenement called 'le Erber' in the ward of Dowegate, London, with all other lands, rents, houses, solars, cellars and shops late of William Lescrope, 'chivaler,' deceased, in the said ward. By p.s.
Vacated by surrender.

Commission to John Sperston to take mariners for the conduct of the king's barge called *la Anne* in the port of Suthampton from thence to the port of London.

Dec. 9. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant William Whitford of the office of porter and keeper of the wardrobe within the king's castle of Haddelegh with the accustomed fees, wages and profits. By p.s.

Dec. 15. Westminster. Presentation of John Faireford to the church of Lambilio, in the diocese of St. Davids.

Nov. 14. Westminster. Grant to the king's esquire Simon Bermyngeham that he shall be one of the king's serjeants at arms, receiving for life wages of 12*d.* daily at the hands of the mayor and bailiffs of Bristol from the issues of the town and a robe yearly against Christmas at the great wardrobe, as other esquires of the household have. By p.s.
Vacated because elsewhere in this year.

Nov. 8. Westminster. Grant to Thomas de Camoys and his heirs of the bailiwick of the forestership of Assheholte and Wolmere, co. Southampton, as Ralph de Camoys his grandfather had in his demesne as of fee in the time of Edward II. By p.s.

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Nov. 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Margaret late the wife of Gilbert Talbot, John Pecche, John Lane, John Broune, parson of the church of Stowe, John Spencer, parson of the church of Hautford, and William Boton, chaplain, executors of the will of the said Gilbert, of letters patent dated 30 July, 14 Richard II, granting to the said Gilbert and Joan his wife certain possessions pertaining to the priory of St. Faith, Longeville. For 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Dec. 15. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Peter Hall of an indenture dated at the monastery of St. Mary, York, 2 September, 1396, whereby the abbot and convent, at the request of Richard II, grant for life to Joan Wigmore and the said Peter jointly such maintenance as Richard de Sutton had, viz., a white loaf, a loaf called 'abbotlafe,' a gallon of conventual ale and a dish from the kitchen daily, as served to a servant in the hall, and a robe of the suit of the servants and 5*s.* of silver for shoe allowance yearly. By K. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 24. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Thomas Fodryngay of letters patent dated 3 May, 6 Richard II, granting to him the office of one of the tellers of the Exchequer. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Dec. 13. Westminster. Grant to the king's kinswoman Isabel late the wife of William Lescrope, earl of Wiltshire, deceased, of 100*l.* from his goods in the king's hands and the third part of his silver vessels in the hands of the king or anyone else, provided that any of the latter which she may find shall first be brought to the king's use. By p.s.

Nov. 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Thomas Plommer of letters patent dated 26 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 16 April, 48 Edward III. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 14. Westminster. Grant for life to John Paytevyn of 25 marks yearly from the issues of the counties of Bedford and Buckingham, in recompense for the office of bailiff of Sandwich, which he had for life of the grant of Richard II and which the king has granted to one of his servants. By p.s.

Oct. 16. Westminster. Grant for life to John de Hynstok of the manor of Roumford, co. Essex, late of the duchess of Norfolk, deceased, to hold to the value of 20 marks yearly, provided that he answer for any surplus at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Oct. 20. Westminster. Licence, for 5 marks paid in the hanaper by the prior and convent of Leghes, for the alienation in mortmain to them by John Bernard, Humphrey Clerk and John Dagnet of 37 acres of land and 2*d.* rent in Halstede and by Clement Spice and William Dannebery and the said John and John of 8 acres of land in Felstede, not held in chief, to celebrate a mass in their priory every Friday throughout the year for the soul of Richard atte Hoo.

Nov. 17. Westminster. Revocation of letters patent (*see p.* 49) to the abbot and convent of St. Mary, Cokirsand, co. Lancaster.

MEMBRANE 10.

Nov. 29. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Adam Colton of the following :—

1. Letters patent dated 6 June, 12 Richard II, granting to him for life 10*l.* yearly.
2. Letters patent dated 21 May, 17 Richard II, granting to him for life 10*l.* yearly.

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3. Letters patent dated 8 January, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life 8*d.* daily.

4. Letters patent dated 9 April, 22 Richard II, granting to him for life 10*l.* yearly.

By p.s. and for 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because the king on 24 November, in the third year, granted to him for life 34l. 11s. 3d. yearly at the Exchequer.

Nov. 28. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Ralph Ramesey of 40*l.* yearly from the fee farm of the town of Great Jernemuth, co. Norfolk. By p.s.

Mandate in pursuance to the bailiffs.

Nov. 4. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation, to the value of 5 marks yearly, to Eynon ap Morgan of letters patent dated 1 November, 1 Henry IV. exemplifying letters patent dated 5 June, 11 Richard II.

By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Dec. 4. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the king's uncle Edmund, duke of York, of letters patent dated 8 February, 48 Edward III, granting divers possessions to him and the heirs of his body; and grant to him and the heirs of his body of the manor of Werke with the peel of the same and the peel or manor of Staworth with all manors, lands, rents, services, fees, advowsons, royalties, liberties and franchises and the whole lordship of Tyndale with all franchises, royalties, fortalices, towns, hamlets, knights' fees, advowsons, parks, chaces, woods, warrens, fisheries, escheats, forfeitures, fairs, markets, lordships, liberties and other appurtenances as Philippa, late queen of England, or anyone else had, and pardon to him of anything forfeited to the king in the said lordship and manors beyond the estate which he had by the said letters patent. By K. and by p.s.

Dec. 11. Westminster. Grant to William Gillour of the office of bailiff of Fennystaunton, co. Huntingdon, during the minority of Thomas son and heir of Thomas de Moubray, late earl of Nottingham, and so from heir to heir, with 2*d.* daily from the issues of the manor of Fennystaunton and all accustomed profits. By p.s.

Dec. 9. Westminster. Grant for life to Robert Trenchemere of Erpyngham of 4*d.* daily from the customs and subsidies of wools, hides and woolfells in the port of Bishops Lenn, co. Norfolk. By p.s.

Dec. 4. Westminster. Exemption for life of John Symcokkus of Fynsepathe from being put on assizes, juries, attaints, inquisitions or recognitions and from being made trier, arrayer or leader of men at arms, hobelers or archers or collector or controller of tenths, fifteenths, subsidies, taxes, tallages or other charges against his will. By p.s.

Dec. 11. Westminster. Grant for twenty years to William Swetkok of Fynspathe that his carts, horses or other carriage shall not be taken for the king's use against his will. By p.s.

Nov. 14. Westminster. Grant to the king's esquire Simon Bermyngeham that he shall be one of the king's serjeants at arms (*as on p.* 149). By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 4 February, 2 Henry IV, the king granted to him 12d. daily for life from the issues, farms, amercements and other commodities of the town.

Dec. 12. Westminster. Grant to the king's servant John Ewell that he shall be yeoman keeper of the king's tents and pavilions under the serjeant of the office, receiving, wages of 4*d.* daily for life at the great wardrobe, as John Bevys, deceased, had. By p.s.

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Dec. 16. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to David Bertevill of letters patent dated 22 January, 16 Richard II, granting that he be one of the king's serjeants at arms. By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Dec. 15. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Ralph Durburgh, whom the king has retained for life, of 20*l.* yearly from the issues of the county of Somerset. By p.s.

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Nov. 22. Westminster. Whereas by an inquisition taken *ex officio* before William Bolle, late escheator in the county of Lincoln, on Monday after the Annunciation, 17 Richard II, it was found that Geoffrey Thoresby, who held the manor of Staynton by Irford, of the value of 20*s.* yearly, of the said king in chief and the manor of Sereby called le Northalle, of the value of 40*s.* yearly, of the queen as of the fee of Albemarle by the service of 15*s.* yearly, died seised of the same on the vigil of the Decollation of St. John, 46 Edward III, and Julian his wife occupied the said manors and received the issues from his death until St. Barnabas, 6 Richard II, and married William Cheyne without licence and the said William and Julian occupied the manors and received the issues until the date of the inquisition and the said William granted the said manors with all other lands of the said Julian in Staynton, Kevermond and Sereby to William Bagot and divers other persons for her life without licence, and the said king by letters patent dated 12 August, 18 Richard II, granted to the said William Cheyne and Julian the custody of the said manors, rendering the extent; the king grants that they shall have livery of the said manors and lands and pardons all trespasses and all issues and arrears. By K. and by p.s.

Dec. 10. Westminster. Grant for life to John Cook of the office of keeper of the king's arms within the Tower of London, receiving 7½d. daily at the hands of the master-keeper of the king's privy wardrobe within the Tower with a robe of the suit of the king's yeomen, as William de la Wardrobe and others had. By p.s.

Nov. 18. Westminster *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 10 February, 1 Richard II, granting for life to Alice de Preston 12 marks yearly. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 17. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation, notwithstanding any right, etc. to Walter Fitz Piers of letters patent (*French*) of Margaret, countess of Norfolk, dated at her castle of Framlyngham, 1 April, 13 Richard II, granting to him for life a yearly rent of 6 marks from the issues of her manor of Weston, co. Hertford. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 10. Westminster. Grant for life to John Shadworth of London, who has acquired from John Chircheman certain premises specified in letters patent dated 15 July, 6 Richard II, and [18 July, 7] Richard II, surrendered, that the tronage of wools in the port of London shall be in his house, and grant to him for life of 4*l.* yearly from the custom and subsidy of wools, hides and woolfells in the said port. By K.

Vacated because in the third year.

Nov. 2. Westminster. Grant to the king's son Thomas de Lancastre, steward of England, and his heirs and assigns, for the increase of his estate, of the manor and lordship of Brustwyk, the castle and manor of Skipse, the patronage of the abbey of Melsa, co. York, the manor of Barowe, the patronage of the

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abbey of Thornton, co. Lincoln, and all manors, lands, rents, services, franchises, liberties and possessions within the towns of Preston, Burtonpidse, Bond Brustwyk, Skeklyng, Lelle Dyke, Paule, Kayngham, Skeftlyng, Esyngton, Kylnesee, Wythornesee and Cleton which lately came into the king's hands with towns, hamlets, members, fee-farms, knights' fees, advowsons, corrodies, pensions and other offices, homages, fealties, wards, marriages, reliefs, escheats, forfeitures, waifs, strays, infangthief and outfangthief, courts baron, views of frank-pledge, leets, rapes, hundreds, wapentakes, wreck of sea, fairs, markets, franchises, liberties and free customs, meadows, pastures, forests, woods, parks, chaces, launds, warrens, assarts, purprestures, cheminages, fisheries, mills, moors, marshes, turbaries, waters, stanks, stews, ways, passages, commons, profits, commodities, reversions, services of tenants and other things, to hold by the accustomed services, as Anne, late queen of England, or anyone else had. By K.

Nov. 3. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William de Norton of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 16 March, 2 Richard II, granting to him for life 10*l.* yearly.
2. Letters patent dated 2 March, 7 Richard II, granting to him for life 13*s.* 4*d.* yearly.
3. Letters patent under the seal used in North Wales dated at Carnarvon, 18 January, 7 Richard II, granting to him for life 100*s.* yearly from the issues of the bailiwick of Anglesey in North Wales.

By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 18. Westminster. Grant to the king's knight Robert Chalouns and his heirs, for the increase of his estate, of the forfeiture of all lands, rents and possessions late of John Cary, justice. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 8.

Nov. 18.* Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Thomas Hatfeld of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 22 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent (*French*) of the said king when prince [dated 25 February, 51 Edward III] inspecting [and confirming] letters patent (*French*) of his father Edward, prince of Wales, dated at Biflete, 10 September, 49 Edward III.
2. Letters patent dated 22 March, 4 Richard II [*French Roll, 4 Richard II, m.* 15], granting to him for life the custody of the gaol of Calais, in recompense for the custody of the chace of Risyng.
3. Letters patent dated 25 November, 17 Richard II, granting to him for life the manor of Netilbed, co. Oxford, to the value of 6 marks 6*s.* 8*d.* yearly.

By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Vacated so far as concerns the custody of the gaol of Calais, because the king with his assent on 24 February, in the ninth year, granted the same to John Stonley, for life.

Dec. 15. Westminster. Thomas de Neville, 'chivaler,' lord of Furnivall, staying in England, has letters nominating John Stanley, 'chivaler,' and John Cophull, esquire, his attorneys in Ireland for one year.

John de Hertilpole, clerk, received the attorneys.

Nov. 3. Westminster. Grant for life to Thomas Camoys and Richard Camoys his son of the custody of the castle and town of Porchestre and the forest and warren there, provided that they have a porter, an artiller and a watchman

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dwelling within the castle for its safe-custody, receiving 12*d.* daily for their own fees, 8*d.* daily for the wages of the porter and 1½*d.* daily for the wages of a groom under him, these two having the custody of the warren, 6*d.* daily for the wages of the artiller and 3*d.* daily for the wages of the watchman from the extent of the premises so far as they suffice and the issues of the county of Southampton, as Roger Walden and John Walden his brother had. By p.s.

Nov. 16. Westminster. Grant to Walter Hungerford, 'chivaler,' and Thomas Beauchamp, 'chivaler,' in recompense of their great expenses in the king's service after his last advent into England, of 200*l.* from the issues of the lands and rents late of Margaret, duchess of Norfolk, deceased, which were taken into the hands of Richard II and are now in the king's hands. By K.

Dec. 16. Westminster. Protection with clause *volumus*, for one year, for John Fynour, going on the king's service to Ireland in the company of the king's knight John de Stanley, lieutenant of Ireland, for the safe-custody of those parts. By bill of p.s.

Dec. 10. Westminster. Grant to the king's esquire John Doreward of the county of Essex of 35*l.* yearly from the fee-farm of the town of Colcestre from 18 September last for life or until the king shall make other ordinance for his estate.
Vacated because he surrendered the letters gratis. By p.s.

Dec. 6. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the brethren and sisters of the hospitals of Northgate and Herbaldon by Canterbury of letters patent dated 28 January, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 6 March, 45 Edward III, exempting them from certain contributions in furtherance of a grant by letters patent dated 1 December, 9 Edward III; and grant that they shall be quit of tenths, fifteenths, taxes, tallages, aids, contributions and other quota, impositions and charges granted to the king. By K.

Dec. 5. Westminster. Exemption for life of Robert Nevylle of Hornby, 'chivaler,' from being put on assizes, juries, attaints or other recognitions and from being made justice of the peace, sheriff, escheator, taxer, assessor or collector of tenths, fifteenths or other quota or subsidies or other minister of the king against his will. By K.

Oct. 28. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Colston of the office of bailiff of the hundred of Rocheford, as others have had it. By p.s.

Oct. 28. Westminster. Presentation of Robert Gowe, king's clerk, to the church of Wyggeston, in the diocese of Lincoln. By p.s.

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Dec. 14. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Janico Dartays of 40*l.* yearly from the issues of the city of Dublin in Ireland, in recompense for the barony of Norragh in Ireland, which he had for life of the grant of Thomas, earl of Kent. By p.s.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 26 March the king granted to him 40l. yearly for life from Michaelmas last from the fee-farm of the city.

Mandate in pursuance to the mayor, bailiffs, officers and farmers.

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Nov. 30. Westminster. Pardon to Isabel de Lomley, prioress of Rosdale, and Adam Wyntryngham, chaplain, of 10 marks in which they were bound to Roger de Fulthorpe, knight, by their writing obligatory and for which they are being distrained on to satisfy the king by reason of the forfeiture of the said Roger, and all penalty for the concealment of the same. By K.

Oct. 12. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's kinsman Henry de Percy, son of the earl of Northumberland, of the whole county and lordship of Angleseye in North Wales with the castle of Beaumarreys and commotes, manors, lands, fee-farms, rents, services of tenants, reversions, knights' fees, advowsons, courts, sheriffs' turns, views of frank-pledge, rhaglawships, ryngildships, stewardships, amobrages, escheats, treasure trove, forfeitures, deadands, wreck of sea and royal fishes, customs, prises of wines and other merchandise, fairs, markets, franchises, liberties, mines of lead and other metals and stone, chaces, warrens, stanks, stews, marshes, moors, woods, chattels of felons and fugitives and intestates, escapes of felons, amercements, fines and ransoms for felonies and toll of all persons, to govern at his will and for his profit according to the laws, customs and uses of England and North Wales and the said parts, as fully as the king had the same, saving the allegiance of the people and the royal offices of the justiceship and the chancellorship, and grant to him of all arrears of moneys in the time of Richard II and the time of William Lescrope, 'chivaler.' By p.s.

Nov. 4. Westminster. Grant to the king's servant John Hynstoke, to whom the king lately granted the manor of Rumford, co. Essex, for life by letters patent, of all issues of the manor in the hands of the tenants, bailiffs and farmers for Easter and Michaelmas terms last before the date of the said letters. By p.s.

Dec. 17. Westminster. Mandate to the dean and chapter of the king's free chapel of Hastynges for the induction of Thomas atte Lee, chaplain, warden of the free chapel of Asserton, in the diocese of Salisbury, whom Richard, bishop of Salisbury, by commission of the authority of Robert, bishop of Chichester, has admitted at the king's presentation and instituted to the prebend of Bulwardehethe in the said chapel, in the diocese of Chichester, on an exchange with John Wotton.

Nov. 22. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Richard Lescrope of letters patent (*French*) of the king's father John, king of Castile and Leon, duke of Lancaster, dated at his manor of La Sauvoye, 1 March, 47 Edward III, granting to him for life 40*l.* yearly from the issues of his manors of Bourghbrigg, Rouclif and Aldeburgh, co. York, in lieu of another grant dated 8 November, 41 Edward III, surrendered. By p.s. and for 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Dec. 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Dame Katharine, lady of Beaumont, Aubyn de Enderby, Thomas Frysby and Thomas Holme of an indenture (*French*) dated 14 April, 22 Richard II, witnessing that Edward, duke of Albemarle, to whom the same were granted by the said late king, has granted to them the keeping of all lands late of John de Beaumont, 'chivaler,' and all lands, rents and services late of Margaret his mother from the day of St. Jerome last during the minority of Henry, son and heir of the said John, with his marriage without disparagement, and so from heir to heir, finding a competent sustenance for the heir, maintaining the houses and buildings and supporting all charges, and for this they will pay him 2,800 marks, viz. 250 at Trinity, 750 at Martinmas and then 250 every Easter and Michaelmas until the remainder is paid. By p.s. and for 6 marks paid in the hanaper.

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Oct. 17. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Simon Typet of the office of bailiff of the town of Sandwich, with the accustomed fees and wages. By p.s.
Vacated because in the seventh year.

Nov. 17. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Rougheved, notwithstanding any right, etc. of letters patent (*French*) of Margaret, countess of Norfolk, dated at her castle of Framlyngham, 1 April, 13 Richard II, granting to him for life a yearly rent of 100*s.* from the issues of her manor of Saham Barres, co. Suffolk. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

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Dec. 9. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 28 May, 18 Richard II, granting for life to Stephen Sedar the office of keeping the king's arrows within the Tower of London; and grant that he shall have for the exercise of his office a mansion within the Tower between the mansion of the clerk of the works and the tower called Wakefield.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Dec. 4. Westminster. Whereas Robert de Gare and Emma his wife, both now deceased, were seised as in her right of two messuages, two cottages and a croft called 'Jewebury' in Monkgate within the suburbs of York to the value of 6 marks yearly and continued their seisin therein for a long time and afterwards enfeoffed Robert de Gare, son of the said Robert, and his heirs of the same and he continued his possession for some time, and common report now says that she had her estate in the premises for life only by bequest of John Freboys, bastard, who died without heir, with remainder to the master or warden and the brethren and sisters of the gild or fraternity of St. Mary in Fossegate, York, and so the premises ought both to belong to the king as escheated and also to be forfeited to him, the king grants the premises to the said Robert the son and his heirs and assigns.
By p.s. [1125.]

Nov. 14. Westminster. Pardon to Thomas de Weston, parson of the church of Segefeld, in the diocese of Durham, of his trespass in obtaining a provision to the said church from pope Boniface, and ratification of his estate therein. By K.

Dec. 18. Westminster. Appointment, during pleasure, of Roger Westwod, clerk, as surveyor of all lands late of Anne, queen of England, deceased, and receiver of the issues of the same in England and Wales from Michaelmas last, answering for the issues at the Exchequer with allowance of 4*s.* daily for his expenses when journeying out of London and 40 marks yearly for his fee, provided that he answer from 29 March last, on which day the office was committed to him by letters patent of Richard II.
By bill of the treasurer.

Oct. 20. Westminster. Ratification of the estate which John Bonn has as parson of the church of Stourton, in the diocese of Salisbury, provided no plea be pending in the king's court.

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Jan. 15. Westminster. The like for the following:—
John ap Henry, vicar of the church of Llanstephan, in the diocese of St. Davids.

Jan. 17. Westminster. John Quynterell, vicar of the parish church of St. Goran in Cornwall, in the diocese of Exeter.

Jan. 18. Westminster. Thomas Keek, parson of the church of Baudryp, in the diocese of Bath and Wells.

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Jan. 20. Westminster. Thomas Kirkeby, parson of the church of St. Mary, Bymbroke, in the diocese of Lincoln.

Jan. 26. Westminster. John ap David, parson of the church of Neeth, in the diocese of Llandaff.

Feb. 8. Westminster. Master John Suthwell, parson of the church of St. Denis, York.

Jan. 5. Westminster. Maurice ap Walter, parson of the church of Llanveir in Kedewyng, in the diocese of St. Asaph.

Feb. 9. Westminster. William Mone, parson of the church of Clopham, co. Sussex.

Feb. 8. Westminster. John Draycote, parson of the church of Holewale, in the diocese of Salisbury.

Feb. 10. Westminster. William de Hempton, parson of the church of Hanneworth, in the diocese of London.

Feb. 15. Westminster. William Rowe, parson of the church of Sampford Peverell, co. Devon.

Feb. 20. Westminster. Gregory ap David, parson of the church of Landesoy, in the diocese of Llandaff.

Feb. 20. Westminster. John Juyl, chaplain, vicar of the church of St. Austol in Cornwall, in the diocese of Exeter.

March 11. Westminster. John Grover, chaplain, parson of the church of St. Martin, Oxford, in the diocese of Lincoln.

March 13. Westminster. John Mersden, parson of the parish church of Thurcaston, in the diocese of Lincoln, and prebendary of Wrottesley in the king's free chapel of Tettenhale. By p.s.

April 22. Westminster. John Dyg, vicar of the church of Hethfeld, in the diocese of Chichester.

May 3. Westminster John ap Griffyth, parson of the church of Bryngwyn.

May 12. Westminster. John Launder, parson of the church of Bedworth, in the diocese of Coventry and Lichfield.

May 18. Westminster. Walter Worschepe, parson of the church of Herdewyk, in the diocese of Lincoln.

May 28. Westminster John de Sancto Georgio *alias* Fauket, parson of the church of St. Mary de Castro in the island of Gerneseye, in the diocese of Coutances.

May 26. Westminster. Master Henry Ware, parson of the church of Marcrosse, in the diocese of Llandaff.

June 15. Westminster. Richard Cloop, parson of the church of Alderton, in the diocese of Norwich.

July 16. Westminster. John Ely, parson of the church of Rampton, in the diocese of Ely.

Aug. 28. Westminster. Roger Dokwra, parson of the church of Marum.

Roger Monk, vicar of the church of Goderich Castell, in the diocese of Hereford,

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Nov. 25. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 23 June, 21 Richard II, appointing Stephen de Vyve to serve in the mistery of the broidery and granting to him for life 6*d.* daily. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 24. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's kinsman Henry de Percy, son of the earl of Northumberland, of the constableships of the castles of Chestre, Flynt, Conneweye and Carnarvon with the office of sheriff of Flyntshire in North Wales, receiving by reason of the constableship of Conneweye a fee of 40*l.* yearly from the fee-farm of the town of Conneweye and for the other offices the accustomed fees, wages and profits. By p.s.

Oct. 28. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servants William Mirreson of Lancastre and John Mirreson his brother of the office of collectors of customs and cokets in all ports in Ireland with the office of searcher within the same land and ports, with the accustomed fees, provided that they answer for the customs and cokets and the forfeitures and other profits of the scrutiny at the exchequer of Ireland. By p.s.

Oct. 28. Westminster. Licence for the prior and convent of Kyme, co. Lincoln, to appropriate in mortmain the church of Iwardby, co. Lincoln, which is of their own patronage, and to serve it by a canon of their house or other suitable chaplain, provided that a competent sum of money be distributed yearly among the poor parishioners at the discretion of the diocesan and that they be bound to keep the obit of Gilbert Umframvill, late earl of Angos, and Matilda his wife, late countess of Northumberland, and to celebrate other divine services for the king and his progenitors and the good estate of Henry, earl of Northumberland. By p.s.

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Nov. 4. Westminster. Grant for life to William de Neusome, esquire, of the town and park of Brignall, Morthiam, Wynelton and Hyghlayhall to the value of 40*l.* yearly. By p.s.

Dec. 16. Westminster. Protection with clause *volumus*, for one year, for John Lyverpole, esquire, going on the king's service to Ireland in the company of the king's knight John de Stanley, lieutenant of Ireland, on the safe-custody of those parts. By bill of p.s.

The like for the following :—

Dec. 16. Westminster. John Crophill, esquire. By bill etc.

Dec. 13. Westminster. John Lyverpull, 'jueller.' By bill etc.

Dec. 16. Westminster. Andrew Ramsey *alias* Trigge. By bill etc.

Dec. 16. Westminster. Edmund Ferrers of Norhampton. By bill etc.

Dec. 22. Westminster. John Lamplogh. Richard Pykenham. Richard Blewell. By bill etc.

Dec. 26. Westminster. John Spykkesworth. By bill etc.

Dec. 14. Westminster. John Heyford of Flore son of John Walkere of Heyford. By bill etc.

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1400. Feb. 13. Westminster. John Arnald the elder of Ipswich. Sewalin Hesell son of Thomas Hesell. } By bill etc.

1399. Thomas Hampton, 'barkere.' By bill etc.

Dec. 16. Westminster. Revocation of letters patent of the king granting to John Spershotte the office of parker of Blakedon, as the king had previously confirmed the grant of the same office to John Kyppyng by Richard II.. By p.s.

Dec. 16. Westminster. Grant to the king's son John and the heirs of his body of the castle, lordship and town of St. Briavels and the forest of Dene with all lands, mills, rents, services, reversions, parks, chaces, warrens, woods, fees, advowsons, escheats, forfeitures, fairs, markets, franchises, liberties, commodities, profits and other possessions as the king's uncle Thomas, late duke of Gloucester, or anyone else had, and grant to him of all arrears. By p.s.

Oct. 23. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 17 May, 19 Richard II, granting for life to Ofka 40 marks yearly, and grant to her of arrears. By p.s. and for 13*s*. 4*d*. paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 16. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 16 April, 14 Richard II, granting for life to John Golafre and Philippa his wife 100 marks yearly. By K. & by p.s.

Oct. 28. Westminster. Whereas the bailiffs and commonalty of the town of Ipswich hold the town at fee-farm, paying 60*l*. yearly, and Geoffrey Sterling and John Andreu, late bailiffs, and the commonalty granted a place or plot of land, parcel of the town, lying by the bridge called 'Stokebrigg' to Gilbert de Bonge, William Gunvyld, Henry Walle and John Arnold and their heirs to the effect that these should build two water-mills within it and after they had received their expenses from the mills the mills should be granted to the said bailiffs and commonalty in aid of their farm, and this was done, and afterwards before Roger Cavendissh, escheator of the late king, it was found that it was done without licence and accordingly the mills were taken into the hands of the late king and are still in the king's hands; the king grants the mills to the bailiffs and commonalty in mortmain with the issues received after the inquisition. By p.s.

Nov. 5. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Walter Trillowe of letters patent dated 6 May, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 16 March, 42 Edward III. By K. because he is poor and by p.s.

Nov. 22. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 11 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 5 April, 43 Edward III, granting for life to Roger Slak 5 marks yearly; and grant

1400. to him of arrears from Michaelmas last. By p.s.

Feb. 6. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Thomas Goter of 20 marks yearly from the issues of the county of Lincoln. By p.s.
Vacated because in the fourth year.

MEMBRANE 4.

1399. Nov. 4. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Richard Burgh of letters patent under the seal of Ireland dated at Dublin, 31 January, 18 Richard II, granting to him for life the fee-farm of 40*l*. yearly which the mayor and commonalty of the town of Droghda of the parts of Uriell in Ireland are bound to

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render at the exchequer of Ireland, with leave to receive the same in his absence, in lieu of a grant to him for life of 40 marks yearly at the Exchequer of England by letters patent which he has taken oath to surrender before Michaelmas and receive no further benefit from.
By p.s. and for 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 4. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Richard de Burgh of an indenture (*French*) dated at Shrewsbury, 31 July, 22 Richard II, witnessing that Thomas, duke of Norfolk, lord of Moubray, Segrave and Gower, has granted for life to the said Richard, his chief chamberlain, his manor of Kirkebymalesart, co. York, saving fees, advowsons and the free chace of Nidirdale, rendering a red rose yearly at Midsummer and supporting all charges, and has appointed Thomas de Etton, William Hallegate and Richard Saundresson to put him in possession.
By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 15. Westminster. Grant to Michael de la Pole, late earl of Suffolk, elder son of Michael de la Pole, late earl of Suffolk, in consideration of his services after the king's advent and with the assent of the magnates in the present Parliament, that he be restored to the name and fame of earl and he and his heirs to the ability of being heirs of the said late earl and all his ancestors, and grant to him and the heirs male of his body of all the possessions of his father with remainder to the heirs male of the body of his father, notwithstanding the judgments against his father in Parliament in the years 10 and 11 Richard II. [*Rolls of Parliament, III.* 668.]
By pet. in Parl.

Dec. 18. Westminster. Presentation of Master John Bernard, parson of the church of Bishop's Hatfield, to the deanery of the king's free chapel of Tamworth, in the diocese of Coventry and Lichfield, on an exchange of benefices with John Messyngham.

Grant to Peter *alias* Thomas Edward of all his goods and chattels, forfeited because he was appealed by Emma, late the wife of John Pykemond of the county of Berks, with killing her husband. By p.s.

Dec. 16. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 6 July, 21 Richard II, granting to Thomas Beaufort, esquire, 100 marks yearly for life or until other provision is made for him ; and grant that he shall have the same for life, notwithstanding the clause of provision, and grant that he shall have the 100*l.* due to him for the last three terms.
By p.s. and for 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 17. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Farewell of the county of Suffolk, notwithstanding any right etc., of letters patent (*French*) of Margaret, countess of Norfolk, dated at her castle of Framlyngham, 10 May, 5 Richard II, granting to him for life 20 marks yearly from her manor of Chestreford, co. Essex. By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Dec. 22. Westminster. Grant during minority to the king's kinsman Thomas Moubray, son and heir of the earl Marshal, deceased, in aid of the maintenance of his estate, of 350 marks yearly from the following lands and lordships of his inheritance, viz., 250 marks from the land and lordship of Gower, 40 marks from the manor and lands of Fornesete, co. Norfolk, 30 marks from the manor of Stonham, co. Suffolk, and 30 marks from the manor of Bongaye, co. Suffolk ; and grant that he shall have the 87 marks 6*s.* 8*d.* for Christmas next from the said land and lordship of Gower. By p.s.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because the king on 12 *November, in the second year, granted to him during minority* 250 *marks yearly from the land and*

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lordship of Gower and the custody of the manor of Fornesete to the value of 70l. 8s. 7½d. yearly.

Mandates in pursuance to the occupiers, farmers, receivers or bailiffs.

MEMBRANE 3.

Dec. 18. Westminster. Grant to the mayor and citizens of Hereford of murage for four years.

Dec. 6. Westminster. Grant, during pleasure, to the king's clerk John de Wendelyngburgh, for his good service to Edward III and Richard II in the office of the privy seal, of 40 marks yearly from the issues of the hanaper. By p.s.

Dec. 12. Westminster. Writ of aid, during pleasure, for William Frome, whom the king has appointed purveyor of the works at the castle of Bristol as deputy of the king's clerk William Dyonys, clerk of the works.
By bill of the said William Dyonys.

The like for the following :—
William Peeres at the manor of Eltham.
By bill of the said William Dyonys.

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March 23. Westminster. John Merston at the manors of Sutton and Kenyngton.
By bill of the said William Dyonys.

Thomas Copmanford at the manor of Woddestok.
By bill of the said William Dyonys.

May 7. Westminster. Nicholas Tunebrugge at the manor of Sutton.
By bill of the said William.

May 7. Westminster. Richard Butoler at the manor and lodge of Claryngdon and the lodge of Harburgh in the New Forest.
Thomas Seggeham at the manor of Childerlanglee, the lodge and the enclosure of the paling of the park.
} By bill of the said William.

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Dec. 2. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Richard Clopton of 20*l.* yearly from the issues of the counties of Buckingham and Bedford.
By K. and by p.s.

Mandate in pursuance to the sheriff.

Nov. 20. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Margaret or Marjory Mewe of letters patent dated 5 May, 15 Richard II, granting to her for life 10*l.* yearly.
By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 24. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William atte Mersh of letters patent dated 24 March, 16 Richard II, granting to him for life the office of chief smith. By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Dec. 6. Westminster. Grant for life to Thomas Lumbard of 100 marks yearly from the customs and subsidy of wools in the port of Kyngeston on Hull, in recompense for the office of controller of the castle of Bordeaux, which Richard II granted to him for life on 15 April, 7 Richard II, by letters patent and which the king has granted for life to John de Skelton, and for his good service to Edward III, the king's father and Richard II.
By K.

MEMBRANE 2.

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Dec. 14. Westminster. Commission to John Dounton, the king's armourer, to take workmen for the works of the armour and carriage for the armour and other things pertaining to his office.

Dec. 13. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Alan Scalby of letters patent dated 13 April, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life 2*d.* daily.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Dec. 17. Westminster. Thomas, bishop of Llandaff, staying in England, has letters nominating Hugh Bauent, clerk, and Richard Stout, esquire, his attorneys in Ireland for one year. John de Hertilpole, clerk, received the attorneys.

Nov. 20. Westminster. Licence for Philip Repyngdon, the abbot, and the convent of St. Mary de Pratis, Leycestre, to acquire in mortmain, after inquisition, lands and rents, not held in chief, to the value of 100*l.* yearly. By K.

Oct. 24. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's kinsman, Henry le Percy, son of the earl of Northumberland, of the castle and lordship of Baumburgh with the fee-farm of the town of Baumburgh and the said lordship and the offices of constable and porter of the castle and the lands and all other fees and profits pertaining to the castle, lordship and offices. By p.s.

Nov. 25. Westminster. Grant, during pleasure, to Peter Gernon of the office of tronage and pesage of wools in the port of Boston and all ports adjacent, receiving the accustomed fee. By bill of the treasurer.

Nov. 17. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight John Robersart, whom the king has retained for life, of 100*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Oct. 29. Westminster. Grant for life to John Dounton of the office of armourer of the body within the Tower of London with wages, fees, profits and other commodities as Stephen de Fryth had. By p.s.

Dec. 17. Westminster. Presentation of Henry Balle, chaplain, to the church of Ernemouth in the Isle of Wight, in the diocese of Winchester.

Oct. 25. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Harpetyng of letters patent dated 1 May, 21 Richard II, granting to him for life a yearly rent of 12*s.* and certain lands. By p.s. and for God because he is poor.

Dec. 10. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the warden and scholars of the college called 'Seinte Marie College of Wynchestre' in Oxford, owners of certain possessions in Oxford, of letters patent dated 2 March, 12 Richard II, granting the said possessions to William, bishop of Winchester, with licence for him to grant the same to them in frank almoin.
By K. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

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Feb. 7. Westminster. Grant to John, bishop of Leghlyng in Ireland, of the custody of the temporalities of the bishopric of Osserye so long as they remain in the king's hands. By p.s.

Feb. 15. Westminster. Licence for the said bishop to go to the court of Rome and stay there for one year for the defence of his right in his church and in the mean time to have two parts of the issues of his bishopric and other lands pertaining to him in Ireland. By p.s.

Feb. 18. Westminster. Grant for life to John Aleyn of 10*l.* yearly from the issues of the manors of Tuderle and Lokurle, co. Southampton. By p.s.

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Dec. 14. Westminster. Protection with clause *volumus*, for one year, for Thomas Leghton of Coventre, going on the king's service to Ireland in the company of the king's knight John Stanley, justiciary of Ireland, on the safe-custody of those parts. By bill of p.s.

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Jan. 30. Westminster. The like for the following:—
Richard Cloup, parson of the church of Alderton. By bill etc.

Feb. 5. Westminster. John Northridyng of Bristol. By bill etc.

Feb. 18. Westminster. Richard Stapuldon. By bill etc.

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Dec. 15. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Clerk of Chesham in Chilterne of letters patent dated 4 October, 6 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent of Henry, bishop of Norwich, dated 14 June, 5 Richard II, confirmed on 20 June by Alexander de Totyngton, the prior, and the convent of the cathedral church of Norwich.
For 16*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Dec. 1. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Thomas de Holand, earl of Kent, of letters patent dated 28 May, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life 200 marks yearly, and letters patent dated 16 June, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life 6 tuns of wine yearly in the port of Southampton.
By p.s. and for 100*s.* paid in the hanaper.
Mandate in pursuance to the king's butler or his lieutenant in the port. *Et erat patens.*

Dec. 18. Westminster. Licence for the king's kinsman Thomas de Beauchamp, earl of Warwick, to enfeoff Richard de Beauchamp his son and the heirs of the body of the latter of the castle and town of Bernardescastell and the manors of Middelton and Gaynesford with chaces, fees, advowsons and other appurtenances, held in chief. By p.s.

Dec. 14. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Benedict Cely of the following:—
1. Letters patent dated 23 November, 22 Richard II, pardoning his trespass in acquiring from the abbot and convent of Cormeilles in Normandy the alien priory of Chepstowe with all its possessions.
2. A writing (*French*) of Robert, the abbot, and the convent of Cormeilles dated 16 October, 1398, granting to him the priory of Stregueil or Chapstoue with all its appurtenances for his life and one year after. He shall maintain three religious of their house at the priory, two at once and the third in a short time, with a good livelihood and 10 francs yearly for each for clothing and shoes, and shall pay 5 marks yearly at Cormeilles after the war is over, and shall maintain the manor and houses pertaining to the priory.
For 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

MEMBRANE 35*d*.

Nov. 29. Westminster. Commission to John Upton, Thomas Ruydyng, Philip Broun and Thomas Denys to arrest William son of Thomas Curson and bring him before the king in Chancery.

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MEMBRANE 32d.

Nov. 12. Westminster. Commission *de walliis et fossatis* to Henry, earl of Northumberland, William de Wylughby, 'chivaler,' Walter Petwardyn, 'chivaler,' John Rochefort, 'chivaler,' Robert Tirwhit, William Michel and Aubyn de Enderby between the town of Boston and Friskeney and in the parts of Lyndesey in the county of Lincoln.

MEMBRANE 29d.

Nov. 24. Westminster. Commission to Richard, bishop of Salisbury, and Guy, bishop of St. David's, to whom and to John Bussy and Henry Grene, knights, now deceased, Richard II on 20 March last by letters patent granted the custody of all possessions of Thomas, late duke of Norfolk, in England and Wales from 16 September then last past, to receive the issues of the premises from that date to the morrow of Michaelmas then last past and answer for them at the Exchequer. By C.

Commission to Hugh Burnell, John Delves and the sheriff of Salop to arrest Robert Feyre of the county of Chester and bring him before the king and council.

MEMBRANE 8d.

Dec. 13. Westminster. Commission to John Drax, serjeant at arms, John Lyverpull, esquire, John Cophull, esquire, and Richard Wodeward to take all ships and vessels of any portage with all their gear in the ports of Cestre and Lyverpole and other waters and ports of North Wales for the passage of John Stanley, 'chivaler,' lieutenant of Ireland, to Ireland and masters and mariners for the same. By C.

MEMBRANE 6d

Oct. 17. Westminster. Commission to John Wyke of Nyenheved and John Chippeley to enquire whether Richard Pyke of the county of Somerset lately killed himself, whereby his goods were forfeited to the late king, what goods he had on that day, at what sum they are extended and into whose hands they have come, and to certify thereon to the king in Chancery.

MEMBRANE 3d.

Nov. 17. Westminster. Commission to John Lisle of Wodyton, 'chivaler,' Thomas Brerdyng, John Bolt and the sheriff of Southampton to enquire into the complaint of William Stork of the city of Bordeaux that a ship of Brittany, which he had freighted with certain wines in that city to take to England, when sailing to England on Saturday before SS. Simon and Jude was broken by a tempest and the wines were cast ashore on the Isle of Wight and although the mariners escaped divers men of the island seized the wines as though wreck of sea, which they were not, and refuse to give them up, and to cause restitution to be made.

Dec. 11. Westminster. Commission *de walliis et fossatis* to William Thirnyng, William Rikhill, Thomas Cherletton, Thomas Thornburgh, John Shordych the younger and John Ougham by the Thames in the marsh of Stepenheth, co. Middlesex,

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Dec. 13. Westminster. Commission to John Wayte, William Echyngham, John Cook, John Tauk, Hugh Guecche, John Goryng, Ralph Codyngton, John Wyntereshull, John Westbrok and the sheriffs of Southampton, Surrey and Sussex to enquire what goods Richard II had within the castle and lordship of Porchestre on 1 July last, of what value they were and into whose hands they have come, and to seize them and keep them safely and certify thereon to the king in Chancery.

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MEMBRANE 38.

1399. Pardons of outlawry to the following:—

Oct. 14. Westminster. John de Normanby, parson of the church of Bossall, *alias* clerk, for not appearing before William Thirnyng and his fellows, justices of the Bench of the late king, to answer pleas that he render 6 marks to Robert, vicar of the church of Crambun, John Johanson of Flaxton and William Russell, executors of the will of Richard Russell, and 40*s.* to John de Ottelay, administrator of the goods of William Ottelay, clerk, who died intestate; he having surrendered to the Flete prison before the justices of the Bench, as William Thirnyng, chief justice of the Bench, has certified. York.

Andrew Armestraunge of Walby, for not appearing to answer John de Tesdale, chaplain, touching a debt of 6*l.*

Oct. 17. Westminster. Robert Bradeford, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench of the late king to answer a plea that he render his account to John Fouke of Richarduscastell for the time when he was his receiver. Worcester.

Oct. 27. Westminster. William James, clerk, for not appearing to answer John Wendouere, warden of the house of scholars of Merton in Oxford, touching a debt of 40*l.* Leicester.

Nov. 18. Westminster. William Brokesburn, for not appearing when sued with William Parke, clerk, and Alan Strayler as executors of the will of Margaret de Watton of Hemlamsted to answer a plea that they render 26*l.* to William Blower of Gosberkyrke. Middlesex.

Nov. 8. Westminster. Henry Stoke of Yakesle, co. Huntingdon, *alias* of Zerkelay, for not appearing before William Thirnyng and his fellows, justices of the Bench of the late king, to answer John Palfrey of Staunford, lately staying in Scendeby, Richard Cholman of Scardeburgh, John Wyntworth of Lenne and William Harom of Scardeburgh touching debts of 12*l.* 18*s.* 4*d.*, 28 marks, 100*s.* and 30*l.* respectively. Northampton, York, Norfolk.

Nov. 13. Westminster. John Robok of Wodehull, 'pelter,' for not appearing before Robert Bealknap and his fellows, justices of the Bench of the late king, to answer William Asshbourne, citizen and 'felmonger' of London, touching a debt of 100*s.* London.

Nov. 17. Westminster. William Loucok of Abberbury, 'draper,' for not appearing before Robert de Cherleton and his fellows, justices of the Bench of the late king, to answer John Broun, 'draper,' touching a debt of 45*s.* Oxford.

Nov. 20. Westminster. Richard Whelpynton, for not appearing before William Thirnyng and his fellows, justices of the Bench of the late king, to answer a plea that he render his account to John Wendouer, warden of the house of scholars of Merton in Oxford, for the time when he was his bailiff in Hallywell and receiver. Oxford.

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Nov. 25. Westminster. Thomas de Belton of Bradewelle, for not appearing to answer a plea that he render 40*s.* to John Fastolf, knight, and John Folsham, clerk, administrators of the goods of Hugh Fastolf of Great Jernemuth, who died intestate. Suffolk.

Nov. 24. Westminster. Thomas de Layburn, knight, for not appearing to answer a plea that he render 40*s.* to John Otteley and Alice his wife, executrix of the will of Roger Coweton. York.

Robert othe Lyng of Prestwold, for not appearing before Robert de Cherleton and his fellows, justices of the Bench of the late king, to answer William Taillour of Wyhom touching a trespass. Lincoln.

Nov. 26. Westminster. Simon Bache, for not appearing before William Thirnyng and his fellows, justices of the Bench of the late king, to answer Henry Nevylle, 'chivaler,' touching a debt of 10*l.* Leicester.

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Jan. 24. Westminster. John Magson of Estwell, chaplain, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench to answer Robert Quytseche, parson of a moiety of the church of Southcroxton, touching a debt of 40*s.*

Thomas Horner of London, for not appearing before William Thirnyng and his fellows, justices of the Bench of the late king, when sued with William Cartere, to answer Roger Stapelyde touching a trespass. Sussex.

The said William, for the same.

John Maior, late parson of the church of Testerton, for not appearing to answer Henry, bishop of Norwich, touching a debt of 15 marks. Norfolk.

Jan. 26. Westminster. William Milner of Loham, for not appearing before Robert de Cherlton and his fellows, justices of the Bench of the late king, to answer John Dorset touching a trespass. Northampton.

Feb. 6. Westminster. John de Kenyngton of York, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench of the late king to answer Thomas Chestre of York, Henry de Barnby, chaplain, and John Houeden, citizen and merchant of York, touching debts of 11*l.*, 40*s.* and 4 marks respectively. York.

Feb. 8. Westminster. Emma Shelyngford, for not appearing to answer William Benyngton touching a debt of 40*s.* London.

Feb. 12. Westminster. John son of John de Aynesworth, *alias* John Eynesworth of Castelton of Peke, for not appearing before William de Fynchenden and his fellows, justices of the Bench of Edward III, to answer John del Holt touching a debt of 9 marks, before Robert de Cherlton and his fellows, justices of the Bench of Richard II, to answer William de Edwell and John Dongthaster of York, 'marchand,' touching debts of 10*l.* each, and before William Thirnyng and his fellows, justices of the Bench of Richard II, to answer a plea that he render goods to the value of 9 marks to John de Stafford, William Walweyn and William Cok, executors of the will of Thomas de Wyrkesworth. Kent, Nottingham, Middlesex, Derby.

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May 5. Westminster. John Gybbe of Stratford atte Bowe, 'baker,' for not appearing before the justices of the Bench of the late king to answer Henry de Codyngton, parson of the church of Botelesford, touching a debt of 68 marks. Leicester.

May 7. Westminster. John Mors, 'milner,' for not appearing to answer Philip de Okere, 'chivaler,' touching a trespass. Derby.

May 6. Westminster. William Doraunt of Yoxforde, 'brewere,' for not appearing before the justices of the Bench to answer John Crysp of Laxfelde touching a debt of 40*s*. Suffolk.

May 9. Westminster. Thomas Grenevill of Wotton, co. Buckingham, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench of the late king to answer Robert Wyndesore, prior of Merton, touching a debt of 4*l*. Surrey.

May 13. Westminster. Thomas Mausyn of Little Craule and Mary his wife, for not appearing before Robert de Cherlton and his fellows, justices of the Bench of the late king, to answer Richard Carleton touching a trespass. Buckingham.

May 14. Westminster. John Hedon of Hull, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench of the late king to answer John Bakster of Newerk touching a debt of 40*s*. Nottingham.

May 19. Westminster. John de Oxenford of Coventre, 'drapere,' for not appearing to answer Richard Dawe of Wytlesby touching a debt of 13 marks 4*s*. 8*d*. Leicester.

May 20. Westminster. Nicholas Wymond of Sutton, for not appearing before William Thirnyng and his fellows, justices of the Bench of the late king, to answer Reginald Dagelard touching a trespass. Cambridge.

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May 18. Westminster. Thomas Neubrigge, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench of the late king to answer a plea that he render 42 marks to Elizabeth late the wife of John de Arundell, 'chivaler,' executrix of his will. London.

Jan. 25. Westminster. John Baret of Wendlyngburgh, for not appearing to answer Stephen Sewale, citizen of London, touching a debt of 6*l*. 5*s*. London.

May 24. Westminster. Alice Blakewell of Quappelade, for not appearing before Robert de Cherlton and his fellows, justices of the Bench of the late king, to answer John Porter touching a debt of 20 marks. Lincoln.

May 28. Westminster. John Douve, for not appearing when sued with William Grigge and Richard Sexteyn to answer John Stevene the elder touching a trespass. Sussex.

May 26. Westminster. Nicholas Dymarce, *alias* Dymars, *alias* Dymerssh of Worcester, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench of the late king to answer William de Bool, clerk, touching a debt of 5 marks, and Walter Hopkyns touching a debt of 17 marks, and to answer a plea that he render 5 marks to John Courteney, executor of the will of William Stulard. Worcester, Middlesex, Southampton.

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May 28. Westminster. John Pole of Norwich, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench to answer Robert Nevile, citizen and grocer of London, touching a debt of 6*l*. London.

May 26. Westminster. John Chambre of the county of Devon, for not appearing before Robert de Cherlton and his fellows, justices of the Bench of the late king, when sued with John Sopere and Richard Turnour to answer William Claweton, clerk, touching a debt of 60*s*. Devon.

May 29. Westminster. John Hamond, 'dyere,' for not appearing before William Thirnyng and his fellows, justices of the Bench of the late king, when sued with Margaret, late the wife of Richard Hornse and John Morell, 'scaldere,' as executors of the will of Richard Hornese of Lanham, 'dyere,' to answer a plea that they render 50 marks to William Venour, citizen of London. London.

The said John Morell, for the same.

John Stranshall of Brayton, chaplain, for not appearing to answer Henry Harburgh, clerk, touching a debt of 4*l*.

May 27. Westminster. John Baillyf of Retherby, for not appearing before Robert Cherlton and his fellows, justices of the Bench of the late king, to answer William Ardern, citizen and draper of London, touching a debt of 40*s*. London.

June 1. Westminster. John Veyl of Bodeneye, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench of the late king to answer Benedict Brekles touching a debt of 5 marks. Norfolk.

John son of William Drogoun, for not appearing before Robert de Cherlton and his fellows, justices of the Bench of the late king, when sued with Nicholas Laurence, 'drover,' and William Drogoun to answer John Waite of Aumaleglos touching a debt of 40*s*. Cornwall.

John Pickyng of the county of Norfolk, for not appearing before William Thirnyng and his fellows, justices of the Bench of the late king, to answer Richard Coggeshale of London, 'sadelere,' touching a debt of 100*s*. London.

June 29. Westminster. Robert Fornour of Axbrig, for not appearing to answer John Edyngham of London, 'grocere,' and John Fayrhere of London, 'grocere,' touching a debt of 18*l*. London.

July 6. Westminster. Robert Derby, clerk, for not appearing before Robert de Cherlton and his fellows, justices of the Bench of the late king, to answer Richard Holnerst touching a trespass. Kent.

July 7. Westminster. Henry Fitz Johan, merchant of London, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench of the late king, to answer a plea that he render 60*l*. to Richard Asshele of Rothewell and Alice late the wife of Robert Terry of Rothewell, executors of his will. Northampton.

July 12. Westminster. John Farewey, for not appearing before Robert de Cherlton and his fellows, justices of the Bench of the late king, to answer a plea that he render 24*l*. to William Draper, clerk, and William Byerden, clerk, executors of the will of Robert Chedder of Bristol, and Thomas Brook, 'chivaler,' and Joan his wife, co-executrix. Somerset.

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July 12. Westminster. Thomas de Nuthill, *alias* Nuttell, *alias* Nutle, son and heir of Peter de Nuthill, *alias* Nuttell, *alias* Nutle, knight, *alias* Thomas de Nuthull of Nuthull, *alias* Thomas Nothill of the county of York, esquire, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench of the late king to answer William Byry, citizen and mercer of London, the prior of Bridlyngton and John Longe, citizen and merchant of London, touching debts of 49*l.* 10*s.*, 24*l.* and 24 marks respectively, John de Burton, clerk, and Robert de Garton, clerk, touching a debt of 20*l.* and John Lyenge, citizen and mercer of London, touching a debt of 9 marks, and when sued with Amice his wife to answer a plea that they render 8 marks to Thomas More, clerk, William de Holme, Robert Frankyssh, chaplain, Stephen Frankyssh and William Frankyssh, chaplain, executors of the will of John Frankyssh, late burgess of Hedon. London, York.

July 8. Westminster. Laurence Isbrond of Chelmesford, co. Essex, for not appearing to answer William Foucher, citizen and mercer of London, touching a debt of 113*s.* 4*d.* London.

July 6. Westminster. Robert Plesynton, esquire, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench to answer Robert Langley of the parish of St. Andrew in Holborne, London, touching a debt of 14*l.* 11*s.* Middlesex.

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Nov. 10. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Mosdale of letters patent dated 5 February, 16 Richard II, granting to him for life the custody of the castle of Scardeburgh. By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 4. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Robert Gowssill of letters patent (*French*) of Thomas, duke of Norfolk, earl of Nottingham, lord of Moubray and Segrave, dated at Leicester, 25 September, 22 Richard II, granting to him for life a yearly rent of 20*l.* from his manor of Wylyngton, co. Bedford. By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 19. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the burgesses of Melcombe of letters patent dated 5 March, 17 Richard II, acquitting them for twelve years of their farm of eight marks and tenths and fifteenths. By pet. in Parl.

Nov. 18. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Candelesby of letters patent dated 23 December, 16 Richard II, granting to him for life 100*s.* yearly; and grant to him for life, for his good service to the late king in Chancery and in the receipt of the Exchequer, of 4½d. daily at the Exchequer in lieu of a like grant to William Strensall by letters patent dated 18 January, 14 Richard II, surrendered. By K. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Dec. 22. Westminster. Grant to the king's kinsman John Moubray, son of the earl Marshal, deceased, of 100*l.* yearly for his maintenance during the minority of Thomas Moubray, his brother, from the inheritance of the latter, viz., 110 marks from the manor of Fennystanton, co. Huntingdon, and 40 marks from the manor of Chesterford, co. Essex, receiving the 25*l.* for Christmas next from the manor of Fennystanton. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 27 *November,* 2 *Henry IV, the king granted the whole to him from Michaelmas then last past from the manor of Fennystanton.*

Mandate in pursuance to the farmers of the manor of Fennystanton.

Mandate in pursuance to the farmers of the manor of Chesterford.

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Dec. 22. Westminster. Grant, for life to the king's clerk John Bosevyle, dean of the king's free chapel within the castle of Pountfreyt, of all lands late of John de Bathe, citizen and weaver of London, in the parish of St. Botolph without Aldrighgate, London, which the latter bequeathed in his will to the parson of the church of St. Botolph without licence for the maintenance of a chaplain to celebrate in the said church and which are consequently forfeited to the king; to hold to the value of 7 marks yearly, provided that he answer to the king for the surplus and celebrate for the soul of the said John de Bathe. By p.s.

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Jan. 8. Westminster. Presentation of John Catryk to the church of Charleton on Ottemore, in the diocese of Lincoln. By p.s.

Feb. 16. Westminster. Grant, during good behaviour, to John Barry of the office of being the king's attorney in the common bench and the exchequer of Ireland, with the fees belonging to it.
By K. on the information of the earl of Northumberland.

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Nov. 25. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Richard atte Nassh of letters patent dated 8 January, 19 Richard II, granting to him for life 7½*d.* daily.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Dec. 16. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's son John that he shall have letters patent, charters, writs and other grants of the king in Chancery quit of all common fines and all fees of the seal. By p.s.

Oct. 18. Westminster. Protection, with clause *nolumus*, for three years, for the abbot and convent and the abbey of Tynterne in Wales and their church of Lyde, co. Kent, their manors of Okle, co. Norfolk, and Wolaston and Halverston in Wales, and all other possessions of theirs in England and Wales.

Dec. 18. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's yeoman Thomas Ride of London of 4*d.* daily from the issues of the great custom in the port of Kyngeston on Hull, co. York. By p.s.

Oct. 19. Westminster. Grant to the king's kinsman Henry de Percy, earl of Northumberland, and his heirs of the island, castle, peel and lordship of Man (*as on p.* 27). [*Fœdera.*] By K.

Nov. 18. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 20 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 22 February, 49 Edward III, to Thomas atte Halle.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Dec. 15. Westminster. Grant for life to John Stanley of the manor with the honour of Dungarvan in Ireland, with fees, advowsons, wards, marriages and all other profits and commodities. By K.

Dec. 31. Westminster. Commission to Robert Walys, to whom the king has granted for life the office of maker of his bows, springalds, crossbows and guns within the castle of Pontefract or elsewhere, to take workmen and saltpetre and other things for the same.

Dec. 20. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Beauchamp of Powyk of letters patent dated 28 June, 17 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent (*French*) of the king's uncle Thomas, duke of Gloucester, constable of England, dated Christmas Eve, 16 Richard II, granting to him the constableship of the castle of Gloucester.
By p.s. and for 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

MEMBRANE 34.

1399. Dec. 29. Westminster. Grant for life to Agnes Pikworth of the shambles of the town of Bristol with all fees, profits and commodities, in lieu of a grant to her for life of the profits of the same to the value of 20 marks yearly by letters patent (*see p.* 17), surrendered. By p.s.

1400. Jan. 1. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of an ordinance made by Richard Clifford, the dean, and the chapter of the cathedral church of St. Peter, York, concerning the offerings and emoluments of the church of St. Sampson, York, appropriated to the vicars of the said church, the question having been submitted to them by the succentor or warden of the house of canon vicars and the canon vicars, between whom the matter has arisen. Ten marks yearly shall be devoted to the common expenses of their inn or hall, 2*s.* to each of them present at the yearly celebration of the obits of Richard II when he shall be dead and Anne, his late consort, ½*d.* to each present at the daily chanting of the anthem and collect of St. John Baptist, and the residue to the repair of their tenements and the other charges specified in the union and appropriation of the church. Their common seal was affixed at York in their chapter-house on 24 May, 1399, in the presence of Masters Alan de Newerk, John de Harwode and John Hildiard, learned in the law, Sir John Feriby, the under-treasurer, and Thomas Garton, chamberlain of the diocese of York, and others specially called; and the dean affixed his seal in his inn without Templebarre, London, on 18 November in the presence of Masters Richard Ronhale, doctor of laws, John de Botekesham, Thomas Weston, licentiate in either law, William Waltham, Richard Holm, Sirs William Forde, Thomas Feriby, William Noion, John Boor and William atte Wode, their fellow canons. For ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

1399. Dec. 26. Westminster. Whereas the prior and convent of Eye, co. Suffolk, had time out of mind of the grant of the king's progenitors of their alms 12*l.* yearly from the fee-farm of the town of Donwych at the hands of the burgesses until the year 31 Edward III, when Edward III, because the town was in great part destroyed, granted it at farm to the burgesses and good men at a rent of 14*l.* 10*s.* 9*d.* yearly, the old farm having been 65*l.*, and afterwards the prior and convent had 9*l.* 10*s.* 9*d.* yearly for the said alms from the said farm, until lately John Bussy, 'chivaler,' deceased, of his own will directed the sheriff of the county, who had raised a sum of money from the arrears of the said 9*l.* 10*s.* 9*d.* for their use by process in the Exchequer, not to pay to them anything of the said alms; the king hereby confirms to them of his alms the said 9*l.* 10*s.* 9*d.* from the said farm. By p.s.

Mandate in pursuance to the burgesses.

MEMBRANE 33.

1400. Jan. 22. Westminster. Grant to the bailiffs and burgesses of the town of Great Jernemuth of murage for three years.

Jan. 23. Westminster. Whereas by an inquisition taken before John Reche, late escheator of the late king in the county of Middlesex, it was found that Adam Bamme, late citizen and goldsmith of London, deceased, held a manor in Edmanton called 'Wylby Maner,' extending in Edmanton and Totenham, for life and a year further of the demise of John de Bello Monte, 'chivaler,' deceased, with reversion to the heirs of the latter, and the said king on 8 July, 20 Richard II, committed to John Michel, his sergeant at arms, and Thomas Mundevyle the custody of a messuage called 'Wilbyes' in

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1400. Edelmeton and Totenham late of John, lord of Beaumond, deceased, tenant in chief, from the death of the said Adam during the minority of the heir of the said John; and Aubyn de Enderby, Richard Dadyngton, vicar of Barton, and John de Wyllughby have shown the king that the said John de Bello Monte, lord of Folkyngham, by writing granted to them and Thomas Pyncebek, Thomas Claymond, John de Stoke, parson of the church of Steneby, John de Hathenthorp, and Robert Yarendale, now deceased, and their heirs and assigns the reversion of the manor of Edmonton on the death of the said Adam, by virtue of which grant the said Adam made attornment to them, and although the said manor called 'Wylby Maner,' the messuage called 'Wylbyes' and manor of Edmonton are the same they have been disturbed by colour of the said inquisition and letters, and they have prayed for a remedy; and the king directed the sheriff of the county to summon the said John Michel and Thomas Mundevyle to appear, and the sheriff returned that he had summoned them by John Wynkeburn and William West, and they did not appear and judgement was given by the advice of the justices, serjeants at law and others learned of the king's counsel in Chancery that the said letters should be revoked and the manor delivered to the said Aubyn, Richard and John with its issues; the king hereby revokes the said letters.

Jan. 22. Westminster. Grant, during pleasure, to the king's brother John, earl of Somerset, of all lands, castles, towns, manors, lordships, possessions and other things late of Ralph de Lomley, 'chivaler,' and forfeited to the king by reason of his treason, with all liberties, franchises, customs, rents, services, reversions, fees, advowsons of churches, chaces, parks, warrens, woods, waters, mills, fisheries, turbaries, meadows, pastures, fairs, markets, waifs, strays, view of frankpledge, courts, leets, hundreds and other things. By. K.

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Dec. 13. Westminster. Licence for Thomas, lord of Morlee, to enfeoff Drugo Barentyn, Laurence Kelsill, clerk, Henry James, clerk, Matthew de Southworth, James Billyngford, Geoffrey de Somerton, William Savage, William Chicheley, Walter Marowe, Thomas Mounde, Thomas Synykill, William Randolf, Edmund Page and Edmund Bybbesworth of his manor of Walkern, co. Hertford, held in chief. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 32.

Dec. 19. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 12 March, 22 Richard II, granting for life to Robert Claydon 20*l.* yearly. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Dec. 20. Westminster. Grant for life to William Beauchamp, knight, whom the king has retained for life, and Katharine his wife of 40 marks yearly from the issues of the county of Gloucester, in lieu of a like grant by letters patent of Richard II, surrendered; and grant to them of arrears. By p.s.

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Jan. 3. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of the following:—

1. A charter dated at Langley, 14 June, 2 Edward II [*Charter Roll*, 2 *Edward II*, *No.* 8], inspecting and confirming a charter of John when lord of Ireland to the canons of St. Mary and St. John Baptist, Lanthony.
2. Letters patent under the great seal used in Ireland dated at Dublin, 22 March, 18 Richard II, confirming, at the supplication of Thomas, duke of Gloucester, the estate of the prior and convent of Lanthony by Gloucester in the advowson of the

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church of St. Mary, Droghda, in the parts of Meath, in Ireland, and the chapel of St. Nicholas, of which they were seised until a clerk was presented to the church by Edward III, who recovered the presentation against the prior, and granting that they shall have the church and chapel to their own uses with all rights, emoluments and profits. By p.s.

Jan. 8. Westminster. Grant to Agnes Pikworth, to whom by letters patent dated 29 December (*see p.* 172) the king granted the shambles of Bristol, of the profits of the same due to him at Michaelmas last. By p.s.

Jan. 14. Westminster. Commission to the prior and convent of the church of St. Peter, Westminster, which is of the foundation of the king's progenitors and of the king's patronage, of the custody of all goods and all stock, live or dead, pertaining to the portion of William, abbot of that place, so that they may receive the same by indenture to be made with those in whose custody the same are and answer to the king if they be adjudged to him. By C.

MEMBRANE 31.

Jan. 9. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the burgesses of Stafford of letters patent dated 24 June, 3 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 10 February, 15 Edward III, inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Westminster, 4 July, 8 Edward II [*Charter Roll, 8 Edward II, No.* 3], inspecting and confirming with additions the following:—

1. A charter dated at Reading, 11 April, 12 Henry III [*Charter Roll, 12 Henry III, p.* 1, *m.* 7], inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Windsor, 1 May, 7 John.
2. A charter dated at Winchester, 1 June, 45 Henry III. [*Charter Roll, 45 Henry III, m.* 2.] For 6 marks paid in the hanaper.

Jan. 7. Westminster. Grant for life to William Ussher, master 'shipwright' of the king's ship called *la Trinite* and all other ships and barges of the king, of 12*d.* daily from the issues of the petty custom in the port of London. By p.s.

Jan. 10. Westminster. Grant for life to Geoffrey de Louthre of the office of the forestership which Richard Tyle had in the forest of Ingelwod with the due wages and fees. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because with his assent the king granted the office to John Bost of Penreth on 5 March, 2 Henry IV.

Jan. 12. Westminster. Grant for life to William Canley, esquire, of three tuns of wine yearly of the king's prise in the port of Bristol. By p.s.

1399 Mandate in pursuance to the chief butler.

Nov. 22. Westminster. Whereas John del Ker and Alice his wife were seised in their demesne as of fee in her right of a moiety of the manor of Merston, co. Lincoln, and had issue one Katharine, who still survives, and John Bussy, 'chivaler,' deceased, because the lands pertaining to the moiety were near his manor of Hogham, forced them against their will to make estate to him of the moiety, and afterwards the said Alice died and the moiety among other lands late of the said John Bussy has been taken into the king's hands; the king, at the supplication of the said John del Ker and because the said John Bussy at the time of his death confessed before the lords of Roos and Willughby and others that he long detained the moiety

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unjustly, as appears by their letters sealed with their seals and shown in Chancery, grants the moiety to the said John del Ker for life with remainder to the said Katharine. By p.s.

1400. *MEMBRANE* 30.

Jan. 5. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the men of the manor of Hedyngdon of letters patent dated 4 October, 16 Richard II, inspecting and confirming the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 20 October, 29 Edward III, inspecting and confirming a writing of Hugh de Plescys, sometime lord of the manor.
2. A writing of Richard Dammory, knight, late lord of the manor, dated at Hedyngdon, 12 January, 31 Edward III.

For 30*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Jan. 13. Westminster. Presentation of Nicholas Mockyng to the chapel of Corpus Christi or the college of St. Laurence Pulteney, London. By p.s.

Jan. 14. Westminster. Protection, with clause *nolumus*, for one year, for the church of St. Peter, Westminster, in which Edward the Confessor and divers other progenitors of the king rest, and the abbey of the church and the prior and convent and their men and possessions. By C.

1399. Nov. 10. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 20 February, 7 Richard II, granting for life to William de Bool the custody of the lesser piece of the seal for the recognisance of debts in the city of Norwich. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

1400. Jan. 17. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Thomas Kendale of 20*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Feb. 7. Westminster. Grant for life to John Merston of the office of keeper of the park, warren and wood pertaining to the manor of Aston Clynton, co. Buckingham, late of John, late earl of Salisbury, and in the king's hands by his forfeiture, receiving the accustomed daily wages at the hands of the receiver of the manor with all fees, profits and commodities belonging to the office. By p.s.

1399. *MEMBRANE* 29.

Nov. 7. Westminster. Grant to Ralph, earl of Westmoreland, marshal of England, Thomas, earl of Worcester, Walter Blount and William Par, knights, Robert de Whitby, clerk, William Keteryng, Robert Haytfeld, John Legburn and Thomas de Longeley, clerk, executors of the will of the king's father John, late duke of Lancaster, deceased, who have received administration, that they may collect all farms, annuities, pensions, rents, arrears, fines, issues, amercements, redemptions, forfeitures, debts, profits from wards and marriages, goods and chattels and all other profits, revenues and emoluments due to him on the day of his death from all his possessions and dispose of them for the execution of his will in England and Wales and the county of Chester. By p.s.

Nov. 10. Westminster. Grant to the executors of the will of the king's father John, late duke of Lancaster, deceased, that they may have letters patent and writs necessary for the execution of the said will without fine or fee. By p.s.

1399. *Membrane* 29—*cont.*

Nov. 18. Westminster. Grant to the king's brother Thomas Beaufort and his heirs and assigns of the manors of Seintlyng in Seint Marycreye, co. Kent, Knell, co. Sussex, and Crokkeseston, co. Southampton, late of Robert Bealknap, 'chivaler,' and in the king's hands by virtue of a judgement against him in Parliament at Westminster, 11 Richard II, affirmed in this Parliament. *Vacated because elsewhere below.* By p.s.

Dec. 4. Westminster. Commission by mainprise of William Bolle and Henry Walsham of the county of Lincoln to Michael del Logges, monk of the monastery of Seés in Normandy, of the custody of the alien priory of Wenghale from Michaelmas last during the war with France, rendering 10 marks yearly at the Exchequer, maintaining the houses and buildings, supporting all charges, paying tenths and other quota and finding the accustomed divine services. By bill of the treasurer.

Nov. 24. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Selby, the king's barber, of 20 marks yearly from the farm and issues of the county of York. By p.s. *Vacated because in the third year.*

Mandate in pursuance to the sheriff.

Nov. 15. Westminster. Grant for life to Richard Kays, one of the king's serjeants at arms, for his good service to the king's father, deceased, and the king, that he shall be one of the king's serjeants at arms to the number of thirty, as limited in a statute in Parliament at Westminster, receiving 12*d.* daily for his wages at the Exchequer and a robe yearly at Christmas of the suit of the king's esquires at the hands of the keeper of the great wardrobe. By K.

Nov. 20. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Hugh Lyngeyn of letters patent dated 11 May, 22 Richard II, granting to him for life 20*l.* yearly. By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 8. Westminster. Grant for life to William Hoghwyk, whom the king has retained for life, of 40*l.* yearly from the issues of the city of London. By p.s.

Nov. 8. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant William de Hoghwyk of the office of bailiff of the hundred of Gartre, co. Leicester, worth 12*l.* yearly, with the accustomed fees and other profits and commodities, as John Goderiche, deceased, had of the grant of Richard II. By p.s.

Nov. 18. Westminster. Grant to the king's brother Thomas Beaufort and his heirs and assigns of the manors of Seintlyng, Knell and Crokkeseston (*as above*). By p.s. *Vacated because in the second year.*

Oct. 30. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the abbess and convent of Denneye of letters patent dated 10 May, 21 Richard II, granting to them two tuns of wine of Gascony yearly. By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Dec. 4. Westminster. Whereas Edward III by letters patent granted to the abbot and convent of Stoneleye that they should not be compelled to grant any corrody or sustenance at the request of himself or his heirs, and nevertheless at his request and because they dared not resist his will one Henry Almayn was admitted to such sustenance as a monk had in the abbey; the king grants to them that during his life they shall not be charged with any further corrody or sustenance. By p.s.

Oct. 24. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 23 April, 22 Richard II, granting for life to William Leycestre 10*l.* yearly. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Membrane 29—*cont.*

1400.
Jan. 25. Westminster. Presentation of David Cook of Bokynham, prebendary of the chapter's mass in the collegiate church of St. Mary in the Fields, Norwich, in the diocese of Norwich, to the church of Shadenesfeld, in the same diocese, on an exchange of benefices with Adam Thede.

Jan. 26. Westminster. Grant for life to John Moubray of 10 marks yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Feb. 4. Westminster. Grant, during minority, to the king's esquire Peter Crull of the custody of all lands late of John Norreys, 'chivaler,' deceased, tenant in chief of Thomas, late lord le Despenser, in the lordship of Glamorgan, in the king's hands by reason of the minority of Margaret his daughter and heiress and the forfeiture of the said Thomas, with her marriage without disparagement, and so from heir to heir, finding a competent sustenance for the heir, maintaining the houses, buildings, enclosures and woods, and supporting all other charges. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 28.

1399.
Dec. 18. Westminster. Grant to John Scaweby, chaplain, of the wardenship of the hospital of St. Mary Magdalen, Broghton by Malton. By p.s.

Dec. 9. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Robert Spur of Wyncestre of 3*d.* daily from the issues of the county of Southampton. By p.s.

Nov. 20. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Thomas Ryngwode of 20 marks yearly from the custom of Suthampton. By p.s.
Vacated because elsewhere in this year.

Dec. 20. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Darcy, 'chivaler,' son and heir of Philip Darcy, 'chivaler,' and his heirs of letters patent dated 17 February, 51 Edward III, being an exemplification, at the request of the said Philip, of letters patent dated 1 August, 15 Edward III.
By K. and for 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 16. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the abbot and convent of St. Mary Graces by the Tower of London of letters patent dated 15 December, 14 Richard II, granting to them 110 marks yearly; grant that if they cannot obtain payment or are removed they shall receive recompense at the Exchequer; and grant to them of arrears for Michaelmas term last.
By K. and for 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

1400.
Jan. 18. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation, with the exception of the grant of the market on Wednesday, of the following:—

1. A charter dated at Kenilworth, 30 July, 50 Henry III, granting to the prior and convent of Kirkeby that they shall have a market weekly on Wednesday at their manor of Kirkeby Moynes, co. Warwick, and a fair there yearly on the vigil, the day and the morrow of St. John Baptist.
2. A charter dated at Westminster, 8 March, 33 Edward I, granting that they shall have the said market on Tuesday instead of Wednesday, and shall have free warren in certain demesne lands. [*Charter Roll, 33 Edward I, No.* 63.]
3. A charter dated at Westminster, 20 October, 33 Edward I. [*Ibid. No.* 15.] For 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

MEMBRANE 27.

1399.

Dec. 13. Westminster. Grant to the king's kinsman Thomas de Percy, earl of Worcester, and the heirs male of his body of 500 marks yearly at the Exchequer; in lieu of a grant to him of certain manors, lands and rents to the value of 400*l.* yearly late of Thomas, duke of Gloucester, and Richard, earl of Arundel, by letters patent of Richard II, surrendered, which he cannot enjoy because they have been restored to the heirs. By p.s.

Vacated because in the fourth year.

Nov. 4. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Hortonk von Clux of 40*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 18 *November, in the eleventh year, the king granted to him for life* 50*l. yearly from the fee-farm of the alien priory of Pembrok in Wales.*

Oct. 11. Westminster. Presentation of Geoffrey Midelton to the church of Castilford, in the diocese of York, void by the resignation of Thomas de Longley, king's clerk. By p.s.

Oct. 21. Westminster. Grant to Master Richard Yonge, elect and confirmed of the church of Bangor, of the custody of all temporalities of the bishopric of Bangor with all liberties, franchises, profits and commodities and advowsons of churches, so long as they remain in the king's hands. By K.

Mandate in pursuance to the keepers, farmers or other occupiers. By K.

Oct. 28. Westminster. Mandate to all sheriffs and others to permit Thomas Erpyngham, the king's chamberlain, to have the towns of Berkyng, Ilford and Dagenham for the harbouring and lodging of himself and his servants when the king is at the city of London or the palace of Westminster, according to ancient custom. [*Fœdera.*]

Nov. 23. Westminster Commission, for ten years, to the treasurer, cellarer and steward of the abbey of St. Mary, Leicester, and the mayor and bailiffs of Leicester to take stone-cutters, carpenters, plumbers, masons and other workmen for the repair of the church, houses and other buildings of the abbey in the counties of Leicester, Warwick, Nottingham, Derby, Northampton and Rutland, and timber, stone, lead, lime and other necessaries, and carriage for the same, at the expense of Philip Repyngdon, abbot. By K.

Dec. 21. Westminster. Presentation of John Clifford, chaplain, to the church of St. John, Southampton, in the diocese of Winchester.

Dec. 8. Westminster. Grant for life to Thomas Picworth, 'chivaler,' whom the king has retained for life, of 40*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 2 *December, in the third year, the king granted to him for life* 100 *marks yearly from the issues of the petty custom in the port of London.*

Dec. 23. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire William Hoghwik of a tun of wine yearly in the port of Kyngeston on Hull. By p.s.

1400.

Jan. 14. Westminster. Protection, with clause *nolumus*, for one year, for Elizabeth late the wife of Edward le Despenser and her men, lands, rents and possessions and the goods of herself and her tenants and servants within her manors and lordships of Hanley, Upton uppe Sevarne, Byssheley, Rydemarleye, Teukesbury, Fayreford and Stanford. By p.s.

Membrane 27—cont.

1400.
Jan. 14. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire John Horsy of the herbage and pannage within the park of Wyndesore, rendering to the king 40*s.* yearly. By p.s.

1399.
Dec. 16. Westminster. Pardon to Roger Dyear of Monmouth for all felonies committed by him, except murders, treasons and rapes. By p.s.

1400.
Jan. 19. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquires William Philip and Richard de la Mare of 40*l.* yearly at the Exchequer; and grant to them of the custody of the alien priory of Chepstowe during the war with France, with all profits, commodities, and revenues, rendering yearly at the Exchequer such a farm as Benedict Cely, 'chivaler,' deceased, did, provided that they pay tenths and quota when granted by the clergy of the realm, maintain the houses, buildings, woods, enclosures and gardens and support the services and other charges. By p.s.

Jan. 19. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Colton, 'skynner,' of the office of parker of Crokham, co. Berks, with the custody of the manor and warren there, late of the earl of Salisbury, deceased, with the accustomed wages, fees and profits. By p.s.

Jan. 20. Westminster. Grant for life, or until the king shall otherwise provide for him, to Philip Taillour, 'mariner,' of 6*d.* daily at the Exchequer. By K.

Jan. 20. Westminster. The like to Jaresle de Pogorel, knight, of 40*l.* yearly. By K.

Jan. 18. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire John Curson of the castle of Oreston, co. Derby, with a view of frankpledge and all other members, profits and commodities. By p.s.

Jan. 20. Westminster. Grant for life, or until the king shall otherwise provide for him, to Conrad de Visnich, knight, of 40*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By K.

1399.
Nov. 17. Westminster. Pardon to Robert Hovyngham of York for the death of Thomas de Skampston, parish clerk of Christchurch in Conynggart, York, on Friday, the Invention of the Cross, 21 Richard II. By p.s.

Dec. 26. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 12 May, 21 Richard II, being an exemplification of letters patent dated 1 January, 17 Richard II, granting for life to Thomas Forster 6*d.* daily; and grant to him of arrears to the sum of 10 marks. By p.s. and for 6*s.* 8*d.* paid in the hanaper.

1400.
Jan. 20. Westminster. Grant to William Bramley of the wardenship of the chapels of Octon and Swathorpe, co. York, in the king's gift by reason of the forfeiture of Ralph Lumley, knight. By p.s.

Jan. 21. Westminster. Grant to the king's esquire Richard Boyton of a crayer called *la George* late of Thomas, earl of Kent, of which Laurence Muller is master, pertaining to the king by the forfeiture of the said Thomas, with all its gear to the value of 40 marks, provided that he answer to the king for any surplus if it be of greater value. By p.s.

Jan. 22. Westminster. Presentation of William Mel, chaplain, to the church of St. Peter, Old Sarum, in the diocese of Salisbury.

MEMBRANE 26.

1399.
Dec. 5. Westminster. Licence for the prior and convent of Christchurch, Canterbury, to found a chantry of two chaplains to celebrate divine service daily in the said church for the souls of John de Bokyngham, late bishop of Lincoln, deceased, and his father and mother, relations, friends and benefactors, according to the ordinance of the executors of his will, and to grant in mortmain to the said chaplains a yearly rent of 20*l.*; to grant in mortmain the advowson of the church of Aldermaricherche, London, held in chief and parcel of the foundation of the priory, to Thomas, archbishop of Canterbury, in exchange for the advowson of the church of Westwell, co. Kent, held in chief and parcel of the foundation of the archbishopric; and to appropriate the said church of Westwell in mortmain, in aid of the payment of the said yearly rent, provided that a competent sum of money from the fruits of the church be distributed yearly by them to the poor parishioners and a vicarage be sufficiently endowed according to the ordinance of the diocesan and the form of the statute. By K.

Nov. 30. Westminster. Grant to the abbot and convent of Walden, co. Essex, of two tuns of wine of Gascony yearly of the king's prise in the port of Lenn. By p.s.

Dec. 11. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Thomas Goter of 20*l.* yearly from the great custom of wools and wool-fells in the port of Boston, co. Lincoln. By p.s.

Nov. 21. Westminster. Grant to the king's clerk John Hethe of 20 marks yearly from the issues of the hanaper for life or until he shall be promoted by the king to a benefice without cure or yearly pension or corrody to the value of 20*l.* yearly. By p.s.

1400.
Jan. 17. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Nicholas Kentwode of 20*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Jan. 19. Westminster. Protection, until Easter, for John Holand, chaplain, whom the king has appointed to search out all jewels, moneys, goods and chattels late of John de Holand, late earl of Huntyngdon, in the city of London and forfeited to the king by reason of his treason, and to certify thereon to the mayor and escheator of London, and his men and possessions. By K.

1399.
Nov. 6. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Nicholas Barynton of letters patent of Roger de Mortuo Mari, earl of March and Ulster, lord of Wyggemore, Clare, Trim and Connaught, dated at Trim, 13 May, 21 Richard II, granting to him for life the office of constable of the castle of Trym from 1 January following, with all accustomed profits and commodities, as Thomas Norreys had, provided that he support all charges. By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

1400.
Jan. 24. Westminster. Protection with clause *volumus*, for one year, for Thomas Lythyngton of London, 'peyntour,' going on the king's service to Ireland in the company of John Stanley, knight, lieutenant of Ireland, on the safe-custody of those parts. By bill of p.s.

1399.
Dec. 23. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to David Bertevill of letters patent dated 22 January, 16 Richard II, granting to him for life that he be one of the king's serjeants at arms. By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Dec. 16. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the wardens, workers, moneyers and ministers of the exchanges of London and Canterbury of letters patent dated 10 February, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 4 March, 5 Edward III, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 1 March, 2 Edward II. By p.s.

1400.
Feb. 11. Westminster. Grant for life to John West of 4*d.* daily at the Exchequer. By p.s.

1399. *MEMBRANE* 25.

Dec. 15. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to James de Berkeley, 'chivaler,' and Elizabeth his wife, kinswoman and heiress of the undermentioned Walter and John, of the following:—

1. A charter of Henry II as follows:—

H. Dei gratia rex Anglorum et dux Normannorum et Aquitanorum, comes Andegavorum, archiepiscopis, epis copis, comitibus, baronibus, iusticiariis, vicecomitibus et omnibus ministris et fidelibus suis Anglie salutem. Sciatis me concessisse et presenti carta confirmasse Waltero Bloet villam de Ragalen cum omnibus pertinentiis suis quam comes Ricardus filius comitis Gilleberti ei rationabiliter dedit pro servicio suo tenendam sibi et heredibus suis de se et heredibus suis in feodo et hereditate per servicium unius militis Gualensis. Quare volo et firmiter precipio quod predictus Walterus Bloet et heredes sui post eum habeant et teneant prenominatam villam cum omnibus pertinentiis suis in bosco et plano, in pratis et pasturis, in aquis et molendinis, in viis et semitis et in omnibus aliis locis et aliis rebus ad illam pertinentibus bene et in pace, libere et quiete, integre et honorifice cum omnibus libertatibus et liberis consuetudinibus suis per predictum servicium sicut carta comitis Ricardi quam inde habet testatur. T. Hugone episcopo Dunelmensi, G. electo de Ely, comite Reginaldo Cornubie, Willelmo de Albineio, Hugone de Creissy, Thome Bardulf, Alwredo de Vaacy, apud Nortdhantonam.

2. A charter dated at Westminster, 5 April, 26 Edward I, granting to John Pychard that he and his heirs shall have a market and fair at their manor of Straddewy in the cantred of Talgarth. [*Charter Roll, 26 Edward I, No.* 10.] For 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Dec. 18. Westminster. Protection with clause *volumus*, for one year, for Thomas Leget, esquire, going on the king's service in the company of the king's knight John Stanley, lieutenant of Ireland, to Ireland on the safe custody of those parts. By bill of p.s.

Dec. 19. Westminster. The like for John Glede of Plymmouth, 'bakere.' By bill of p.s.

Nov. 14. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Lowter von Gerafzdorf of 10*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Dec. 23. Westminster. Protection with clause *volumus*, for one year, for Thomas Leget, esquire, staying on the king's service in the company of the king's knight John de Stanley, lieutenant of Ireland, on the safe-custody of that land. By bill of p.s.

1400. The like for the following:—

Feb. 8. Westminster. John Ettewell of Notyngham. By bill of p.s.

John Nowell, esquire, son of Laurence Nowell of the county of Lancaster. By bill etc.

Feb. 17. Westminster. John Edmond of the county of Suffolk. By bill etc.

1399.

Dec. 24. Westminster. Presentation of Thomas Wilymot, chaplain, to the church of Ernemouth in the Isle of Wight, in the diocese of Winchester.

Dec. 22. Westminster. Presentation of William Forester, alien monk and chaplain, to the alien priory of Durhurst, in the diocese of Worcester, void by the death of Drugo Grenyer, last prior, and in the king's gift by reason of the war with France. By p.s.

Oct. 16. Westminster. Grant for life to Francis Courte of all lands and rents late of John Beauchamp of Holte and forfeited by reason of a judgement against him

Membrane 25—*cont.*

1399.

in Parliament at Westminster, 11 Richard II, with all liberties and franchises. By K.

1400.

Jan. 19. Westminster. Grant for life to John, lord of Lovell, of the office of the constableship of the castle of Corf with the fees, wages and other profits belonging to it and the appointment of all ministers under the office within the castle and of the warren outside; notwithstanding that the office was granted for life to Thomas, late earl of Kent, and Alesia his wife by letters patent of Richard II, confirmed by letters patent of the king, and that the king by the same letters granted to her the appointment of ministers; because Thomas, late earl of Kent, deceased, her son, lately rose in insurrection and the king wishes to remove all suspicion as to the safety of the castle, which is of great strength and situated opposite to his enemies. By K.

Jan. 20. Westminster. Grant to William de Isenden of 100 marks yearly at the Exchequer for life or until the king shall otherwise provide for him. By K.

1399.

Nov. 17. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Fitzpiers, notwithstanding any right etc. of letters patent (*French*) of Margaret, late countess of Norfolk, dated at her castle of Framlyngham, 4 October, 14 Richard II, granting to him for life a yearly rent of 6 marks from the issues of her manor of Weston, co. Hertford. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

1400.

Jan. 24. Westminster. Grant for life to John Cosyn of Cirencestre of 100 marks yearly at the Exchequer. By K.

MEMBRANE 24.

Jan. 23. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire John Dymmok of 40 marks yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

1399.

Nov. 13. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Henry Murcroft of letters patent dated 24 July, 16 Richard II, granting to him for life that he be one of the twenty-four yeomen of the crown.

By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

1400.

Jan. 23. Westminster. Commission to John Brokhole, clerk, and Robert Saperton, serjeant at arms, to enquire about all jewels, harness, money and other goods late of Thomas, earl of Kent, deceased, who forfeited to the king, and Joan his wife, who still survives, in Lyverpole and elsewhere in the county of Lancaster and to make an inventory of them and to bring them and the said Joan with her servants to London. By K.

Protection, until their arrival in London, for the said Joan, John and Robert and their men and servants and the jewels, harness and goods. By K.

Jan. 26. Westminster. Commission to William Sole, John Ferrour and William Lentyn to purvey iron, lead, stone, lime and timber for the garnishing and repair of the castle of Dover, and to take the same to the castle.

1399.

Nov. 14. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of an indenture (*French*) dated at Sherston, 1 October, 20 Richard II, witnessing that William Daventre of the county of Northampton, esquire, is retained for life by Thomas le Despenser, lord of Glamorgan and Morganno, to serve him when required in any part of England and Wales with three horses and two servants, with wages as others of his estate have and *bouche de court*, and if he is willing to serve

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1399.

out of the realm he shall serve the said Thomas and no one else, and he shall ask leave if he wishes to go out of the realm on pilgrimage, and the said Thomas has granted to him for life a yearly rent of 20 marks from his manor of Scherston, co. Wilts.

By p.s. and for 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

1400.

Jan. 6. Westminster. Grant of the king's alms to Joan de Ayleston, ankress in the church of St. Nicholas, Notyngham, of 8*d.* daily in aid of her maintenance, at the hands of the sheriff of Nottingham and Derby. By p.s.

1399.

Dec. 22. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's son Humphrey that he shall have all letters patent and writs under the king's seal in Chancery and other places without fee and shall be quit of fines for the same. By p.s.

Dec 18. Westminster. Like grant to the same that he shall have letters patent, charters, writs and other grants of the king in Chancery quit of all common fines, little or great, and all fees of the seal. By p.s.

1400.

Feb. 6. Westminster. Revocation of the presentation of Simon Gaunstede to the church of Leskyrd, in the diocese of Exeter, in accordance with the statute in Parliament of Edward III at Westminster; as the prior of Launceston has complained that the prior and convent had the church appropriated long before the publication of the statute of Mortmain, and the king accordingly directed the sheriff of Cornwall to summon the said Simon to appear in Chancery, and the sheriff returned that he had summoned him by Martin Pellour and John Cokworthy, and he did not appear and judgement was given against him.

1399.

Nov. 7. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 24 September, 19 Richard II, inspecting and confirming to John Charnels letters patent (*French*) of Edward, prince of Wales, dated at Chertsey abbey, 8 December, 1371. By p.s.

1400.

Feb. 6. Westminster. Grant for life to Simon Englys of Spaldyng of the office of parker of Broune, co. Lincoln, with the accustomed wages, fees and profits. By p.s.

1399.

Oct. 12. Westminster. Grant to the king's knight John Gryndor of the custody of all lands late of William Blount, deceased, tenant in chief, of the value of 20 marks yearly, during the minority of the heir with the marriage of the latter without disparagement, provided that he answer for any surplus at the Exchequer, find a competent sustenance for the heir, maintain the houses, woods, enclosures and gardens and support all other charges. By p.s.

1400.

Feb. 6. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Robert Whityngton of the custody of the chace of Cors, co. Gloucester, late of Thomas, lord le Despenser, and in the king's hands by his death, receiving the ancient fee of 12*l.* yearly as Nicholas Appurley had from the manor of Archerstoke, co. Gloucester, and the said chace. By p.s.

Jan. 27. Westminster. Grant for life to John Cousyn of Cirencestre of 100 marks yearly at the Exchequer for his good service in manfully resisting at Cirencestre Thomas, late earl of Kent, and others who rose in insurrection against the king. By K.

Feb. 6. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Columbele of 10*l.* yearly from the issues of the county of Stafford. By p.s.

Feb. 6. Westminster. General pardon to William Sulny. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 23.

1400.
Jan. 28. Westminster. Commission to Walter Blount, constable of the castle of Tutbury, Thomas Botheby, the king's receiver there, and Robert de Skilyngton to take stone-cutters and other labourers for the repair of the castle and carriage for the same.

Jan. 26. Westminster. Grant for life to John Moubray of 10 marks yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Jan. 29. Westminster. Whereas by an inquisition taken before Robert Ramsey, escheator of the late king in the county of Essex, it was found that the manor of Westillebury with the advowson of the church of the manor was held in chief by knight-service, and Hamo de Vaghan, knight, late lord of the manor, deceased, before his death demised the manor and advowson to Edward Cambre and others in fee simple, and these on Thursday after St. Barnabas, 18 Richard II, demised the same to Thomas Skynner and others who occupied the manor and received the issues until Michaelmas, 20 Richard II, without licence; and the said Thomas has complained to the king that the manor was held of Aubrey de Veer, earl of Oxford, as of the honour of Ralegh by knight-service and not of the late king, and the said Hamo granted it to Roger Bokelton of the county of Hereford, William Burton of the county of Northampton and the said Edward Cambre, citizen and skinner of London, and their heirs and assigns by the name of the manor of Westillebury, co. Essex, with a windmill, lands, woods, meadows, feedings, pastures, marshes, rents, services and other appurtenances, and the said Roger and Edward granted the same to him, by the name of Thomas Skynnere of Shrewsbury, kinsman of the said Hamo, for life, with remainder to the right heirs of Hamo, and the said William by writing released to him all right in the premises, and he continued in full possession until he was expelled by colour of the said inquisition and certain letters patent of the late king granting the manor to William Serle, yeoman of the robes, for life; and the king directed the sheriff to summon the said William Serle to appear in Chancery, and the sheriff returned that he had summoned him by John Lorkyn and Richard Fering, and he did not appear, and judgement was given that the said letters should be revoked and the manor restored to the said Thomas with the issues from the time of seizure; the king hereby revokes the said letters.

1399.
Oct. 14. Westminster. Declaration that during the king's life all honours, castles, hundreds, commotes, manors, lands, annuities, fees, advowsons and other possessions and lordships which the king held before he aspired to the royal estate of the inheritance of his late consort Mary, deceased, one of the daughters and heiresses of Humphrey de Bohun, late earl of Hereford, Essex and Northampton and constable of England, with all their rights, liberties, franchises and free customs, shall be held in the same manner and governed by the same officers and ministers, that all free tenants of the same and their heirs shall be as free in their entries into their inheritances and their tenures and otherwise, provided that the royal prerogative shall have force so far as concerns the marriages and profits of marriages of the heirs of the tenants, that all ecclesiastical benefices belonging to the premises shall be granted by the king without interference by the chancellor or treasurer or any other royal officer, and that all receivers, feodaries, farmers, bailiffs, reeves or other servants and ministers of the premises shall account for the issues of the same before auditors to be appointed by the king and not before the treasurer and barons of the Exchequer, who shall not interfere. By K.

1400.
Feb. 5. Westminster. General pardon to John Hulcote of Bercote, co. Berks, with restitution of his lands and goods. By p.s.

Membrane 23—*cont.*

1400.

Jan. 30. Westminster. Appointment, during pleasure, of the king's esquire Richard Mawardyn as keeper of the castle of Suthampton. By K. and C.

Feb. 7. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Richard Braynt of letters patent dated 14 April, 20 Richard II, exempting him for life from being put on juries, etc. For 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Jan. 27. Westminster. Grant for life to Hugh Lyngeyn, esquire, for his good service to Edward III and Philippa his consort, deceased, and to Richard II, of a tun of red wine of Gascony yearly at the Purification in the port of London. By p.s.

Feb. 6. Westminster. Grant for life to John Chamberleyn of 6*d.* daily and 5 marks yearly in addition at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Feb. 9. Westminster. Signification to Th. archbishop of Canterbury of the royal assent to the election of Henry Tompston, monk of the house of Bermondesey, of the Cluniac order, as abbot of that place.

Feb. 6. Westminster. Grant for life to Robert Lyncoln of the custody of the alien priories of Wyngale and Revendale, co. Lincoln, with all profits to the value of 20*l.* yearly, with arrears, viz. 100*s.*, for Christmas term last; in recompense of the office of the pesage of wools in the town of Suthampton, of the yearly value of 20*l.*, which Richard II granted to him for life and the king confirmed to him, but which the treasurer granted to a servant of his. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 22.

Jan. 21. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight Walter Blount of an inn called 'the belle on the hope' in Frydaystrete, London, and other tenements and possessions late of Thomas, lord le Despenser, deceased, in the same street and in Watlyngstrete in the parish of St. John Evangelist to the value of 16 marks yearly, in the king's hands by his forfeiture, and the reversion of the third part which the lady le Despenser, mother of the said Thomas, holds in dower in the premises. By p.s.

Vacated because elsewhere in this year.

Jan. 21. Westminster. Grant to Thomas Comyn and Margaret his wife of 100*s.* yearly at the Exchequer for life or until the king shall otherwise provide for them. By K.

1399.

Sept. 30. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Thomas Erpyngham of letters patent dated 21 August, 23 Richard II, granting to him for life the constableship of Dover castle and the wardenship of the Cinque Ports; and grant that he shall have on that account 300*l.* yearly, viz. 146*l.* from the wards pertaining to the castle, 100 marks from the issues of the customs in the port of Sandwich and 87*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* from the custom and subsidy in the port of Bishop's Lenn, any deficiency in these latter sums being made up at the Exchequer, saving to the king chattels of felons and fugitives, fines, ransoms, amercements and other profits pertaining to the king from the Cinque Ports, for which he shall render his account at the Exchequer, so that he stay in person on the safe-custody of the castle; and grant to him of arrears of the said 300*l.* from 15 September last, on which day the constableship and wardenship were delivered to him by command of the late king. By K.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because with his assent on 28 *February,* 10 *Henry IV, the king granted the same to his son the prince of Wales.*

Membrane 22—*cont.*

1399.
Oct. 1. Westminster. Appointment of John Saburton to supervise and control all payments made by the king's clerk William Dionys, clerk of the works, and to testify concerning his account the Exchequer, receiving the accustomed fees. By bill of the treasurer.

1400.
Jan. 26. Westminster. Pardon to Thomas Gylle of the county of York, 'barbour,' of his outlawry in London for not appearing in the court of Richard II to answer John Bret, citizen and barber of London, for leaving his service before the term agreed upon, he having surrendered to the Marshalsea prison, as Walter Clopton, chief justice, has certified.

Jan. 30. Westminster. Appointment, during pleasure, of Ivo Fitz Waryn as keeper and governor of the town of Suthampton, with full power to fortify the town with walls, towers, loups, gates, garrets, ditches and other defences with the advice of the mayor with all speed and to cause the inhabitants to contribute according to their means. By K. and C.

1399.
Nov. 19. Westminster. Grant for life to William Kilvyngton of 25 marks yearly at the Exchequer, in recompense of a grant to him by the name of Kilmyngton of the office of porter of Rossefayr in North Wales with the rent of Neuburgh, together worth 33*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* yearly, by letters patent of Richard II, surrendered because he cannot enjoy the same as they pertain to the principality of Wales. By p.s.

1400.
Feb. 6. Westminster. Grant to the king's servants Henry Waryn and William Albertyn of 20*l.* in the custody of Richard Gest late of John Swalowe, deceased, which pertain to the king because the said John was against him in the company of Thomas, late earl of Kent. By p.s.

Feb. 2. Westminster. Grant to Henry Lyvermere of the custody of certain lands in the town of Baswynthorp, co. Lincoln, not exceeding the value of 4*l.* yearly, late of William de Haryngton of Grantham, deceased, which were taken into the hands of Richard II by reason of the minority of Thomas his son and heir and because the earl of Stafford, of whom he held in chief, was then a minor, to hold during the minority of the said heir with his marriage without disparagement, and so from heir to heir, provided that he find a competent sustenance for the heir, maintain the houses, buildings, enclosures and woods and support all charges. By p.s.

Feb. 6. Westminster. Grant to Richard Cryse, esquire, of all his goods and chattels which the escheator of Kent seized because he was lately with the earl of Huntyngdon, deceased, supposing him to be of his company, which he was not. By p.s.

Feb. 6. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Robert Sutton of letters patent under the seal of Ireland dated at Dublin, 8 December, 18 Richard II, granting for life to the said Robert, king's clerk, for his good service from the time of the coronation, all lands in Burton Eston Galwey, co. Meath, sometime of the abbot and convent of Dundreynan in Scotland and forfeited because they adhered to the Scots, not exceeding the value of 7*l.* yearly, provided that he answer for any surplus.
By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 7. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's clerk Henry Stanhurst of the office of second chamberlain of the exchequer of Ireland, with the accustomed fees and wages. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 21.

1400.

Jan. 22. Westminster. Grant for life to Thomas Gyffard and Stephen Burton, esquires, of the custody of the wood of Thorley and Myntyng, co. Lincoln, with the wages, fees and profits belonging to it, as Richard Ferrour had. By K.

Jan. 19. Westminster. Grant to John Wyndesore and his heirs of the manors of Maynerbier and Pennaly, co. Pembroke, and the manor of Esthanney called Filberdescourt, co. Oxford, in the king's hands by the forfeiture of John Holand, late earl of Huntyngdon, with all fees, advowsons, franchises and liberties.
Vacated because elsewhere in this year. By p.s.

Jan. 24. Westminster. Presentation of Simon Stok, vicar of the church of Uppecherche, in the diocese of Canterbury, to the vicarage of Reynham, in the same diocese, on an exchange of benefices with Thomas de Gloriston.

Jan. 24. Westminster. Protection, for one year, for Zanys Jacob and James Heynseman, late servants of Thomas, late lord le Despenser, prosecuting divers businesses in divers places in England and Wales and returning thence to their own parts, and their horses, harness and goods.
By K. on the information of the treasurer.

1399.

Nov. 15. Westminster. Pardon to William de Cotis del Cotis for the death of Richard Bakster of Carleton and all other felonies, murders and trespasses committed by him; and grant to him of all goods which he had on the day of the supposed felony or afterwards. By p.s.

Dec. 8. Westminster. Grant for life to Hugh Pope of 2*d.* daily from the issues of the manor of Cokeham, co. Berks. By p.s.

1400.

Jan. 18. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquires Henry de Tyldesley and William de Radclyf of 20*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Jan. 19. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquires Roland Leynthale and John Merbury of 40*l.* yearly from the fee-farm of the town of Hereford at the hands of the bailiffs. By p.s.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on the same day the king granted the same to them at the hands of the mayor and bailiffs.

Jan. 20. Westminster. Licence, for 20*l.* paid in the hanaper by Robert Neuton and Henry Jolypace, chaplains, for them to found a perpetual chantry of one chaplain to celebrate divine service daily at the altar of St. John Baptist in the church of St. James, Garlekhyth, London, for the souls of Gilbert Bouet and Isabel his wife, and for the prior and convent of the hospital of St. Mary without Bisshopesgate, London, to grant in mortmain to the said chaplain a yearly quit-rent of 12 marks from all their lands and rents in the parishes of St. Martin in the Vintry and St. Peter on Cornhull, London, and the parish of St. Botolph without Bisshopesgate, London, with a further payment of 20*s.* whenever this rent may be in arrear.

Jan. 30. Westminster. Grant to the bailiffs and burgesses of the town of Shrewsbury, which is near Wales and needs better fortification, of murage for three years.

Feb. 8. Westminster. Nomination, by reason of the minority of the son and heir of Ralph de Stonore, tenant in chief, of William Scryveyn, chaplain, to the prioress and convent of Little Merlawe for presentation to the vicarage of the church of Little Merlawe.

Feb. 6. Westminster. Grant to the king's clerk Richard Kyngeston, dean of the chapel within the household, of the prebend which Richard Randes lately had within the king's free chapel of Wyndesore, void by his death. By p.s.
Mandate in pursuance to the dean or warden. By the same writ.

1400. *Membrane* 21—*cont.*

Grant for life to John Hunt of the office of parker of the park of Chetelhampholt, co. Devon, with the accustomed fees, wages and profits. By p.s.

Grant to the king's esquire Ralph Ramesey of a short 'hanselyn' with silver-gilt 'spanges' in the custody of the mayor of Bristol, late of Thomas, late lord le Despenser, and forfeited because he rose in insurrection against the king. By p.s.

Feb. 7. Westminster. Grant to the king's esquire Robert Symeon of 8 cows and 70 sheep in the custody of the escheator of the county of Buckingham, late of the said Thomas and forfeited as above. By p.s.

Feb. 5. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Matthew Lappynge of the county of Lancaster of letters patent under the seal of Ireland attested by Thomas, duke of Surrey, lieutenant of Ireland, at Dublin, 18 October, 22 Richard II, granting to him for life a parcel of land called 'Balymargy,' co. Dublin, by the march of the Irish rebels the Otothilles, to the value of 6 marks yearly, provided that he answer for any surplus at the exchequer of Ireland. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 9. Westminster. Grant to Richard de Moston, servant of the king's son the prince, of 20 marks from the goods, debts and money of divers forfeitures taken into the king's hands by the mayor and sheriffs of London. By p.s.

1399. *MEMBRANES* 20-17.

Oct. 14. Westminster. Declaration, with the assent of Parliament, that whereas the duchy of Lancaster and divers other counties, honours, castles, manors, fees, possessions and lordships within England and Wales and elsewhere by the death of the king's grandfather Henry, late duke of Lancaster, the king's father John, late duke of Lancaster, and the king's mother Blanche his wife, daughter and heiress of the said Henry, descended to the king by hereditary right before God called him to the royal estate, and in them divers liberties, royal rights, customs and franchises have been granted to the king's progenitors, some to them and the heirs of their bodies, some to them and the heirs male of their bodies and some to the king's father for life, by divers charters here recited, viz:—

1. Letters patent dated 28 February, 51 Edward III, granting to the said duke John that he shall have within the county of Lancaster liberties pertaining to a count palatine.
2. A charter dated at Westminster, 16 February, 13 Richard II [*Charter Roll*, 13 *Richard II*, *No.* 4].
3. A charter dated at Westminster, 29 June, 20 Richard II [*Charter Roll*, 20 *Richard II*, *No.* 7], inspecting and confirming with additions the following:—
   (1) A charter dated at Westminster, 12 May, 36 Edward III [*Charter Roll*, 36 *Edward III*, *No.* 9].
   (2) Letters patent dated 15 September, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Westminster. 14 July, 38 Edward III [*Charter Roll*, 38 *Edward III*, *No.* 2].
   (3) Letters patent dated 15 September, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming the following:—
      a. A charter dated at Westminster, 25 June, 46 Edward III. [*Fœdera.*]
      b. A charter dated at Sheen, 4 June, 51 Edward III.

Membranes 20-17—*cont.*

1399. this inheritance with all the said liberties shall remain for ever in the same form and shall be governed by the same officers and ministers, all tenants of the same and their heirs shall be as free in their entries into their inheritances and their tenures and otherwise, provided that the tenants within the county palatine of Lancaster shall sue for livery of their inheritances, when taken into the hands of the king or his heirs, in the chancery there, and the royal prerogative shall have force so far as concerns the marriages and profits of marriages of other tenants without the county, all ecclesiastical benefices belonging to the same shall be granted by the king and his heirs without interference by the chancellor or treasurer or any other royal officer, and all receivers, feodaries, farmers, bailiffs, reeves, officers and other servants and ministers of the same shall account for the issues of the same before auditors to be appointed by the king and his heirs and not before the treasurer and barons of the Exchequer, who shall not interfere.

By K. and with the assent of Parliament.

Membrane 17—*cont.*

1400. Feb. 15. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Willycotes of the county of Oxford, esquire, of an indenture (*French*) dated at Kerdief, Michaelmas, 19 Richard II, witnessing that Thomas, lord le Despenser, has retained him for life at a yearly rent of 10*l.* in Brodeton, co. Wilts, to serve him when required in any part of England and Wales with a yeoman, a groom and three horses, receiving wages as others of his estate, and to serve him when required out of the realm if he is on the king's service; and grant that he shall have the said 10*l.* yearly from the issues of all lands late of the said Thomas in Brodeton, notwithstanding forfeiture.

By p.s. and for 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Mandate in pursuance to the farmers.

MEMBRANE 16.

1399. Nov. 14. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the dean and canons of the king's free chapel of St. Stephen within the palace of Westminster of letters patent dated 6 February, 21 Richard II. [*Monasticon* VI. 1352.]

By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

1400. Feb. 6. Westminster. Grant to the king's esquire Thomas Goter of a ship called *la Alianore* within the port of London, late of Thomas, late earl of Kent, and pertaining to the king by his forfeiture, with all its gear. By p.s.

Grant to the king's kinsman Thomas de Beauchamp, earl of Warwick, of all his goods which were seized as forfeited by escheators and other ministers of the late king by pretext of a judgement erroneously given against him in Parliament, 21 Richard II, and annulled in the last Parliament, or the value of the same and all arrears and sums due to him before that judgement. By p.s.

Jan. 20. Westminster. Pardon to Robert Appulby of Buntyngford, co. Hertford, for having on 12 January last entered the house of Thomas Shelle within the town of Aylesbury and carried off six oxen of his, now in the custody of the sheriff of Essex and Hertford. By K.

Membrane 16—*cont.*

1400.

Feb. 10. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 4 March, 3 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 8 February, 26 Edward III, to the clothworkers from foreign parts.
For 60*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 6. Westminster. Pardon to William Sautre, chaplain, for divers treasons and felonies with which he was lately charged. By p.s.

The like to the following:—
Nicholas Wolf. By the same writ.
John Shirley. By the same writ.

MEMBRANE 15.

Feb. 10. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the burgesses of Walyngford of a charter dated at Clipstone, 19 April, 9 Edward III [*Charter Roll, 9 Edward III, No.* 57], inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Westminster, 12 January, 51 Henry III [*Charter Roll, 51 Henry III, m.* 9], inspecting and confirming a charter of Henry II dated at Oxford, 1 Id. Jan.
For 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 7. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight John de Eynesford and Margaret his wife of a messuage in Seremerlane, London, late of Richard Maudeleyn, clerk, deceased, and in the king's hands by his forfeiture. By p.s.
Vacated because in the second year.

Feb. 10. Westminster. Grant for life to William Wardale of Holm, co. Huntingdon, of the offices of porter and warrener of the manor of Westdepyng, co. Lincoln, with the accustomed fees, wages, and profits. By p.s.

Feb. 5. Westminster. Grant to the king's clerk Master Henry Bowet of the prebend of Knaresbourgh in the cathedral church of York. By p.s.
Mandate in pursuance to R. archbishop of York. By p.s.
Mandate in pursuance to the dean and chapter. By p.s.

1399.

Oct 27. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Mitford of letters patent dated 4 March, 16 Richard II, granting to him for life 20*l.* yearly.
By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

1400.

Feb. 9. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 18 May, 22 Richard II, granting for life to William Excestre a tun of red wine of Gascony yearly. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Jan. 26. Westminster. Grant to John Darcy of the goods of Andrew Hake, 'chivaler,' within the city of London and without, forfeited to the king, with the exception of gold, silver, vessels of gold and silver and the goods of the wife of the same Andrew. By p.s.

Feb. 6. Westminster. Grant to Robert de Nuby and his successors, chaplains of the chantry in the chapel called 'le Charnell' in the town of Scardeburgh, of 6 marks yearly from the fee-farm of the town, in lieu of a grant by letters patent of Richard II, surrendered. By p.s.

Feb. 6. Westminster. Whereas Richard II by letters patent granted licence for the king's father to grant land or rent to the value of 6 marks, after inquisition, to the said Robert de Nuby and his successors, and on this the king's father granted to them a yearly rent of 6 marks from the issues of his manor of

1400. *Membrane* 15—*cont.*

Scalby within his lordship of Pykeryng, as appears in his letters patent, confirmed by letters patent of the king, but no inquisition was taken; the king pardons the trespass in this and confirms the estate of the said Robert in the said chantry. By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 11. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight Hugh Browe, whom the king has retained for life, of 40*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Feb. 6. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent (*French*) of Thomas, earl of Nottingham, marshal of England, lord of Moubray, Segrave and Gower, dated at London, 15 February, 20 Richard II, granting for life to Bartholomew de Boseham a yearly rent of 20 marks from the issues of his manor of Aleumbury, co. Huntingdon. By p.s. and for 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 10. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Henry Moton of the manor of Walshe Bikenore in the marches of Wales, late of John, late earl of Salisbury, deceased, and forfeited because he rose against the king, to hold to the value of 8 marks yearly, provided that he answer for any surplus at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Feb. 10. Westminster. Protection for John de Casses, who stayed with the last earl of Kent, and all his goods, provided that he be faithful to the king. By p.s.

Feb. 7. Westminster. Grant to John, bishop of Leghlyng in Ireland, of the custody of the temporalities of the bishopric of Osserye so long as they remain in the king's hands by reason of his translation from the bishopric of Leghlyng to the bishopric of Osserye. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 14.

Feb. 4. Westminster. Licence, for 40 marks paid by her to the king, for Matilda late the wife of Ralph de Cromewell of Tateshale, knight, to enfeoff Thomas de Bardolf of Wormyngay, knight, Richard Gray of Codnore, knight, Robert de Scales of Noysilles, knight, John Copuldyk, knight, Thomas Dymmok, knight, William de Waltham, clerk, Simon de Burton, clerk, Simon Barette, Richard Gegge, Thomas de Enderby and Hugh de Gouderby of her manor of Candelesby, a messuage called 'le Grenegarth,' a carucate and 44 acres of land, 48 acres of pasture, 47 acres of wood, 10*l.* 17*s.* 7*d.* rent and two parts of a messuage called 'Ledenhalle' in Boston and Old Bokenham, the third part of the manor of Wymondham and the fourth part of the manor of Old Bokenham, held in chief.

Feb. 1. Westminster. Licence for the prior and convent of Bermundeseye to elect an abbot in the place of John Attylburgh, resigned.

Feb. 6. Westminster. Grant to the king's kinsman Thomas de Beauchamp, earl of Warwick, of certain goods (*as on m.* 16). By p.s.

Feb. 6. Westminster. General pardon to John Goswelle of Gildeford. By p.s.

Feb. 9. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire James Clifford, whom the king has retained for life, of 40*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Feb. 8. Westminster. Commission to John Gilder and Gervase Wykes to seize all goods and chattels of John Pany and to deliver them to him, so that he find security before them to answer to the king for the value of the same if they be adjudged to the king, and to certify thereon to the king. By C.

Membrane 14—*cont.*

1400.
Feb. 9. Westminster. Grant for life to Thomas Tylyn of the office of porter of the king's castle of Walyngford with the fees, wages, profits and emoluments belonging to it. By p.s.

Feb. 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the warden and minor canons of the church of St. Paul, London, of letters patent dated 1 August, 18 Richard II, granting that they shall form a college. For 5 marks paid in the hanaper.

1399.
Oct. 21. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 18 October, 7 (*sic*) Henry IV, being an exemplification, at the request of Robert Chalmeley, of letters patent dated 25 January, 7 Richard II. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

1400.
Feb. 10. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's brother John, earl of Somerset, of the office of chamberlain of England with the accustomed fees, profits and emoluments. By K.

Feb. 7. Westminster. Grant for life to John Hoton, at the supplication of the mayor, aldermen and commonalty of London and for his good service to Edward III and his son the prince, deceased, of 20 marks yearly from the farm and issues of the counties of London and Middlesex. By p.s.

Feb. 12. Westminster. Grant for life to Howell Hunte of the office of parker of Lantressen in Wales, in the king's gift because Thomas Spencer, deceased, rose in insurrection, with the accustomed wages, fees and profits. By p.s.

Jan. 3. Westminster. Grant for life to William Walton of the chief office of remembrancer of the exchequer of Ireland with the accustomed fees and wages. By p.s.

Feb. 11. Westminster. Grant to Robert Cokerell of all his lands in Henley on Thames with all his goods and chattels, forfeited to the king because he was in the company of Thomas Blount, 'chivaler,' and others who lately rose in insurrection. By p.s.

Feb. 8. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Henry Maunsell of the offices of gaoler, keeper and porter of the castle of York, with the accustomed fees, wages and other profits for the offices of gaoler and keeper and 2*d.* daily for the wages of porter at the hands of the sheriff of York. By p.s.
Vacated because in the third year.

Feb. 6. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant William Percevale of 10*l.* yearly from the issues of the hanaper. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 13.

Feb. 9. Westminster. John Middelton, citizen and mercer of London, staying in England, has letters nominating John Drayton and Thomas Paynell his attorneys in Ireland for three years.
Thomas Stanley, clerk, received the attorneys until the advent of the said John into Ireland.

Feb. 6. Westminster. Revocation, at the supplication of John Whitehede, parson of the parish church of St. Nicholas, Stabanam, in the diocese of Armagh, in Ireland, and in consideration of the great prejudice to hospitality and other works of charity and the diminution of divine service which would happen by such appropriation, of the grant of Richard II by letters patent to the vicars of the cathedral church of St. Patrick, Dublin, in Ireland, of the patronage of the said church to the effect that they should appropriate it in mortmain, which has not yet been executed. By p.s.

1400. *Membrane* 18—*cont.*

Grant for life to the king's esquire John Dyndon, servant of the tailory, of all tenements, rents and houses late of Thomas Shelley, 'chivaler,' between the church of St. Mary at the end of Stanynglaneend and Adlyngstrete, London, pertaining to the king by reason of his forfeiture, to hold to the value of 20 marks yearly, provided that he answer to the king for any surplus. By p.s.

Feb. 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Master Richard Ronhale of letters patent dated 14 June, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life 50 marks yearly. By K. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 10. Westminster. Grant to the king's knight John Straunge of two dozen dishes, six 'chargeours,' twelve saltcellars, two silver candlesticks, four 'heppelandes' of furred golden cloth, a 'palet' and a 'brestplate' in the custody of John Dernecombe and Simon Dernecombe, late of Thomas, late earl of Kent, and forfeited to the king. By p.s.

Feb. 9. Westminster. Grant for life to William Sterky, messenger of the king's kinsman the earl of Northumberland, of 6*d.* daily at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Feb. 7. Westminster. Pardon to William son of Richard de Haynton of Bradelay for all felonies and trespasses committed by him except murder and rape. By p.s.

Feb. 7. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Pershute of 10*l.* yearly at the Exchequer, in recompense for the office of keeper of the park of Blakedon within the chace of Cranbourne, co. Dorset, which he had for life of the grant of Roger de Mortuo Mari, late earl of March, deceased. By p.s.

Feb. 8. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Hugh de Audesley of 20*l.* yearly from the issues of the county of Nottingham. By p.s.

Feb. 7. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Colton, 'skynner,' of the office of parker of the parks of Crokham, co. Berks, with the custody of the warren there, late of John, late earl of Salisbury, deceased, and in the king's hands by his forfeiture, receiving the accustomed fees, wages and profits. By K.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because the king granted the same to him on 22 August in the second year.

1399.

Nov. 17. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of an indenture (*French*) dated at London, 26 April, 19 Richard II, witnessing that Thomas, earl of Nottingham, marshal of England, lord of Moubray and Segrave, has retained Sir John Ingelthorpe for life at a yearly rent of 20*l.* from the issues of his manor of Wylington, co. Bedford, with a provision that when the inheritance of the said earl shall be increased by the death of his mother the annuity shall be changed to some place nearer the inheritance of the said John. By p.s. and for 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 30. Westminster. Presentation of John de Thoraldby to the church of Estwode, in the diocese of London.

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Feb. 8. Westminster. Grant for life to Rustyn Villenoue of the office of master of the king's hounds called 'bukhoundes,' forfeited to the king by reason of a judgement lately given against Bernard Brocas, 'chivaler,' with the accustomed wages, fees, profits and commodities. By p.s.

Grant for life to William Lucy, 'chivaler,' of 100 marks yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

1399. *Membrane* 13—*cont.*

Dec. 4. Westminster. Presentation of John Marnham to the parish church of Thornton in Lonesdale, in the diocese of York, of the immediate jurisdiction of Thomas Dalby, archdeacon of Richmond.

1400.

Feb. 9. Westminster. General pardon to Hugh Blount, esquire, son of Thomas Blount the elder of the county of Oxford, knight, for all offences committed by him before 4 February. By p.s.

Feb. 8. Westminster. The like to Roger Cotheworthe, servant of the said Thomas. By p.s.

Feb. 13. Westminster. Grant for life to John de Marham of Crowemere of 6*d.* daily from the issues of the county of Norfolk. By p.s.

Feb. 12. Westminster. Grant to the king's brother H. bishop of Lincoln of the custody of all lands late of Thomas, late earl of Kent, in Brotulby and Wilyngham by Stowe, co. Lincoln, forfeited because he rose in insurrection, worth 40 marks yearly and held of the said bishop in chief by knight-service, from the day of forfeiture during the minority of any heir of the earl, with advowsons of churches and chapels and knights' fees. By p.s.

Feb. 17. Westminster. Grant to Katharine Beauchamp of two tuns of wine in the hands of the escheator of the county of Gloucester, late of the lord le Despenser and pertaining to the king by his forfeiture. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 12.

1399.

Oct. 18. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Geoffrey Chaucer of 40 marks yearly at the Exchequer in addition to the 20*l.* granted to him by Richard II and confirmed by the king. By p.s.

Dec. 6. Westminster. Whereas Richard II granted licence to his clerk Master Henry Bowet to be with the present king on the service of the latter in France and during his absence granted to divers persons his lands and possessions and goods on this side of the sea and in Aquitaine, viz. the castle and lordship of Urnoun, the lands and possessions late of Bernard Bruter and Peter Bruter his brother and divers other possessions in the said parts; the king grants the same to the said Henry and his assigns, notwithstanding any grants of them made by Richard II or the fact that he acquired them from his own goods at the said time when he was officer in Aquitaine. By p.s.

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Feb. 12. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the prior and convent of Heryngham of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 25 February, 6 Edward III, confirming a grant by Matilda daughter of John Paynell. [*Monasticon*, VI. 308.]
2. Letters patent dated 8 April, 25 Edward III, granting licence for them to appropriate in mortmain the hospital of St. Anthony, Coukham. [*Ibid.*]
3. Letters patent dated 27 January, 26 Edward III, granting that purveyors shall take nothing of their possessions.

For 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

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Feb. 13. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 12 March, 19 Richard II, granting licence for the foundation of the fraternity or gild of St. Christopher in the cathedral church of St. Peter, York.
For 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 6. Westminster. Grant for life to Walter Byttirley, 'chivaler,' whom the king has retained for life, of 40*l.* yearly from the issues of the county of Salop.
By p.s.

Feb. 14. Westminster. Grant to the king's servant Peter Melbourne of all issues, rents, debts and arrears of Melbourne, Chelaston and Berwe, co. Derby, late of Thomas, bishop of Carlisle, in the king's hands by reason of his forfeiture, not exceeding the value of 48*l.* By K.

Feb. 7. Westminster. Whereas, as the king's esquire Bartholomew Bosan has informed the king, Richard II by letters patent granted to Richard Cliterowe and his heirs and assigns a messuage and three shops in the parish of Aldermarichirche, London, late of John Export, late citizen of London, escheated because the latter died seised thereof in fee simple without heir, and by other letters patent granted to the said Bartholomew all issues of the premises from the death of the said John to the making of the first letters to the sum of 80 marks, and he has received nothing and has surrendered the letters; the king, at his supplication, pardons to Marjory de Nerford, William de Bergh, clerk, William Makenade, Clement Spice, John Bryan, John Bokyngham, Drugo Sakevill, Thomas Panton, William Wangford, John Claveryng and Richard Dunmowe, late tenants and occupiers of the premises, and their heirs and executors all the issues to the said sum from 20 January, 9 Richard II, to 28 October, 19 Richard II.
By p.s.

Feb. 16. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight William Cromwell, whom the king has retained for life, of 40*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Grant, during pleasure, to the king's son John of the manor, town and lordship of Ware, co. Hertford, in the king's hands by reason of the forfeiture of Thomas, late earl of Kent, of the value of 120*l.* yearly, with all lands, rents, services, homages, fees, advowsons, parks, woods, waters, mills, fisheries, franchises, liberties, customs, courts, leets, hundreds, wards, marriages, reliefs, escheats, forfeitures, reversions and other profits and commodities and all arrears. By p.s.

Feb. 16. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Simon de Garderoba of the office of parker of the park of Eston, co. Lincoln, pertaining to the king by the forfeiture of Thomas, late earl of Kent, with the accustomed fees and commodities. By p.s.

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Oct. 13. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's clerk Master Henry Bowet of the manor of Istelworth with all profits and commodities except fees and advowsons, without waste of the wood and deer there, rendering 100 marks yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

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Jan. 24. Westminster. Commission to Thomas Notebeme to buy wheat, malt, beans, peas, oats and other victuals for the garnishing of the castle of Dover and carriage for the same.

MEMBRANE 11.

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Feb. 12. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the prior and convent of Montacute of letters patent dated 1 August, 4 Richard II, inspecting and confirming the following:—

1. A charter dated at Westminster, 27 June, 13 Edward I [*Charter Roll, 13 Edward I, No. 43*], inspecting and confirming the following:—
   (1.) A charter of Henry I.
   (2.) Another charter of the same. [*Monasticon*, V. 166.]
   (3.) A charter of Henry II dated at Westminster. [*Ibid.* 167.]
   (4.) A charter of the same dated at Windsor.
2. A charter dated at Reading, 6 November, 37 Henry III. [*Charter Roll, 37 Henry III, m. 8.*]

For 6 marks paid in the hanaper.

MEMBRANE 10.

Feb. 10. Westminster. Exemplification, at the request of the weavers denizen and alien of London, of letters patent dated 12 March, 3 Richard II, exemplifying the tenour of the enrolment of a memorandum of agreement between them.

Feb. 13. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent (*French*) of Roger de Mortuo Mari, earl of March and Ulster, lord of Wiggemore, Clare, Trim and Connaught, dated 12 September, 21 Richard II, granting for life to Sir John Paunsfot, his bachelor, a yearly rent of 20*l.* from the issues of his castle, lands and lordships of Clifford and Glasebury in the march of Wales.

By p.s. and for 60*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 11. Westminster. Grant for life to Hugh Norburgh of the office of parker of Torpell with the warrens of Ufford and Upton pertaining to it, in the king's hands by reason of the forfeiture of Thomas, late earl of Kent, with the accustomed fees and wages. By p.s.

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Nov. 24. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 30 September, 9 Richard II, granting for life to John Ederyk 10*l.* yearly. By p.s.

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Feb. 12. Westminster. Presentation, directed to the keeper of the spirituality of the bishopric of Carlisle, of John de Grisdale, parson of the church of Scaleby, in the diocese of Carlisle, to the church of Arthred, in the same diocese, on an exchange of benefices with Alan de Kyrbrid. By p.s.

Feb. 16. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Richard Basset, 'chivaler,' of an indenture (*French*) dated at Eppeworth manor, 26 May, 14 Richard II, witnessing that Thomas, earl Marshal and Nottingham, lord of Moubray and Segrave, has retained him for life with an annuity of 10 marks from the manor of Eppeworth in the Isle of Axholm, and the said Richard shall ride with the earl when required with *bouche de courte* for himself and a yeoman and a servant and wages for his horses, and in time of war he shall have such wages as the earl shall have from the king and the earl shall have a third of his gains in war.

By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

1399. Mandate in pursuance to the bailiffs, farmers or occupiers.

Nov. 10. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Philippa, late the wife of John Elkyn, whom she has survived, of letters patent dated 24 June, 14 Richard II, granting to them for life 10*l.* yearly.

By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

MEMBRANE 9.

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Feb. 4. Westminster. Presentatation of Richard Walyngton, chaplain, to the church of St. Paul, Staunford, in the diocese of Lincoln.

Jan. 26. Westminster. Protection for Richard Shelley, clerk, and his men, lands and possessions. By C.

Feb. 10. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 12 February, 4 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 19 May, 17 Edward III, to the mayor and barons of Sandwich.
For 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 10. Westminster. General pardon to Robert Cokerell. By p.s.

Feb. 5. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Philip, the abbot, and the convent of St. Mary de Pratis, Leycestre, of a writing of Philippa de Coucy, duchess of Ireland and countess of Oxford, dated at London, 20 January, 1 Henry IV, releasing to them all her right in the manor and town of Cokerham and Crymbles and the church or advowson of the church of Cokerham or the chapel of Ellale, co. Lancaster, by reason of any chantry or finding of canons or secular chaplains therein or any grant; and release to them of any right of the king therein by reason of the cessation or non-support of any chantries or canons or chaplains or by reason of the above release being made without licence. By K.

Feb. 18. Westminster. Grant to the king's servant William Flaxman of a furred gown of 'motley velvet' of 'damask' late of Thomas, lord le Despenser, in which he was seized without the house of the mayor of Bristol and which is in the hands of the burgesses. By p.s.

Feb. 12. Westminster. Grant to William Mareschal, chaplain, of the custody of the king's free chapel or hermitage at the end of the bridge of Islep, co. Northampton. By p.s.

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Nov. 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 16 October, 17 Richard II, granting to the warden and canons of the king's free chapel within the castle of Wyndesore that they shall have all offerings in the chapel and that certain lasts of herrings shall be distributed between the warden and canons resident. By p.s.

Dec. 24. Westminster. Licence for Adam Teffent, mayor of Salisbury, master of the hospital of Holy Trinity, Salisbury, to acquire in mortmain, after inquisition, lands and rents not held in chief, to the value of 20*s.* yearly in aid of the support of the charges of the hospital and the maintenance of the poor and infirm there. By p.s.

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Feb. 9. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Crosseby of the 20*l.* yearly which the abbot and convent of Byndon used to render to John, late earl of Salisbury, from the issues of the manor of Lulleworth, in the king's hands by his forfeiture. By p.s.

Feb. 17. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Vausour of letters patent dated 11 July, 19 Richard II, granting to him for life 6*d.* daily at the Exchequer.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because with his assent on 19 *July in the thirteenth year the king granted the same for life to John Standyssh, one of the yeomen of the chamber.*

1400. *Membrane* 9—*cont.*

Feb. 15. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of the following :—

1. Letters patent dated 28 May, 16 Richard II, granting for life to Laurence Neweton that he shall be one of the king's serjeants at arms in Ireland.
2. Letters patent under the great seal of Ireland dated at Dublin 8 February, 18 Richard II, granting to him for life 12*d.* daily from the issues of the manors of Esker and Niewecastel of Lyons.

By K. on the information of the earl of Northumberland and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 18. Westminster. Grant to William Stirkeland, elect of Carlisle, of the custody of the temporalities of the bishopric of Carlisle so long as they remain in the king's hands. By K.

MEMBRANE 8.

Feb. 15. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William, the prior, and the convent of Royston of letters patent dated 10 April, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Westminster, 15 October, 18 Edward III [*Charter Roll*, 18 *Edward III*, *No.* 7], inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Westminster, 14 February, 56 Henry III [*Charter Roll*, 56 *Henry III*, *m.* 5], inspecting and confirming a charter dated at St. Edmunds, 18 November, 1 Richard I. For 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 14. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Joan de Caulee of letters patent dated 28 November, 9 Richard II, granting to her for life 10 marks yearly. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 16. Westminster. Grant to the king's firstborn son of the following, late of Thomas Shelleye, deceased, and in the king's hands by his forfeiture, viz. three bowls (*pelves*) of silver gilt on the lips with a shield, argent a fess and three scalops sable, in the middle of each, a cup of silver-gilt with a cover with a shield of the said arms on 'le pomel,' a white bowl and laver of silver, a cup of silver sculptured without on the cover, six white salt-cellars of silver, a white 'plate' of silver for spices, a cup without a cover gilt and sculptured with divers animals, weighing together 29 pounds 4 ounces 5 pennyweights troy, each pound valued at 28*s.*, and a chalice of gold with a paten of the weight of 23 ounces, each ounce valued at 26*s.* 8*d.* By p.s.

Feb. 15. Westminster. Exemption for life for the king's knight John Depden from being put on assizes, juries, inquisitions, attaints or recognitions and from being made sheriff, escheator, coroner, assessor, collector of tenths, fifteenths or other subsidy or bailiff or other officer or minister of the king against his will. By p.s.

Feb. 16. Westminster. Pardon to John Isbury for all treasons and felonies committed by him except murders, rapes and common larceny. By p.s.

Feb. 16. Westminster. Whereas Walter, lord Fitz Wauter and of Wodeham, Robert Teye, esquire, John Hende, citizen of London, John son of William Doreward, John Bridbrook, clerk, William Rokewode, Thomas Toppisfeld, Richard Waltham, Adam Mailond, and William Effeld, parson of the church of Chisshull, acquired a messuage, 60 acres of land, 8 acres of wood, 6 acres of pasture and 8*s.* rent in Little Reynes, held in chief, from Richard Baynard and the latter afterwards entered therein and granted the same to John Asphull and Katharine his wife and Thomas their son and their

1400. *Membrane* 8—*cont.*

heirs and subsequently the said Walter and others released their estate therein to them by writing, without licence; the king, for two marks paid in the hanaper, pardons the trespasses in this and grants to the said John, Katharine and Thomas that they shall have the premises to themselves and their heirs.

Feb. 12. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Woketon of letters patent (*French*) of Thomas, duke of Norfolk, earl of Nottingham, lord of Moubray, Segrave and Gower, dated at London, 14 October, 22 Richard II, granting to him for life the office of keeper of his castle of Bedeford with the ditches surrounding it. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 15. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Grene of the office of parker of the park of Cotyngham and the custody of the manor and foreign wood there, late of Thomas Holand, earl of Kent, deceased, with the accustomed wages, fees and profits. By p.s.

Feb. 17. Westminster. General pardon to Thomas Clympesfold. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 7.

Feb. 10. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Elizabeth Tamworth of letters patent dated 17 July, 21 Richard II, granting to her for life 10 marks yearly. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 12. Westminster. Grant to the king's clerk Master Henry Bowet, who has informed the king that divers injuries and spoliations have been inflicted on his goods and the revenues of his lands and possessions by Master Richard Maudelain to a loss of 500 marks, of all goods, moveable and immoveable, of the latter with the exception of his inn in the city of London, granted to the king's knight John Aynesford. By p.s.

Feb. 14. Westminster. General pardon to John Andreu, at the supplication of the king's mother the countess of Hereford. By p.s.

Feb. 10. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire John Payn of the office of constable of the castle of Norwich and the custody of the castle and gaol there, with the wages, fees and commodities belonging to them, receiving for all the custodies 20*l.* yearly from Michaelmas last from the issues of the counties of Norfolk and Suffolk, as John Craye, deceased, had. By p.s.

1399. Mandate in pursuance to the sheriff.

Nov. 4. Westminster. Grant, during pleasure, of the king's alms, to the Friars Minor of 20*l.* at the Exchequer for their general chapter every third year, viz. at the Easter before the celebration of the same at Whitsuntide, and 15*l.* yearly at Easter at the Exchequer for their provincial chapter, as granted to them by letters patent on 27 July, 20 Richard II, with all arrears from that date. By p.s.

Nov. 23. Westminster. Grant for life to Alexander Langneth, esquire, of 40 marks yearly at the Exchequer; in lieu of a grant to him, made in recompense of his office of salt-water bailiff of Calais, of the manor of Helston in Trigg, co. Cornwall, to hold for life to the same value, by letters patent, surrendered because he cannot enjoy the manor, as the earl of Huntyngdon has an estate therein. By p.s.

1400. *Membrane 7—cont.*

Feb. 15. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Hopcrone of letters patent (*French*) of Thomas, duke of Norfolk, earl of Nottingham, lord of Moubray, Segrave and Gower, dated at Leystoft, co. Suffolk, 22 October, 22 Richard II, granting to him for life, for his service in his present voyage across the sea, an annuity of 40*l.* from the manor of Eppeworth in the Isle of Axihiholm, co. Lincoln. By p.s. and for 30*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 16. Westminster. Grant to Hugh de Holes, 'chivaler,' one of the justices of the King's Bench, and the heirs male of his body, of 4*l.* rent in Neston, Raby, Ledesham, Molynton, Torot, Cestre, Claverton, Bethon, Netherbebynton and Lee by Berterton with the homages and services of the persons paying it, in the king's hands by the forfeiture of John, late earl of Salisbury, and the reversion of the manor of Neston with the advowson of the church of Holy Trinity, Cestre, on the death of Elizabeth, countess of Salisbury, pertaining to the king as above, the manor and rent not exceeding the value of 24*l.* yearly. By p.s.

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Dec. 2. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation, provided that he do not make extortions or oppressions, of letters patent dated 25 February, 1 Richard II, granting for life to John Watson the custody of the bailiwick called Penrethward in the forest of Inglewode. By p s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

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Feb. 11. Westminster. General pardon to John Marleburgh of Horton by Wyndesore. By p.s.

Feb. 19. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Thomas Sayvyll of letters patent dated 19 July, 15 Richard II, granting to him for life 21*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* yearly. By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 19. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Raulyns of letters patent (*French*) of Roger de Mortemer, earl of March and Ulster, lord of Wiggemore, Clare, Trim and Connaught, dated at Kilmaynan in Ireland, 12 October, 21 Richard II, appointing him for life constable of the castle of Clifford and keeper of the park there, receiving 3*d.* daily at the hands of the receiver of the lordship of Clifford. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 23. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight John Cheyne of 100 marks yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 26 *November in the said year the king granted to him* 100 *marks yearly from the farm of* 210 *marks which he and Thomas Horston, king's clerk, are bound to pay yearly at the Exchequer for the custody of the profits belonging to the rectories of the churches of Newent, Bokford and Dymmok annexed to the alien priory of Newent, co. Gloucester, and Frompton annexed to the alien priory of Frompton, co. Dorset.*

1399. *MEMBRANE 6.*

Nov. 20. Westminster. Exemplification, at the request of William Lile, of the tenour of the enrolment of letters patent dated 24 November, 21 Richard II, granting to him for life 40*l.* yearly. These letters have been accidentally lost, as he has taken oath before Philip la Vache, and will be surrendered if found, as the said Philip has certified.

Vacated by surrender.

1400. *Membrane* 6—*cont.*

Feb. 18. Westminster. Grant for life to John de Rochefort, 'chivaler,' of the office of steward of Brune, Depyng, Gretham and all other manors and lands late of Thomas, late earl of Kent, in the county of Lincoln, receiving the accustomed fees and wages. By p.s.

Feb. 18. Westminster. Grant to the king's sister Elizabeth Lancastre late the wife of John Holand, late earl of Huntyngdon, of 1,000 marks yearly from the petty custom in the port of London until she be provided by the king with lands to that value for her maintenance.
By K. on the information of the treasurer.

Feb. 18. Westminster. Grant to the king's knight John Dalyngregg of all woods cut down and to be cut down pertaining to the manors of Wyltyng and Holyngton, co. Sussex, and especially all the wood cut down and growing in a place called 'Bulwerheth.' By p.s.

Feb. 16. Westminster. Presentation of John Colles to the church of Bynbrok, in the diocese of Lincoln.

Feb. 18. Westminster. Grant, during pleasure to the king's servant William Galby of the offices of tronage and pesage with 'le felbyndynge' in the port of London, with the accustomed fees and wages, notwithstanding any previous grant made by the treasurer. By p.s.

Feb. 7. Westminster. Grant to the king's knight John Dabrichecourt and his heirs and assigns of the manor of Cotesmore, co. Rutland, late of John Bussy, 'chivaler,' deceased, and in the king's hands by his forfeiture, worth 21*l.* yearly, with fees, advowsons, liberties, franchises, customs, rents, services, courts, leets and other things, and all the clothing and goods in it. By p.s.

Feb. 18. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire John Lodewyk of 20*l.* yearly from the issues of the counties of Essex and Hertford. By K.

The like to John Dureham, esquire.

Feb. 14. Westminster. Exemption for life of John de Bourgcher, 'chivaler,' from coming to Parliament or council and from being made justice of the peace, arrayer of men at arms or archers or other officer of the king against his will.
By p.s.

Feb. 16. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Thomas Denton of 12*l.* yearly at the hands of the prior of Huntyngdon, which the prior used to pay to the king's progenitors for the manor and mills of Hereford by Huntyngdon and which William Gambon had of the grant of Edward III.

Feb. 5. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the mayor, bailiffs, burgesses and commonalty of the town of Walyngford of letters patent dated 14 June, 19 Richard II, releasing them for 20 years of a moiety of their fee-farm of 42*l.* By p.s. and for 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 19. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Thomas Gerard of the custody of the manor and lordship of Haveryng and the office of warrener of Haveryng, pertaining to the king by the forfeiture of John Wynbusch, who had the same of the grant of Richard II, with 6*d.* daily from the issues of the manor and lordship and the office of surveyor of the park of Haveryng, pertaining to the king as above. By p.s.

Feb. 28. Westminster. Grant for life to John Daprichecourt, 'chivaler,' of the manors of Merdale, Capell and Mapulhurst, co. Kent, with knights' fees, advowsons of churches, rents, reversions, services and other appurtenances, late of

1399. *Membrane* 6—*cont.*

Thomas Shelley, 'chivaler,' of his own perquisition and in the king's hands by his forfeiture and not exceeding the value of 30*l.* yearly. By K.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 8 *February in the second year the king granted the same to him from the said* 23 *February notwithstanding certain other grants.*

Dec. 16. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's brother Ralph, lord of Neville, earl of Westmoreland, of the office of marshal of England with all offices, commodities, profits and other appurtenances as fully as Thomas de Brotherton, sometime earl of Norfolk and marshal of England, or Roger le Bygot, sometime earl of Norfolk and marshal of England, or anyone else after their deaths or Thomas, late duke of Norfolk, had. Grant also that the office of marshal in the King's Bench, which John Wykes holds for life, the office of marshal of the Exchequer, which Richard Gascoigne holds for life, and the office of crier marshal before the steward and marshal of the household, which Guy de Allesley holds for life, shall remain to him on their deaths and these and all other offices pertaining in times past to the office of marshal of England be reunited to it, and he shall have the grant of them. And grant that by reason of his office he shall bear a golden stick ringed with black at either end, with the king's arms at the upper end and his own arms at the lower end, notwithstanding that his predecessors have born a wooden stick. [*Fœdera.*] By p.s.

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Feb. 21. Westminster. Grant to the king's kinsman Thomas de Beauchamp, earl of Warwick, of those goods at present in the castle of Warwick late of Thomas, late earl of Kent, and pertaining to the king by his forfeiture, viz. an entire bed of red 'damasq' embroidered with 'oystrychfetheres' with a coverlet, a 'testre,' an entire 'celure,' three 'curtyns' of red 'tartaryn,' 18 cloths (*tapetis*) of tapestry work of the same suit, six 'quisshyns' of cloth of red 'damask' with a 'tranasoun' of red sendal, an entire bed of red 'satyn,' viz. a coverlet, a 'testre,' an entire 'celour,' three 'curtyns' of red 'tartaryne' embroidered with the arms of the earl of Stafford, seven red cloths of tapestry work, an old 'materasse' of red 'tarteryne,' an entire bed of red 'satyn' worked with roses of plate of gold, viz. a coverlet, a 'testre,' an entire 'celure,' three 'curtyns' of the same suit, five old cloths of the king's arms, six 'quisshyns' of red 'satyn,' a pallet bed of red and black 'worstede,' viz. a coverlet, a 'testre,' an entire 'celure' embroidered with fawns (*hinulis*), three 'curtyns,' three cloths of the same suit, a coverlet, three pallet cloths of red and black 'worstede' embroidered with the arms of Kent, a dosser (*dorserium*) and two side pieces (*costeras*) for the hall of black 'worstede' embroidered with the arms of Kent, a frail and old cloth of gold with seven 'quysshyns' of black 'baudekyn,' a pallet cloth of white, green and black, and a dorsal with four side pieces of work of arras with the history of Guy de Warrewyk, late of the king's said kinsman and in the custody of the king's esquire Richard Gest at Wyndesore. By p.s.

Feb. 20. Westminster. Protection for John Holt and William de Burgh, knights, with licence for them to dwell in the realm as able in the law and lieges of the king, in accordance with the statute at Westminster, 20 Richard II. [*Rolls of Parliament*, III. 346.] By K. and C.

Feb. 23. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Robert Tendale of 6*d.* daily at the hands of the sheriffs of London. By p.s.

Vacated because elsewhere in this year.

1400. *Membrane* 6—*cont.*

Feb. 22. Westminster. General pardon to John Hygyn. By p.s.

Feb. 24. Westminster. Richard Hautesford of Bristol, staying in England, has letters nominating John Berde and John Bolly his attorneys in Ireland for one year. John Roderham, clerk, received the attorneys.

MEMBRANE 5.

Feb. 16. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Leche of the following :—
1. Letters patent 20 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 30 December, 50 Edward III.
2. Letters patent dated 17 January, 5 Richard II, granting to him for life 10*l.* yearly from the profits of the king's mills on the river Dee, co. Chester.
3. Letters patent dated 8 July, 15 Richard II, granting to him for life the township or manor called Moston, co. Flint.

By p.s. and for 30*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 11. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire John de Riche of 40 marks yearly in the hanaper. By p.s.

Feb. 17. Westminster. Grant to John Coryngham, clerk of the king's closet, of the wardenship of the hospital of St. Mary, Wyche, co. Worcester. By p.s.

Feb. 18. Westminster. Exemption for life of Henry Bon of Plymmouth, merchant and mariner, from being put on assizes, juries, inquisitions, attaints or other recognitions and from being made trier of the same, sheriff, escheator, coroner, assessor, collector of tenths, fifteenths or other subsidies or officer, bailiff or other minister of the king. By p.s.

Feb. 19. Westminster. Presentation of John Peneshall, vicar of the church of Bishop's Wôborne, in the diocese of Lincoln, to the church of Swyncoumbe, in the same diocese, on an exchange of benefices with Henry Myldhurst.

Feb. 20. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Boost, provided that he do not make oppressions or extortions, of letters patent dated 15 June, 18 Richard II, granting to him for life that he shall be one of the foresters in the forest of Ingelwode.

By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 20. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Hugh Norburgh of 40*l.* yearly from the 80*l.* coming to the king from the farm of the forest of Rokyngham. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 6 *August in the sixth year the king granted to him for life the office of master forester of Rothebury and* 40*l. yearly from the issues of the lordship of Rothebury.*

Feb. 15. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant William Benys of 8*d.* daily from the issues of the county of Northampton. By p.s.

Feb. 18. Westminster. Grant for life of the king's alms to Isabel the wife of John London, 'taillour,' who already in her youth has become blind so that she cannot help herself or maintain her seven infants, of 2*d.* daily at the Exchequer. By p.s.

1400. *Membrane 5—cont.*

Feb. 20. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 15 September, 22 Richard II, granting to Edward, duke of Albemarle, and the heirs male of his body, the castle, town and lordship of Okham, co. Rutland, and the forest of Rutland. By p.s. and for 60*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 23. Westminster. Grant to the king's clerk John Prentys of the wardenship of the chapel of Wemstede Grene. By p.s.

Feb. 23. Westminster. Grant to the king's clerk John Arondell of the wardenship of the hospital of St. James, Thirlowe. By p.s.

Feb. 21. Westminster. Protection for John Brakkelegh, late servant of John, late earl of Huntyngdon, and his men, lands, rents, and goods; as through the malice of his enemies all his lands and goods have been seized by certain officers of the king. By p.s.

The like for the following:—
William Yerd.
John Carswille le fitz.
John Carswille le piere.
By the same writ.

MEMBRANE 4.

Feb. 19. Westminster. Grant to Robert Lyncoln of the custody of the alien priories of Wenghale and Ravendale, co. Lincoln, from Michaelmas last during the war with France with all profits and all arrears due to the king, and grant that if he removed by the conclusion of peace or otherwise he shall have 20*l.* yearly for life at the Exchequer; in recompense of the office of the pesage of wools in the town of Suthampton, of the yearly value of 20*l.*, which Richard II granted to him for life and the king confirmed to him, but which he cannot enjoy because the king has granted it to Robert Bergh. By p.s.
Vacated because in the second year.

Feb. 19. Westminster. Grant for life to John Bretby of 10 marks yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Feb. 20. Westminster. Grant for life to John Colpeper of 10*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Feb. 21. Westminster. Presentation of Robert Trays, chaplain, to the church of Wadenho, in the diocese of Lincoln.

Feb. 19. Westminster. Whereas Louis de Clifford, 'chivaler,' granted to John de Montagu, 'chivaler,' late earl of Salisbury, Philip la Vache, 'chivaler,' Thomas Latymer, 'chivaler,' and John Cheyny, 'chivaler,' and their heirs the castle, manor and lordship of Ewyas Harald in the marches of Wales to fulfil his will and afterwards received the issues thereof, and the king's kinsman William de Beauchamp bargained the same, the king confirms the estate which the said Philip, Thomas and John have in the same, notwithstanding the forfeiture of the said earl. By p.s.

Feb. 19. Westminster. Grant for life, in aid of her estate, to the king's kinswoman Constance late the wife of Thomas, late lord le Despenser, of the manors of Caversham, Burford and Shipton, co. Oxford, the manor of Sobbury and the burgage of Chepynsobbury, co. Gloucester, the manors of Great Merlowe, co. Buckingham, Perlethorpe, co. Nottingham, Bautre, co.

1400. *Membrane 4—cont.*

York, and Wynterton, co. Warwick, the castle and town of Lantrussan with the lordships of Meskyn and Glynrotheney, the manor of Cloune with the hamlets of Combrehenok, Pentirgh and Radur, the castle and town of Kenfegg with the lordship of Tiriarth, the manor of Bonyarton and certain lands in Griffythesmore, extended at 1,000 marks yearly on the death of Edward, lord le Despenser, father of the said Thomas, to hold with all profits, franchises, liberties, forests, wards, marriages, escheats, reliefs and royalties as the said Thomas did, provided that she shall answer at the Exchequer for any surplus that may appear by any extent. By p.s.

Feb. 16. Westminster. Licence, for 40*l.* paid in the hanaper by the prioress and nuns of St. Mary, Campesse, for Robert Asshfeld, Robert Hotoft and Robert Rendlesham to grant in mortmain to them the manor called Blomvyles by Perham, a cottage, a toft, 57 acres of land, 9 acres of meadow, 4 acres of pasture, 2 acres of wood and 3*s.* 3*d.* rent in Hachiston, Rendlesham, Ayssh and Wykham Market and the advowson of the church of Petristre, not held in chief, and for them to appropriate the said church in mortmain.

Feb. 18. Westminster. Whereas Elizabeth late the wife of William de Botreaux, 'chivaler,' the elder, agreed with the treasurer to have the custody of all manors and lands late of William de Botreaux, 'chivaler,' the younger, son of the said William, tenant in chief, with parks, warrens, fairs, markets, franchises, liberties, rents, services and profits from Michaelmas last during the minority of William the son and heir of the said William the younger with his marriage without disparagement, paying 700 marks at the Exchequer, of which and of 77*l.* 16*s.* 2¾*d.* due to the king from her in time past for the custody she is to pay 144*l.* 9*s.* 6¾*d.* in hand and the remainder in three yearly instalments; the king grants that she shall have the custody and marriage from heir to heir during minority and if the heir now surviving die unmarried before the end of the three years with his heir of full age and married she shall be quit of the sum remaining to be paid, and pardons to her the 77*l.* 16*s.* 2¾*d.* By p.s.

Vacated because otherwise in this year.

Feb. 21. Westminster. Grant to the king's knight John Cheyne, to whom by mainprise of Roger Swynerton of the county of Stafford and Thomas Lytelton of the county of Worcester the king committed the custody of the manors of Newent and Kyngeston and the temporalities of the priory of Newent in the counties of Gloucester and Hereford belonging to the alien abbey of St. Mary, Cormeilles, from Michaelmas last during the war with France, rendering to the king 54*l.* yearly at the Exchequer and 20 marks yearly in addition for the support of a prior there and other charges, that he shall not be expelled if anyone is willing to give more for the same. By p.s.

Feb. 18. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Robert Duffeld of 10 marks yearly from the revenues of the town of Northampton. By p.s.

Feb. 18. Westminster. Mandate in pursuance to the bailiffs.

Feb. 21. Westminster. Grant for life to Blanche Bradstone of 200 marks yearly from the customs of wools in the port of London. By p.s.

1400. *Membrane 4—cont.*

Feb. 23. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Harpeden of letters patent dated 14 April, 22 Richard II, granting to him for life 20*l.* yearly. By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 17 November in the sixth year, by letters patent under the seal of the duchy of Lancaster, the king granted to him by the name of William Asunhull, usher of his chamber, and Joan de Burgh his wife, by reason of their marriage, 40l. yearly for life from the issues of the lands and lordships pertaining to the duchy in the counties of Norfolk, Suffolk and Cambridge.

Feb. 24. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Henry Morley of 10*l.* yearly from the custom and subsidy in the port of Kyngeston on Hull. By p.s.
Vacated because in the third year.

The like to Henry Maunsell, esquire. By the same writ.
Vacated because in the third year.

1399.

Nov. 5. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Queldryk of letters patent dated 20 August, 9 Richard II, granting to him for life 6*d.* daily. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

1400.

Feb. 24. Westminster. Appointment, during good behaviour, of Stephen Makesey as controller and assayer of the king's mint within the Tower of London, receiving the accustomed wages and fees. By bill of the treasurer.

MEMBRANE 3.

Feb. 19. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Robert Nevile of 10*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Feb. 17. Westminster. Grant for life to John Spenser, late esquire of the king's uncle the duke of Gloucester, deceased, of 100*s.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Feb. 18. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's clerk Peter de Harchemont of 10*l.* yearly from the issues of the county of Hertford. By p.s.

Feb. 18. Westminster. Grant to the king's sister Elizabeth Lancastre late the wife of John, late earl of Huntyngdon, of two beds of silk with a coverlet furred with 'menever' with their cloths and belongings (*apparatu*), late of the said earl and in the hands of the mayor of London as escheator of that city. By p.s.

Feb. 21. Westminster. Grant to the king's brother Henry, bishop of Lincoln, in recompense of 100*l.* due to him from Thomas, late earl of Kent, of 100*l.* from the price of divers silver vessels and other goods and harness late of the said Thomas and seized at Lyverpole by the sheriff of Lancaster. By p.s.

1399.

Dec. 7. Westminster. Grant to Philip Repyndon, the abbot, and the convent of St. Mary, Leycestre, for the support of the charges of the abbey, of 245*l.* yearly during the war with France from the farm of the alien priory of Ware. By K.

Nov. 2. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight William de Elmham of 100*l.* yearly at the Exchequer, in lieu of a like grant in the hands of the chamberlain of North Wales by letters patent of the king's uncle the prince, confirmed by letters patent of Richard II, surrendered. By p.s.

Membrane 8—*cont.*

1400. Feb. 28. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire William Jorse of 12*d.* daily at the Exchequer. By p.s.

1399. Nov. 17. Westminster. Grant for life to John Spaldyng of 6*d.* daily from the customs in the port of Boston. By p.s.

1400. Feb. 28. Westminster. Whereas all the lands and goods late of Thomas Wynterselle are in the king's hands by reason of his forfeiture, the king grants to Joan late the wife of the said Thomas and his esquire John de Waterton the custody of the said lands in the counties of Southampton and Surrey with all profits as long as they remain in his hands with the custody and marriage of the infants of the said Thomas and all goods, rents and other commodities with arrears in the said counties late of the said Thomas. By p.s.

Feb. 28. Westminster. Grant to Robert Cras *alias* Porter of all his goods forfeited to the king. By p.s.

1399. Oct. 6. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire William Holt son of Marjory late the wife of Walter Holt of the manor of Aston, co. Warwick, of which she was lately seised and for greater security enfeoffed the king's father the duke of Lankastre, deceased, and others. By p.s.

1400. Feb. 10. Westminster. Licence for the alienation in mortmain by Walter Power to the dean and canons of the collegiate church of St. Mary, Warrewyk, of the manor of Hethcote, not held in chief, worth 40*s.* yearly, as appears by an inquisition taken before Guy Spyne, escheator of the late king, to hold to the value of 12 marks yearly in part satisfaction of a licence by letters patent of Richard II.

Feb. 15. Westminster. Grant to Joan late the wife of Bernard Brocas, knight, deceased, of all his goods forfeited to the king, for the payment of his debts, amounting to 800 marks and more, and the support of their five children; and grant to her for life of a third part of all manors, lands, rents and services forfeited to the king by reason of the judgement against him. By p.s.

Feb. 23. Westminster. Grant to the king's kinswoman Elizabeth late the wife of Thomas, late duke of Norfolk, deceased, John Rome, clerk, Robert Goushill, Richard de Burgh, Thomas de Brumham and Bartholomew de Bozan of all remaining goods of the said duke and all debts due to him which may be adjudged to the king by reason of his indebtedness to Richard II with 1,000*l.* lately granted to her by the king, for the payment of his debts. By p.s.

Feb. 20. Westminster. Licence, for 20 marks paid by them in the hanaper, for William Wenlok, John Styuecle and John Olney to enfeoff William Heron, 'chivaler,' Philip la Vache, 'chivaler,' Thomas Latymer, 'chivaler,' John Cheyney, 'chivaler,' William Stourton and John de Carleton of the manor of Sutton Valence, co. Kent, held in chief.

Jan. 15. Westminster. Grant to Henry Hamerton, clerk, of the prebend of Haydour with Walton in the cathedral church of Lincoln. By p.s.

Mandate in pursuance to H. bishop of Lincoln. By the same writ.

Mandate in pursuance to the dean and chapter. By the same writ.

Feb. 28. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John de Wydeford of letters patent dated 8 March, 39 Edward III, and letters patent dated 20 May, 2 Richard II, inspecting and confirming the same. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

1400. *MEMBRANES 2 and 1.*

Feb. 11. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the prioress and convent of SS. Mary and Margaret, Dertford, of the following: —

1. Letters patent dated 15 July, 4 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent of the following dates:—
   20 July, 46 Edward III. [*Monasticon*, VI. 538.]
   16 July, 31 Edward III. [*Ibid.* 539.]
   18 April, 47 Edward III.
   1 September, 31 Edward III.
   27 January, 40 Edward III.
   28 June, 49 Edward III.
2. Letters patent dated 29 June, 28 Edward III, granting licence for them to acquire two messuages and 10 acres of land in Dertford.
3. Letters patent dated 3 September, 8 Richard II. [*Monasticon*, VI. 549.]
4. Letters patent dated 17 July, 16 Richard II, granting to them in frank almoin certain possessions in Dertford and London.

By K. and by p.s.

Membrane 1—cont.

Feb. 15. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Robert de Staveley of letters patent dated 20 September, 22 Richard II, granting to him for life 20*l.* yearly.
By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 26. Westminster. Grant to John Chaundeler, clerk, of those swans in the river Avene late of Thomas Blount, 'chivaler,' and pertaining to the king by his forfeiture, to the number of six couples or less. By p.s.

1399.

Dec. 7. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the prior and convent of the house of St. Michael of the Carthusian order by Kyngeston on Hull of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 18 April, 5 Richard II, granting to them a tun of wine of Gascony yearly.
2. A charter dated at Easthampstead, 1 May, 8 Richard II. [*Monasticon* VI. 21.]

And grant to them of arrears of the wine. By p.s.

Dec. 16. Westminster. Whereas Richard II granted to the prior and convent of Pritewell that they might appropriate the churches of Estwode and Northshobury, which were of their own advowson, as appears by letters of privy seal in the Chancery, and sent to the pope to obtain a grant, which at his instance was granted, and they considered that this was sufficient and held the churches to their own use without licence under the great seal; the king considering the intention of the late king and the poverty of the house grants to them the advowsons of the said churches and all his right therein, with licence to appropriate the churches in mortmain, and pardons to them the forfeiture incurred.
By p.s. and for 40 marks paid in the hanaper.

1400.

Feb. 9. Westminster. Grant for life to William Sterky, messenger of the king's kinsman the earl of Northumberland, of 6*d.* daily at the Exchequer. By p.s.

March 12. Westminster. Grant for life to Matthew de Gournay of 300 marks yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

1399.

Membrane 1—*cont.*

Nov. 12. Westminster. Grant to the king's esquire Sampson Grenewyche that he shall be one of the king's serjeants at arms, receiving for life 12*d.* daily from the petty custom in the port of London and a robe yearly at the great wardrobe. By p.s.

Oct. 1. Westminster. Whereas Matthew Danthorpe, hermit, has without licence begun to build a chapel in a place called 'Ravenserespourne' where the king landed at his last coming into England; the king pardons the trespass in this and grants the said place with the chapel to him and his successors in mortmain, with wreck of sea and waif and all other profits on the sand for two leagues round, saving to the chief lord of the fee royal fishes. [*Fœdera.*] By K.

MEMBRANES 38*d*—36*d.*

Commissions of the peace in various counties pursuant to the statutes at Winchester, Northampton and Westminster and the ordinances there and at Cambridge. [*For the names of the justices see* Appendix.] By C.

MEMBRANE 35*d.*

Nov. 2. Westminster. Commission *de walliis et fossatis* to Laurence de Allerthorpe, one of the barons of the Exchequer, Thomas de Metham, 'chivaler,' William Chetwyn, 'chivaler,' Gerard de Ursflet, 'chivaler,' William Gascoigne, Robert Tyrwhyt, Robert de Waterton, Hugh de Arderne, William Hundegate and William Lodyngton between the town of Pokelyngton and the waters of Humbre and Derwent and within the wapentake of Herthill and the liberty of Houeden in the county of York.

Dec. 13. Westminster. Commission to John Herle, 'chivaler,' Ralph Botreaux, 'chivaler,' James Chuddelegh, 'chivaler,' William Stourton, Thomas Lyon, Thomas Knap, William Frome, John Copleston, Robert Markeley, serjeant at arms, and the sheriffs of Bristol, Somerset, Cornwall and Devon to enquire about the taking of tin not coined or customed in the same counties out of the realm and about the concealment of the goods late of Richard II, William Lescrope, late earl of Wiltshire, John Bussy, 'chivaler,' and Henry Grene, 'chivaler,' and others who were on the service of the said late king on his last voyage to Ireland and returned to England by those counties.

Dec. 18. Westminster. Commission of array to John Cobham, Thomas de Erpyngham, constable of Dover castle and warden of the Cinque Ports, Thomas Fogg, Thomas Colepepir, Arnald Savage, Richard Hoo, John Frenyngham, Thomas Brokhole, Thomas Lodelowe and the sheriff in the county of Kent, certifying thereon to the king and council before the octaves of the Purification. By K.

The like to the following in the counties named:—

Thomas, earl of Arundel, Thomas Camoys, 'chivaler,' Thomas Ponynges, 'chivaler,' John Boun, John Dalyngrigge, 'chivaler,' Thomas Sakevyll, 'chivaler,' William Fyenys, 'chivaler,' William Percehay, 'chivaler,' William Echyngham and the sheriff, in the county of Sussex.

Thomas, earl of Arundel, Nicholas Carrev, John Bentley, Thomas Wyntreshull, Ralph de Codyngton and the sheriff, in the county of Surrey.

1399.

Membrane 35d—cont.

Thomas, earl of Arundel, Thomas Camoys, 'chivaler,' Thomas Ponynges, 'chivaler,' John Pelham, 'chivaler,' Thomas Skelton, 'chivaler,' John Lisle, 'chivaler,' Henry de Popham, William Ryngebourn, Robert Cholmeley and the sheriff, in the county of Southampton.

John Lovell of Tychemerssh, 'chivaler,' John Roche, 'chivaler,' Ralph Cheyne, 'chivaler,' Walter Hungreford, 'chivaler,' John Lillebon, 'chivaler,' John Bonham, Thomas Bonham and the sheriff, in the county of Wilts.

Walter Cokesey, 'chivaler,' Henry Bruyn, Henry Haggeley, Alexander Besseford, John Littelton, Thomas Hodynton, Thomas Throkemerton and the sheriff, in the county of Worcester.

John de Charleton of Powys, Hugh Burnell, 'chivaler,' William Hugford, 'chivaler,' Adam Peshale, 'chivaler,' Peter Careswall, 'chivaler,' Henry Grendon, Thomas Yong, William Slep and the sheriff in the county of Salop.

Edmund, earl of Stafford, John de Ardern, 'chivaler,' Robert Fraunceys, 'chivaler,' Edward Botiller, 'chivaler,' Robert Malveysyn, 'chivaler,' John Bagot, 'chivaler,' William Walshale, Richard Hernyll, Adam Seyntcler and the sheriff, in the county of Stafford.

Thomas, earl of Warwick, William de Clynton, 'chivaler,' William de Asteley, Thomas de Asteley, 'chivaler,' Robert Goushill, Thomas Sayvyll, Guy Spyne, Thomas de Meryngton and the sheriff, in the county of Warwick.

Michael de la Pole, earl of Suffolk, William Elmham, 'chivaler,' John Henyngham, 'chivaler,' William Argentein, 'chivaler,' Roger Drury, 'chivaler,' John Burgh, esquire, Robert de Peyton, esquire, Thomas Hethe, esquire, and the sheriff, in the county of Suffolk.

William Roos of Hamelak, Ralph Recheford, 'chivaler,' John Bozun, 'chivaler,' John Walssh, 'chivaler,' Richard Shropshire, William Bolle and the sheriff, in the parts of Kesteven, co. Lincoln.

William Willughby, 'chivaler,' Philip le Spenser, 'chivaler,' Walter Tailboys, 'chivaler,' Henry Retford, 'chivaler,' Gerard Sutyll, 'chivaler,' Robert Comberworth, esquire, Thomas Missinden, esquire, Richard Haunsard, esquire, John Skipwith, esquire, and the sheriff, in the parts of Lindesey, co. Lincoln.

Philip la Despenser, 'chivaler,' John Recheford, 'chivaler,' John Colvyle, 'chivaler,' John de Meres, John Belle, John Toup, Thomas Welby and the sheriff, in the parts of Holand, co. Lincoln.

MEMBRANE 34d.

Richard Seymour, 'chivaler,' Robert de Haryndon, Matthew Gournay, Thomas Artour, Baldwin Malet, John Lutrell, Thomas Lyons, John Erle, John Wike, John Ive and the sheriff, in the county of Somerset.

1399. *Membrane 84d—cont.*

Humphrey de Stafford, 'chivaler,' Ivo Fitz Waryn, 'chivaler,' John Moigne, 'chivaler,' Robert Tubervile, Robert Latemer, 'chivaler,' John Frome, esquire, John Parle, esquire, Theobald Wykham, esquire, John Frompton, esquire, Morgan Goof and the sheriff, in the county of Dorset.

Philip Courtenay, Hugh Courtenay, John Denham, James Chuddelegh, Thomas Brook, William Bonevyle, Martin Ferers, William Beaumond, John Streche and the sheriff, in the county of Devon.

John Arundell, 'chivaler,' William Lambourn, 'chivaler,' John Herle, 'chivaler,' William Talbot, 'chivaler,' Thomas Peverell, esquire, John Colleshill, esquire, William Botregan, esquire, ——— Walesburgh, esquire, Geoffrey Seint Aubyn, esquire, John Trefarthean, esquire, and the sheriff, in the county of Cornwall.

Fulk Pembrugge, 'chivaler,' Baldwin Berford, 'chivaler,' Hugh Wolf, 'chivaler,' William Lysle, 'chivaler,' the younger, Peter Besile, 'chivaler,' John Golofre, Thomas Barentyn, John Wilcotes, and the sheriff, in the county of Oxford.

Aymer de Sancto Amando, Richard Abberbury, 'chivaler,' William Langford, 'chivaler,' John Drayton, 'chivaler,' Laurence Dru, John Arches, Philip Fitz Waryn, Edmund Spersholt and the sheriff, in the county of Berks.

Thomas Berkeley of Berkeley, 'chivaler,' John Berkeley, 'chivaler,' Hugh Waterton, 'chivaler,' Maurice Russell, 'chivaler,' Robert Whityngton, Robert Poyns and the sheriff, in the county of Gloucester.

William Beauchamp of Bergeveny, 'chivaler,' Walter Devereux, 'chivaler,' Thomas Barre, 'chivaler,' Kynard de la Bere, 'chivaler,' Robert Wytteney, 'chivaler,' John Clanvowe, 'chivaler,' William Lucy, 'chivaler,' Thomas Wallewayn and the sheriff in the county of Hereford.

John, lord of Lovell, William Esturmy, 'chivaler,' Ralph Cheyny, 'chivaler,' John Lislebon, 'chivaler,' William Stourton, John Gowayn, Thomas Calston, Edward Hales, William Werston, and the sheriff, in the county of Wilts.

1400.
Jan. 28. Westminster. Thomas Erpyngham, constable of Dover castle and warden of the Cinque Ports, or his lieutenant there, Reginald Braybrok, 'chivaler,' Thomas Clynton, 'chivaler,' Thomas Colepeper, 'chivaler,' Thomas Fogg, 'chivaler,' Arnald Savage, 'chivaler,' William Septvanz, 'chivaler,' Nicholas Haute, 'chivaler,' William Barry, 'chivaler,' John Frenyngham, Thomas Brokhill, Reginald Pympe, Reginald Cobeham, John Digge, William Bettenham, John Colpepir, Richard Berham, Henry Horne, Richard Combe, Peter Combe, Walter Roo, Thomas Lodelowe and the sheriff, in the county of Kent.

1399.
Dec. 18. Westminster. Henry, earl of Northumberland, Ralph, earl of Westmoreland, John Colvyle, 'chivaler,' John Willymote, John Burgh and the sheriff, in the North Riding in the county of York. By K.

1399. *Membrane* 34*d*—*cont.*

Robert de Hilton, 'chivaler,' Thomas Ughtred, 'chivaler,' John de Ask, Walter de Rudstane, Hugh de Ardern and the sheriff, in the East Riding in the county of York. By K.

William de Ferrariis of Groby, 'chivaler,' John de Eynesford, 'chivaler,' Thomas Maureward, 'chivaler,' John Burdet, 'chivaler,' John Calvele, 'chivaler,' Henry Nevyll, 'chivaler,' John Wodeford, Thomas Assheby of Quenby, and the sheriff, in the county of Leicester.

Thomas Grene, 'chivaler,' Nicholas Lillyng, 'chivaler,' Giles Malory, 'chivaler,' Alured Trussell, 'chivaler,' John Mulsho, John Tyndale, John Wodevile, Ralph Pales and the sheriff, in the county of Northampton.

Hugh Browe, 'chivaler,' Oliver Mauleverer, Hugh Grenham, Thomas Oudeby, John Pensax, Girus Floure and the sheriff, in the county of Rutland.

Reginald de Grey of Ruthyn, Gerard Braybrok, 'chivaler,' the elder, Baldwin Seint George, 'chivaler,' Baldwin Pycot, 'chivaler,' Thomas Pevre, John Worship, Reginald Ragon, William Tiryngton and the sheriff, in the county of Bedford.

Thomas Sakevyle, 'chivaler,' Thomas Aylesbury, 'chivaler,' Hugh Berwyk, 'chivaler,' Edmund Hamden and the sheriff, in the county of Buckingham.

Walter Fitz Wauter, 'chivaler,' Bartholomew Bousser, 'chivaler,' John Howard, 'chivaler,' Alexander Goldyngton, 'chivaler,' William Coggeshale, 'chivaler,' John Durward, Robert Teye, Thomas Coggeshale, Thomas Gotheston and the sheriff, in the county of Essex.

Robert Turk, 'chivaler,' Robert Neweport, John Ludewyk, John Duresme, John Riggewyn, — Perrers, Richard del Pantrye and the sheriff, in the county of Hertford.

Edmund de la Pole, 'chivaler,' Payn Tiptot, 'chivaler,' William Castelacre, 'chivaler,' Richard Heselden, John de Brunne, Robert de Parys, — Braunston and the sheriff, in the county of Cambridge.

William Moigne, 'chivaler,' William Papworth, 'chivaler,' John Knyvet, John Wauton, Richard Hemyngford, John Harlyngton and the sheriff, in the county of Huntingdon.

Thomas Bardolf, 'chivaler,' Robert Scales, 'chivaler,' Ralph Shelton, 'chivaler,' Robert Barney, 'chivaler,' John White, 'chivaler,' John Straunge, 'chivaler,' Thomas Geneye, Ralph Lovell, 'chivaler,' William Rees, esquire, Henry Recheford, 'chivaler,' and the sheriff, in the county of Norfolk.

1400.

Jan. 23. Westminster. Thomas, earl of Arundel, Thomas Camoys, 'chivaler,' Nicholas Carreu, John Bentley, John Bonet and the sheriff, in the county of Surrey.

1399.

Dec. 18. Westminster. Thomas Ponynges, 'chivaler,' Thomas Camoys, 'chivaler,' John Pelham, 'chivaler,' Thomas Skelton, 'chivaler,' John Lisle, 'chivaler,' Ingelram Bruyn, 'chivaler,' John Popham, 'chivaler,' Henry Popham, William Ryngeborn, Robert Cholmeley, Philip

1399. *Membrane 34d—cont.*

Baynard, John Skyllyng, Nicholas Bray, William Marchall, John Chaumflour, Thomas Colyngton and the sheriff, in the county of Southampton.

Thomas Sakevyll, 'chivaler,' Thomas Aylesbury, 'chivaler,' Hugh Berwyk, 'chivaler,' John Tiryngham, 'chivaler,' John Reynes, 'chivaler,' William Molyns, Simon Darches, Roger Dayrell, Thomas Lynford, Edmund Brudenell, John Barton, Edmund Hamden and the sheriff, in the county of Buckingham.

Ralph Cromwell, 'chivaler,' Hugh Shirleye, 'chivaler,' Nicholas Strelley, 'chivaler,' Thomas Hercy, 'chivaler,' Richard Stanhope, 'chivaler,' John Gaytford, esquire, Robert Morton, esquire, John Wastnesse, Hugh Crecy and the sheriff, in the county of Nottingham.

Nicholas Moungomery, 'chivaler,' Thomas de Wendesleye, 'chivaler,' John Cokayn, 'luncle,' 'chivaler,' Nicholas Goushill, 'chivaler,' Ralph Frechfeld, 'chivaler,' Nicholas Langford, 'chivaler,' John Curson of Ketilston, William Adderley, esquire, and the sheriff, in the county of Derby.

Thomas de Nevylle of Halumshire, Roger Swillyngton, 'chivaler,' John Depeden, 'chivaler,' John Sayvill, 'chivaler,' Richard Tempest, 'chivaler,' Robert Waterton, John Ingelby, — Clarell, esquire, and the sheriff, in the West Riding in the county of York.

Stephen Lescrope of Masham, 'chivaler,' John de Hothum, 'chivaler,' Peter Bukton, 'chivaler,' John Conestable of Halsham, 'chivaler,' Robert Twyer, 'chivaler,' John de Routhe, 'chivaler,' Antony de Sancto Quintino, clerk, James de Hoton, John de Holme, William Conestable and the sheriff, in the East Riding in the county of York.

Ralph, earl of Westmoreland, Henry Fitzhugh, 'chivaler,' Ralph Lumley, 'chivaler,' Ralph Euer, 'chivaler,' Thomas Baynton, 'chivaler,' David Roucliff, Thomas Etton, 'chivaler,' William de Neusome and the sheriff, in the North Riding in the county of York.

Henry, earl of Northumberland, Ralph, earl of Westmoreland, Henry Percy 'le fitz,' William Paar, Thomas Musgrave, Walter Stirkeland, William Therlkeld, Christopher de Lancastre, Hugh Salkeld, Robert Santford and the sheriff, in the county of Westmoreland.

Henry, earl of Northumberland, Henry Percy 'le fitz,' Thomas Grey of Heton, Ralph de Ivere, Gerard Heron, Robert de Ogle, David Holgrave, John Mitford, Robert Umframville, Thomas Watton and the sheriff, in the county of Northumberland.

Adam Fraunceys, John Wroth, Thomas Molynton, John Duresme, Thomas Cherlton, John Shordych, John Lilleston, Walter Waltham and the sheriff, in the county of Middlesex.

Henry, earl of Northumberland, Ralph, earl of Westmoreland, Peter Tilioll, William Ligh, — Sandes, Robert Louther, William Stapulton, Robert Santford, Robert Carlill and the sheriff, in the county of Cumberland.

MEMBRANE 33d.

1400. Jan. 28. Westminster. The like to John de Balderton, mayor, and William de Bliton, Robert Appulby, John Hudleston and Gilbert de Beseby, citizens, in the city of Lincoln, certifying at the feast of St. Matthew the Apostle. By K.

1399. Dec. 28. Westminster. The like to the following:—

John Farnhell and John Sexston, bailiffs, and William Elys, Thomas Ikham, John Proude and John Pyry, citizens, in the city of Canterbury.

Thomas Bardolf of Wyrmegeye, Henry Rocheford, Edmund Belleyetere, mayor, John Brunham and Robert Botkesham in the town of Lenn.

MEMBRANE 32d.

Dec. 24. Westminster. Commission to John Roche, John Drayton, Hugh Wolf, William Fauconer and the escheator in the counties of Oxford and Berks to enquire what lands descended by inheritance to Roger Stanlake, who is an idiot, of whom they are held and by what service, what they are worth and whether he has sold any, and to certify thereon to the king in Chancery. By C.

MEMBRANE 28d.

Dec. 28. Westminster. Commission to John Leverpole, Robert Burnell, John Drake, Ralph Ebbe, Hugh Whyte, Thomas Fitz Eustas, Roger Stafford, and Hugh Bauent to arrest Master John Tyre and others who went to the court of Rome and there obtained divers instruments and took them to Ireland and expelled John Waddesworth from the treasurership of the cathedral church of St. Patrick, Dublin, with the church of St. Audoin annexed, which Richard II granted to him by letters patent, and bring them before the king and his council in Ireland.

1400. Jan. 4. Westminster. Commission to William Loueney, esquire, and Richard Kays, serjeant at arms, to arrest John Ikelyngton, Richard Maudeleyn, Nicholas Slake and Richard Feld, clerks, and John Lowyk and take them to the Tower of London and deliver them to the constable or his lieutenant there.

By K. on the information of William Loueney, esquire.

MEMBRANE 27d.

1399. Nov. 18. Westminster. Commission to William Byker, John Wydemer, Giles Fosse, William Morys, Stephen Seder, and Thomas Coton to inspect and try all armaments, coats of arms, and other stuff in the king's privy wardrobe within the Tower of London and remove such as may be unfit for spear-play (*hastiludiatione*) or other feats of arms or warlike acts and put them elsewhere in the Tower.

Dec. 21. Westminster. Commission to John de Stanley, lieutenant of Ireland, and the chancellor and treasurer there to enquire about all treasure, jewels, goods and chattels late of Richard II in Ireland and to take the same into the king's hands and certify thereon to the king and council. By C.

MEMBRANE 26d.

1399. Nov. 16. Westminster. Commission to William Rykyll, William Makenade, Stephen Betenham, John Colpepir, Thomas Kempe and John Sholdwych to enquire about the goods of Roger de Walden, clerk, and the issues of the temporalities of the archbishopric of Canterbury received by him and the arrears of rents and goods due to Thomas, archbishop of Canterbury, and received by him and to deliver them to the said archbishop; as the king has granted the petition of the latter in Parliament that he should have execution of the same, as the Parliament at Westminster, 21 Richard II, in which he was erroneously condemned, has been annulled, and that his tenants should be released from their obligations to the said Roger. By pet. in Parl.

1400. Jan. 12. Westminster. Commission to William Thirnyng, John Hull, William Hankeford and Robert Tirwhit to go to the church of St. Martin le Grand, London, and there in the presence of the mayor and sheriffs of London to examine the record and process and the judgement given in the court of the chamber of the Guildhall before Thomas Knolles, mayor, in a suit before John Wade, late one of the sheriffs, between John Tervyn, clerk, administrator of the goods late of John Donat, who died intestate, and Amy Donat touching a trespass committed by her against him, which suit Drugo Barentyn, late mayor, caused to appear before him in the said court, and to correct any error that may have arisen to her loss.

Jan. 25. Westminster. Commission to the mayor and sheriffs of Bristol to enquire about all goods late of Thomas, late earl of Kent, and Thomas le Despenser, 'chivaler,' and their adherents in the said town and the adjacent parts, and especially about certain goods late of the said Thomas le Despenser specified in a certain schedule sent by the bearer of these presents, and to take the same into the king's hands. By K.

MEMBRANE 25d.

Jan. 27. Westminster. Commission to John Gourney, sheriff of Norfolk, Edmund Oldehall, Nicholas de Wychyngham, Simon Baret, John Yelverton, Richard Creyk and Thomas Halle to enquire into the complaint of John Overdyk, master of a ship called *la Marie Cogge* of Camp, that when that ship laden with herrings of Scone and 'seyme' herrings and other merchandise was sailing off the coast of the said county and was driven by a tempest on the sand near the port of Blakeney and broken up and he and eleven servants of the ship came alive to land, nevertheless certain persons of those parts seized and carried off a parcel of the merchandise and the greater part of the gear (*artillarie*) of the ship cast ashore there, as though they had been wreck, and refused to make restitution, and to reward those who made salvage and to cause restitution to be made to the said John and to certify thereon to the king in Chancery.

By C. by testimony of William Brampton of London and the abbot of Lesparre and many others of Bordeaux.

MEMBRANE 24d.

Jan. 27. Westminster. Commission to the mayor of Bristol and Robert Markele, serjeant at arms, to enquire about all sums of money due from John Colchestor, John Barstaple, Walter Seymour, Henry Bokerell, William Crone, Reginald Wyldenhale, Robert Spycer, William Stevens, John Clyvedon, David Dunbrok, John Burton, Adam Juhyne, John Leyceter, Walter Milton, John Spyne, Thomas Prestbury, John Pryston, John Haveryng, Nicholas

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Compaigne, Thomas Forster, John Stokys, John Aylmere, Angel John, Roger Peny, Mark William, Walter Taillour, Walter Martyn, Richard Dyere, Richard Puryton, William Crane, Richard Trubody, William Stevenis, Thomas Kene, John Body, Roger Myne, Walter Stormy, Simon Canyggns, Richard Clerk, Robert Chepe, William Hamme, William Welle and others for the subsidy of the 12*d.* in the pound and the 8*s.* in the tun of wine and for the petty custom in the time of Richard II and the present king in the port of the town and to levy the same, by distraint if necessary, and certify thereon to the king in Chancery.

MEMBRANE 22d.

Jan. 28. Westminster. Commission to John Pelham, 'chivaler,' John Preston, Hugh Queeche, William Upton and the sheriff of Sussex to enquire about divers obligations of no moderate sums of money pertaining to the king by reason of the outlawry of divers persons in the hundred of Bosbourn, co. Sussex, divers customs due to the king in the same hundred and concealed from him and divers trespasses, extortions and oppressions committed in the same hundred, and to certify thereon to the king in Chancery. By C.

Jan. 28. Westminster. Commission *de walliis et fossatis* to William Makenade, Stephen Betenham, William Berton, William Bertyn and Henry Horne within the limits of the towns of Smallyde and Promhelle, co. Kent.

Feb. 12. Westminster. The like to Thomas, lord de la Warre, Philip le Despenser, John de Rocheford, William Spayne, John de Meres, John Belle, Roger de Welby, and John Launde in the parts of Holand, co. Lincoln.

MEMBRANE 21d.

Jan. 22. Westminster. Commission to Hugh Norburgh and Hugh Mortymer to arrest John Pany and Henry Goldsmyth of Brunne and bring them before the king and council. By K.

Jan. 25. Westminster. Commission to William Beauchamp to seize the son and heir, a minor, and all the other sons and daughters of Thomas le Despenser, 'chivaler,' deceased, who made forfeiture to the king, and find a competent sustenance for them until the king shall give other orders.

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Nov. 29. Westminster. Commission to William Thirnyng, John Hull, William Hankeford and William Gascoigne to enquire into the petition of Richard Wyot for recompense because in the late repairs of the king's gate and wall at Westminster his house was razed and by the construction of a 'corner-tour' of the gate, land, 8 feet in breadth by 13 feet in length, has been taken away from him. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 15d.

1400.

Feb. 3. Westminster. Commission to John Mayhewe, master of a ship called *la Trinite de la Tour* of London, John Stigken and John Kanon to take 70 mariners for the governance of the said ship to go to sea on the king's service. By C.

1400. *Membrane* 15*d*—*cont.*

The like to John Bremle, master of a ship called *la Gracedieu de la Tour* of London, and John Hiasshe to take 45 mariners. By C.

July 4. Westminster. The like to John Mayhewe, master of a ship of the king called *la Trinite de la Tour*, John Stegeyn and Laurence Chesse to take 80 mariners for the governance of the said ship to go to sea on the king's service to Scotland. By C.

The like to Richard Elys, master of a barge of the king called *le Nicholas de la Tour*, William Dully and John Ansell to take 40 mariners. By the same C.

The like to Laurence Mond, master of a barge of the king called *le Holygost*, to take 46 mariners. By C.

The like to John Miller, master of a balinger of the king called *la Anne de la Tour*, to take 28 mariners. By C.

July 6. Westminster. The like to John Brembre, master of a ship of the king called *la Gracedieu de la Tour*, Thomas Gregel and John Elys to take 50 mariners. By C.

MEMBRANE 14*d*.

Feb. 6. Westminster. Commission to Sampson Grenewych, serjeant at arms, to seek out all goods and chattels late of Thomas, earl of Kent, deceased, who made forfeiture to the king, in the hands of John Dornecombe and Simon Dornecombe at Bristol and take them to the city of London and deliver them to the treasurer with all speed. By C.

Feb. 12. Westminster. Commission to the sheriff of Kent and John Arnald, serjeant at arms, to arrest Nicholas Seyntleger and bring him before the king and council. By K. on the information of the chamberlain.

MEMBRANE 13*d*.

Feb. 6. Westminster. Commission *de walliis et fossatis* to John Lescrope, 'chivaler,' Gerard de Ouseflete, 'chivaler,' Thomas Egmanton, Robert de Haldenby, Richard de Norton, William de Lodyngton and Nicholas Rosselyn by the waters of Ouse, Ayre and Done in the parts of Merskland and Osgodcrosse, co. York.

June 2. Westminster. The like to Robert Hilton, 'chivaler,' Gerard Usflete, 'chivaler,' William Gascoigne, Robert Tirwhit, Richard Beverley and John Rednesse within the limits of Holdernesse, co. York.

MEMBRANE 12*d*.

Feb. 16. Westminster. Commission to John Sutton and John Bernard, escheator in the county of Southampton, to enquire about divers wastes, dilapidations and destructions committed in the king's castle, manor and park of Odyam, co. Southampton, by the late constables and keepers and to certify thereon to the king in Chancery.

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MEMBRANE 7d.

Feb. 12. Westminster. Commission to John Cheyne, 'chivaler,' Robert Whityngton, William Tracy, John Bisley, John Cole and the sheriff of Gloucester to enquire about divers wastes, sales and destructions committed in divers lands and possessions pertaining to the alien priory of Durhurst and the removal of divers charters, writings, rent-rolls and muniments concerning the same and divers goods demised of old by the late priors to the use of the priory by the late farmers of the priory and others of those parts at the time when the priory was in the hands of the king or Richard II on account of the war with France.

Feb. 19. Westminster. Commission to Adam Broun, Nicholas Fauconer and Robert Ferrour to seize all goods and chattels late of John, late earl of Huntyngdon, and his adherents and to take them to the city of London to be delivered to the treasurer with all speed.

Feb. 18. Westminster. Commission to Hugh Burnell, William Slepe and Thomas Inkele to enquire about divers wastes, dilapidations and destructions committed in the castle of Shrewsbury in the lead, iron, windows, towers and timber, and the building without licence of divers houses and buildings in the king's soil on the ditch called 'Kyngesdyche' between the castle and the town of Shrewsbury.

MEMBRANE 4d.

Feb. 16. Westminster. Commission of oyer and terminer to Thomas de Asteley, William Thirnyng, Thomas Burdet, William Lucy, Kynard de le Bere, John de Catesby, Alan Waldeyeve, Edward Metteley and Thomas de Meryngton, on complaint by William de Beauchamp, 'chivaler,' lord of Bergevenny, that John, prior of Maxstoke, Robert Cokkes and Richard Shipey of Colleshull and others broke his close and house at Aston Cantelowe, co. Warwick, assaulted his men, carried off his goods to the value of 200 marks and 20*l.* in money and threatened his men so that they dared not go about his business. For 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

MEMBRANE 3d.

Feb. 25. Westminster. Commission to Thomas Rempston, Henry de la Ryver, John Doreward, John Derhurst and Robert Burdon to enquire into divers purprestures, encroachments, usurpations and abuses committed by the abbot of Cirencestre and his predecessors against the king and his progenitors in the town of Cirencestre and elsewhere in the county of Gloucester.

By K.

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1400. *MEMBRANE* 42.

Feb. 19. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Walter Merewe, master of the king's mint within the Tower of London, of 20*l.* yearly for his fee for the graving of the irons (*cuneorum*), from the issues of the counties of Bedford and Buckingham. By p.s.

Feb. 18. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Thomas Gerard of the office of constable of Crychch with the office of bailiff and keeper of the launds there, worth 20 marks yearly, late of John Montagu, earl of Salisbury, and in the king's gift by reason of his forfeiture, with the accustomed fees, wages and profits as John Bailly had. By p.s.

Feb. 18. Westminster. Grant for life, from 4 December last, to the king's esquire William Hoghwyk of the hundred of Gertre, co. Leicester, with all farms, rents, suits and other profits, in lieu of a grant to him for life of the office of bailiff of the hundred by letters patent of that date, surrendered. By p.s.

Feb. 28. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Robert Giffard of the county of Gloucester of 10*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Grant for life to Eleanor late the wife of Ralph de Lumley, 'chivaler,' of the lands called Beautrone and Stranton in the bishopric of Durham and Holme in Holdernesse, co. York, to hold to the value of 100*l.* yearly in aid of the sustenance of herself and her twelve infants, provided that she answer for any surplus at the Exchequer. By p.s.
Vacated by surrender.

Grant to the king's clerk Roger Walden, that he shall have full restitution of all his manors, lands, rents and possessions which were lately taken into the king's hand for certain supposed crimes against the king's majesty, of which he has been acquitted. By p.s.
Vacated because otherwise in this year.

Feb. 22. Westminster. Grant to John Hygyn of all his goods and chattels, lately forfeited to the king. By p.s.

Feb. 22. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's clerk, John de Wakeryng, one of the clerks of Chancery, for his good service to the king and the king's father, deceased, of two pipes of red wine of Gascony yearly in the port of London. By p.s.
Mandate in pursuance to the chief butler or his lieutenant in the port.

Feb. 28. Westminster. Grant to the king's servant William de Lynne, for his good service to the king's father, deceased, of certain lands in the town of Ware late of Gilbert Manfeld, deceased, late customer of the city of London, which were taken into the hands of Richard II for arrears due from the issues of the custom, to hold to the value of 4 marks yearly so long as they remain in the king's hands, with 12 marks from the said arrears. By p.s.
Vacated because in the tenth year.

Feb. 28. Westminster. Grant to Nicholas Taaf of the office of chief serjeant of the lordship and county of Meath in Ireland during the minority of the son and heir of

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Roger de Mortuo Mari, late earl of March, with the accustomed fees, wages and profits, provided that the office has not previously been granted to anyone else by the king. By p.s.

Feb. 18. Westminster. Protection with clause *volumus*, for one year, for Nicholas Bartilmev, 'leche,' going on the king's service to Ireland in the company of the king's knight John de Stanley, lieutenant of Ireland. By bill of p.s.

Feb. 23. Westminster. General pardon to Robert Cras *alias* Porter. By p.s.

Feb. 5. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 12 April, 20 Richard II, granting for life to John Bliton 20 marks yearly. By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 21. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Alexander Gerad of the office of bailiff of the hundred of Colrigge with the custody of the park of Stokenhamme, co. Devon, pertaining to the king by the forfeiture of John, late earl of Salisbury, with the accustomed wages, fees and profits, so that the grant of the office of bailiff be not contrary to the statutes. By p.s.

Feb. 12. Westminster. Whereas Robert Swalwe was lately beheaded at Oxford for having ridden with the earl of Kent in insurrection against the king, and Christina his wife was enfeoffed jointly with him in a messuage and an acre of land in New Lemyngton in the New Forest and these were taken into the king's hands with other goods and chattels of her husband appraised at the value of 6*l.* by the escheator of the county of Southampton, the king grants to her the said messuage and land according to the said feoffment with the said goods and chattels.

Feb. 16. Westminster. Grant for life of the king's alms to Matilda Stanley, late the wife of William Stanley, esquire, who has come to such poverty that she cannot maintain her estate, of 2*d.* daily at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Feb. 20. Westminster. Licence, for 20 marks paid by them in the hanaper, for Philip la Vache, 'chivaler,' Thomas Latymer, 'chivaler,' and John Cheyny, 'chivaler,' to enfeoff William de Beauchamp, 'chivaler,' John Prat, clerk, Thomas Rede, Thomas Walweyn, William Wenlok and John Olney of the castle, manor and lordship of Ewyas Harald in the march of Wales and the knights' fees in the counties of Wilts, Hereford and Somerset pertaining to the castle and manor, held in chief.

Feb. 6. Westminster. Whereas Thomas Rolleston and Beatrice his wife have given the king to understand that Robert Hanley her brother, whose heir she is, died seised of certain lands in the counties of York and Lincoln, of which a parcel was held of Richard II by knight-service, and on his death they descended to her while a minor and afterwards the said Thomas married her without licence of the said late king, the king pardons them and William Rolleston and Thomas Jolyf and grants the said lands to them with all issues pertaining to the custody and marriage after Martinmas last. By p.s.

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Nov. 16. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Richard Steresakir, esquire, notwithstanding etc. of letters patent (*French*) of Thomas, earl of Nottingham, marshal of England, lord of Moubray and Seagrave, dated 24 March, 17 Richard II, granting to him for life an annuity of 10*l.* from the issues of the manor of Treske, co. York. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

1400. *MEMBRANE* 41.

Feb. 20. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Alan Prille of a writing of John, bishop of Hereford, dated in his chapter-house, 5 April, 1398, in the presence of Masters John Prophet, dean, Walter Ramesbury, precentor, and Reginald Wolston, canons of the cathedral church of Hereford, and confirmed by the dean and chapter, demising to her for ninety years a plot of the canons' manse in the city of Hereford situated in the street of the castle opposite the habitation of the vicars of the choir of the said church between the land of the vicarage of Sir Roger Fraunceys, vicar of the choir, and the land of the proctor of Lyra on the one part and the land at present occupied by the dean belonging to the chapel of St. Mary in the said church on the other part, at a rent of 6*s.* 8*d.* yearly. When the said Alan shall depart from this life any increment of rent which may be levied on the said plot beyond the said 6*s.* 8*d.* shall be distributed among the canons and vicars and ministers of the church interested in the choir for the celebration of the obit of herself and Nicholas Prille her late husband and her parents and ancestors yearly in the choir on the day of her death during the remainder of the said term of ninety years, and any canon who shall have the said plot shall take oath to pay the said increment accordingly. For ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 18. Westminster. Grant to William Fynbargh, esquire, and John Peek, yeoman of the pantry, of the custody of all lands late of Laurence de Pabenham, 'chivaler,' deceased, tenant in chief, and concealed from the king, except lands to the value of 10*l.* granted by letters patent to John Passivant, with all issues, rents, profits and commodities reaching to the value of 24 marks during the minority of John son and heir of the said Laurence and so from heir to heir, provided that they maintain the houses, woods, enclosures and gardens without waste and support all other charges.
Vacated because in the second year. By p.s.

Feb. 15. Westminster. Licence for the abbot and convent of St. Evroul of the power of France to grant in mortmain to Philip Repyndon, the abbot, and the convent of St. Mary, Leicester, the alien proctorial house or priory of Ware, co. Hertford, with all manors, lordships, hundreds, knights' fees, advowsons, chantries, portions, pensions, tenths, oblations, emoluments, annuities, lands, rents, woods, hays, fosses, warrens, services, reversions, patronages, mills, ways, waters, stanks, stews, fisheries, meadows, pastures, fairs, markets, tolls, franchises, liberties, privileges, rights, customs, suits, courts, views of frank-pledge, services of free tenants and bondmen, villeins and their issue and other things, in the king's hands on account of the war with France, to hold in frank almoin quit of the farm of 245*l.* yearly due to the king during the war, and for all churches, chapels and chantries, appropriated to the said abbot and convent of St. Evroul within the realm, to be transferred to the said abbot and convent of St. Mary, Leicester. By K.

Feb. 28. Westminster. Licence, for 20*l.* paid in the hanaper of Chancery, for the abbot and convent of Lira in Normandy to grant the advowson of the church of Arreton, in the Isle of Wight, in the king's hands on account of the war with France, to the abbot and convent of Quarr, and for the latter to appropriate the church in mortmain. By p.s.

Feb. 25. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight Roger Swillyngton of 40*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

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Dec. 7. Westminster. Licence for the prior and convent of the house of the Carthusian order by Kyngeston on Hull to acquire in mortmain, after inquisition, lands and

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advowsons of benefices to the value of 12*l.* yearly in aid of the complement of their first foundation. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 20 *June, in the third year, they acquired lands in full satisfaction.*

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1400.

Feb. 25. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the cordwainers and corvisers of the town of Oxford of letters patent dated 14 February, 4 Richard II, inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Westminster, 18 May, 20 Edward III [*Charter Roll*, 20 *Edward III*, *No.*13], inspecting and confirming a charter dated at York, 3 June, 12 Edward II, inspecting and confirming with additions a charter dated at Woodstock, 18 December, 45 Henry III, inspecting and confirming a charter of Henry II dated at Woodstock. For 10 marks paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 17. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Blakesley of letters patent dated 16 January, 17 Richard II, granting to him for life a messuage and lands in Kyngeswalden, co. Hertford. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 10. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Moner of letters patent dated 28 October, 14 Richard II, granting that he shall be denizen. For 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 21. Westminster. Whereas one John de la Chapell the elder eighty years and more ago in his will bequeathed a messuage lying by the cemetery of St. Cuthbert, Carlisle, worth 10*s.* yearly, for a light of St. Mary the Virgin in the church of St. Cuthbert, without licence, and the messuage has accordingly lately come into the king's hands, as Mary de Stapilton and Richard Orfeoure have shown; the king grants the messuage to them and their heirs so that they shall maintain the light. By p.s.

Feb. 26. Westminster. Grant to the king's esquire Richard Cliderhowe, in recompense of certain sums due to him by the king for his wages in the household and the arrears of an annuity of 10 marks, of certain lands in Riby, co. Lincoln, which Thomas Mountford, son of his wife, held of the earl of Kent and which are now in the king's hands by reason of the minority of the said Thomas and the forfeiture of the earl, to hold to the value of 10 marks yearly during the said minority, provided that he answer for any surplus. By p.s.

Feb. 29. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight Francis de Court of the fee-farm of 90*l.* which the abbot and convent of Kirkstall used to render to Thomas, late earl of Kent, for the towns of Colyngham and Compton, co. York, 36*l.* yearly rent which the said earl used to receive at the hands of the bailiffs and commonalty of Cicestre, the manor of Torpall to the value of 22*l.* 8*s.* 6*d.* yearly, the manor of Upton by Castre to the value of 8*l.* 9*s.* 10*d.* yearly, the manor of Eston by Colyweston to the value of 12*l.* 15*s.* yearly, a fee-farm of 10*l.* yearly from the manor of Bliseworth, co. Northampton, the town of Casteldonyngton, co. Leicester, to the value of 48*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* yearly, and the manor, town and lordship of Chastrefeld, co. Derby, to the value of 100 marks yearly, late of the said earl and pertaining to the king by his forfeiture, with all profits, franchises,

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liberties, custodies, marriages, escheats, reliefs and other things, provided that they have not previously been granted to anyone else. By p.s.

Mandate in pursuance to the bailiffs of Cicestre.

MEMBRANES 39 *and* 38.

Feb. 4. Westminster. Exemplification, at the request of the abbot of Cirencestre, of letters patent dated 25 June, 23 Richard II, being an exemplification, at the request of John Sanger and William Jones, tenants of the forest of Bradane, of the enrolment of letters patent dated 14 February, 29 Edward I, reciting the perambulations of the forests in the county of Wilts. [*Ancient Forest Proceedings. No.* 102. *m.* 6. Translated in the *Wiltshire Magazine*, IV. 195-207.]

Membrane 38—*cont.*

Feb. 12. Westminster. Exemption for life of the king's knight Baldwin Bereford from being put on assizes, juries, attaints, recognitions or inquisitions and from being made mayor, sheriff, escheator, coroner, collector of tenths, fifteenths or other subsidies, taxes or tallages, arrayer of men at arms or archers, bailiff, commissioner or other officer or minister of the king against his will. By p.s.

Feb. 19. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the abbot and convent of Waverle of a charter dated at Clarendon, 30 November, 5 Edward III. [*Charter Roll, 5 Edward III, No.* 4.] By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 16. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Thomas Beaupyne and his heirs of a charter dated at Windsor, 24 April, 21 Richard II. [*Charter Roll, 21-23 Richard II, No.* 17.] For 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

March 1. Westminster. Grant to Walter Dean of all his goods and chattels forfeited to the king. By p.s.

Feb. 28. Eltham Manor. Grant for life to the king's servant William de Park, groom of the cellar, of the lands, rents and possessions in the town and suburbs of Southampton late of Robert Porter, servant of Thomas, late earl of Kent, and in the king's hands by his forfeiture, to hold to the value of 12 marks yearly, provided that he answer for any surplus. By K.

MEMBRANE 37.

Feb. 19. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Belton of letters patent (*French*) of Thomas, duke of Norfolk, earl of Nottingham, lord of Moubray, Segrave and Gower, dated at London, 2 October, 22 Richard II, granting for life to the said John his yeoman an annuity of 5 marks from his lands and tenements in the town of Wassington, co. Sussex, and appointing him keeper of his inn and wardrobe at London, receiving 2*d.* daily from the said lands and tenements. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 11. Westminster. Grant to the king's kinswoman Constance late the wife of Thomas le Despenser, 'chivaler,' deceased, of all goods and chattels, beasts and corn

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late of the said Thomas at the time of his death within the castle of Kerdyf and the manors of Bowearton, Subbury, Burford, Shipton, Stanford, Fayrford, Merlowe and Shereston, amounting to the value of 200*l.*, with two dozen dishes, twelve saucers and four 'chargeours' of silver, six pieces, twelve spoons of silver, two pots of silver-gilt, a pair of basins of silver-gilt and four cups of silver with gilt covers, late of the said Thomas and forfeited to the king by reason of his insurrection, and also the following goods, which she held in his lifetime as her own by his assent and will, viz. seven 'nowches' of gold of one suit, a little 'gobelot' of gold, a cross of silver-gilt, a thuribule of silver and an '*agnus dei*' of gold, notwithstanding that they have been forfeited for the said cause. By p.s.

Feb. 16. Westminster. Grant to the mayor, sheriffs and citizens of York of murage for three years.

The like to the bailiffs and good men of Tadcastre of pontage for three years.

March 4. Westminster. The like to the prior of St. Saviour, Holandbrigge, of the order of Sempyngham, of pontage for three years, to be expended on the repair of the causey leading from the town of St. Saviour to Donyngton in Holand and the bridges of the same by the supervision of Aubin de Enderby.

Feb. 28. Westminster. Grant that the king's clerk Roger Walden shall have full restitution of all his manors, lands, rents, possessions and goods from which he was expelled for certain crimes against the king's majesty, of which he has been acquitted, with the exception of his goods in the custody of Thomas, archbishop of Canterbury. By p.s.

Feb. 22. Westminster. Presentation of Henry Dymmok, chaplain, to the church of Wodnesbery, in the diocese of Coventry and Lichfield.

Feb. 28. Westminster. Notification of the enrolment of letters patent dated 8 November, 9 Richard II, directing the sheriff of Stafford to pay to John Joce 6*d.* daily for life, with arrears from 20 August.

Feb. 28. Westminster. Licence, for 10*l.* paid by him in the hanaper, for Thomas Hemgrave, 'chivaler,' to grant the reversion of the manor of Mutford and a moiety of the hundred of Mutford, held in chief, on the death of Alice late the wife of Edmund Hemgrave, 'chivaler,' to Edward Hunt, parson of the church of Todenham, and John Spark of Littelwrothyng, and for these after receiving her attornment to grant the same to the said Thomas and Elizabeth his wife and his heirs.

Feb. 25. Westminster. Grant to the king's knight Thomas Erpyngham of the custody and office of constable of the castle and manor of Framlyngham and the custody of the paths and foreign woods of Framlyngham, Soham and Kelsale during the minority of Thomas son and heir of the earl of Nottingham, and so from heir to heir, receiving for the constableship and custody of the parks 40*l.* yearly for his fee as the king's knight Simon Felbrigg had.

Vacated because in the third year. By p.s.

1399. *MEMBRANE* 36.

Nov. 16. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation, notwithstanding etc. of letters patent (*French*) of Thomas, earl of Nottingham, marshal of England, lord of Moubray, Segrave and Gower, dated at London, 27 April, 20 Richard II,

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witnessing that his esquire Richard Fitznycholl is retained for life at an annuity of 10 marks yearly from the issues of the manor of Hynton, co. Cambridge, receiving for war such wages as others of his degree.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 21. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 20 November, 1 Henry IV, being an exemplification of letters patent dated 24 November, 21 Richard II, granting for life to William Lile 40*l.* yearly; and grant to him of arrears. By p.s. and for 30*s.* paid in the hanaper.
Vacated by surrender.

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March 1. Westminster. General pardon to Walter Dean. By p.s.

Feb. 28. Westminster. Grant to the men of the town of Cirencestre, for their good service in resisting Thomas, late earl of Kent, and John, late earl of Salisbury, and other traitors, of all goods and chattels of the latter found at the said town at the time of their arrest, except gold and silver in mass and money, vessels of gold or silver or gilt and jewels. [*Fœdera.*] By K.

Feb. 24. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant William Biker, artiller within the Tower of London, for his good service to Edward III and the king, of a robe yearly at Christmas at the hands of the keeper of the great wardrobe of the suit of the king's officers of his estate within the Tower. By p.s.

March 8. Westminster. Presentation of John Coteler, chaplain, to the vicarage of the church of Stratfeld Mortymer, in the diocese of Salisbury, void by the resignation of Adam Dekne.

March 2. Westminster. Licence, for five years, for John de Cobeham, 'chivaler,' who is so old and feeble that he cannot labour at his secular business and desires to conform to a perfect conversation and to have leisure for divine services, to appoint general attorneys in any courts of England, and for John Mapulton and John Wyssyngsete, whom he has attorned, to appoint attorneys. The chancellor received the attorneys. By K.

March 1. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the lepers and infirm of the hospital of Herbaldon of the following:—
1. A charter of Henry II. [*Monasticon*, VII. 654].
2. Letters patent dated 18 February, 28 Henry III, granting to them 20 marks yearly. By K.

Jan. 26. Westminster. Grant, in relief of her poor estate, to Cristiana Feriby, mother of William de Feriby, clerk, deceased, of all corn, goods and chattels in the rectory of the church of Blofeld, co. Norfolk, late of the said William, parson or rector there, and pertaining to the king by his forfeiture.
By p.s.

Feb. 16. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 28 February, 20 Richard II, assigning 40 marks yearly for seven years from the fee-farm of the city of Winchester for the repair of the castle of Winchester.
By p.s.

March 1. Westminster. Mandate in pursuance to the bailiffs.

March 2. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Miller, one of the king's mariners, of 10*l.* yearly from the issues of the petty custom in the port of London, in lieu of grants to him for life of 100*s.* and 5 marks yearly by letters patent of Richard II, surrendered. By p.s.

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1400. March 8. Westminster. Grant, during pleasure, to the king's kinswoman Constance late the wife of Thomas, late lord le Despenser, of the custody of the body of Richard son and heir of the latter ; and grant to her of 30*l.* of gold and silver which Richard Witton handed over to one William Spernor of the goods of the said Thomas and which are in the hands of the mayor of Bristol and pertain to the king by reason of the forfeiture of the said Thomas. By p.s.

1399. Nov. 12. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Benedict Rolleston of letters patent dated 22 April, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life 6*d.* daily.
Vacated because below. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 20. Westminster. Grant to Thomas Percy, earl of Worcester, whom the king lately by letters patent appointed admiral in England and Ireland during pleasure, that he shall not be compelled to render any account by reason of his office, on account of the statute in Parliament, 15 Richard II, otherwise than other admirals used to render before the statute. By K.

MEMBRANE 35.

1400. Feb. 20. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation, so far as concerns the manor of Aton, of letters patent (*French*) of Thomas de Holand, earl of Kent and lord of Wake, dated at his manor of Talworth, 5 December, 9 Richard II, granting for life to Joan late the wife of Sir Donald de Hesulrigg, for her good service to his mother, the manor of Aton in Cliveland as his father Sir Thomas de Holand, sometime earl of Kent, granted it to the said Donald, and also the manor of Hemelyngton in Cliveland, rendering to him 6*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* yearly. By p.s. and for 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 23. Westminster. Grant to Joan Derpyngham of the custody of the lands late of Ralph Bray, deceased, tenant of the king by knight-service, during the minority of John Bray his son and heir to the value of 5 marks yearly with the marriage of the heir without disparagement, and so from heir to heir, provided that she maintain the houses, buildings, woods, enclosures and gardens without waste and support all other charges. By p.s.

Feb. 11. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire John Pyryent of 40*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Feb. 5. Westminster. Grant to the king's knight John de Clyfton of 40 marks yearly from the issues of the county of Nottingham for life or until the king shall otherwise provide for his estate. By p.s.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 23 *February the king granted the same to him for life.*

Feb. 12. Westminster. Grant to the Friars Minor of Ware of the underwood of one acre within the foreign wood late of Thomas, late earl of Kent, by the town of Ware and two cartloads of hay in the meadows late of the said earl there, so long as they are in the king's hands by his forfeiture, with all the fishery of the water running along the length of their house during the same time. By p.s.

Feb. 28. Eltham. Grant for life to Matilda late the wife of John, late earl of Salisbury, in aid of the maintenance of herself and her infants, because the greater part of her inheritance has been alienated by the said earl, of the manor of Stokenham, co. Devon, with the hundred called Colrigge and the free

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borough of Chedlyngton, late of the said earl and in the king's hands by his forfeiture, not exceeding the value of 100*l.* yearly, provided that she answer for any surplus at the Exchequer. By K.

Feb. 27. Westminster. Grant, during pleasure, of the custody of the college called the Queen's Hall of Oxford, which is of the king's patronage, and the manors, lands, rents, possessions and goods belonging to it to the chancellor and treasurer of England, the keepers of the privy seal and the rolls of Chancery and the chief justice of the Bench, and protection for the provost and scholars and the college and the said manors, lands, rents, possessions and goods; as the provost and scholars have been much disturbed and impoverished. By p.s.

Feb. 27. Eltham Manor. Grant to the king's servant William Wetwang of the custody of the lands late of Henry Conquest of Longe Houghton, co. Bedford, deceased, tenant in chief, during the minority of John his son and heir to the value of 20*l.* yearly, with the marriage of the heir without disparagement, so that he find a competent sustenance for the heir, maintain the houses, buildings, woods, enclosures and gardens without waste and support all other charges and answer for any surplus yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

March 1. Westminster. Grant to Thomas Flemmyng, 'chivaler' of Ireland, of the custody of all lands late of Thomas Talbot, tenant in chief, in the counties of Dublin, Meath and Kildare in Ireland to the value of 20*l.* yearly with all things belonging to the custody during the minority of Christopher son and heir of the said Thomas, with his marriage without disparagement, and so from heir to heir, so that he find a competent sustenance for the heir, maintain the houses, buildings, woods, enclosures and gardens without waste and support all other charges, and answer for any surplus yearly at the exchequer of Ireland. By p.s.

March 1. Westminster. Henry Percy, earl of Northumberland, Edmund de Mortuo Mari, knight, and Thomas Overton, clerk, executors of the will of Roger de Mortuo Mari, late earl of March and Ulster, staying in England, have letters nominating Alexander, bishop of Meath, and Thomas de Everdon, clerk, their attorneys in Ireland for one year.
Nicholas Bubbewith, clerk, received the attorneys.

March 4. Westminster. Grant for life to William Bourchier, 'chivaler,' of 50 marks yearly at the Exchequer, in recompense for 50 marks yearly which the king's uncle Thomas, duke of Gloucester, deceased, granted to him for life by letters patent, indented, surrendered, from the lands called 'Carnes Landas,' which he had of the grant of Richard II. By p.s.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because Henry V on 1 *October in his first year granted to him* 50 *marks yearly for life from the* 140 *marks* 6*s.* 8*d., which he is bound to pay during the war with France for the custody of the manor and rectory of Felstede, co. Essex.*

March 1. Westminster. Grant to John Node of 33*s.* 4*d.* and a coat or 3*s.* for the price of the same yearly, which William Litelcok used to pay to William Neweman of Edelmeton, 'carter,' during the life of the latter at Michaelmas from certain lands called 'William Newemanneslond of the wodecontre,' in the parish of Edelmeton, forfeited to the king because the said William by the name of William Neman was outlawed for felony in the county of Middlesex on Thursday after Martinmas, 21 Richard II, to hold from that date during the life of the said William Neweman. By p.s.

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Feb. 22. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Louis Recoches of a plot of land called 'Mewestenement' in Stepynhithe late of Thomas, late earl of Kent, and pertaining to the king by his forfeiture, to the value of 10 marks yearly, provided that he answer for any surplus. By p.s.

March 14. Westminster. Revocation of protection with clause *volumus*, for one year, lately granted by letters patent to John Quynton, esquire, staying on the king's service in the company of the king's kinsman, Henry de Percy, earl of Northumberland, keeper of the castle of Berwick on Tweed, on the safe custody of the same, because he delays in the city of London and the neighbouring parts, as the king is informed by Thomas Carnyka, clerk of the earl.

MEMBRANE 34.

Feb. 14. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John, the abbot, and the convent of Glastonbury of letters patent dated 12 February, 4 Richard II, inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Westminster, 25 March, 1 Edward III [*Charter Roll*, 1 *Edward III*, *No.* 67], inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Westminster, 3 April, 6 Edward II [*Charter Roll*, 6 *Edward II*, *No.* 13], inspecting and confirming the following :—

1. A charter of Henry II dated at Westminster. [*Monasticon.*]
2. A charter dated at Westminster, 26 May, 11 Henry III. [*Charter Roll*, 11 *Henry III*, *m.* 3.]
3. A charter dated at Odiham, 26 June, 8 Edward I. [*Charter Roll*, 8 *Edward I*, *No.* 39.] For 10 marks paid in the hanaper.

Jan. 20. Westminster. Presentation of William Bramley to the chapels of Octon and Swathorpe, in the diocese of York.

March 7. Eltham Manor. Grant to the king's esquire John Somery of the manor of Comberton, co. Cambridge, late of Henry Grene, 'chivaler,' deceased, with its profits and commodities during the minority of the son and heir of Henry to the value of 24*l.* yearly, provided that he answer for any surplus. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 33.

Feb. 19. Westminster. Pardon to Adam Holme for divers treasons and felonies of which he was convicted before the king at Oxford and condemned to death. By p.s.

The like to the following :— By the same writ.

John Taillour.
John Horne of London.
John Hebber.
John Whittepan.
William Peryman.
Richard Kirkeby.
Richard Alkeborne.
Ralph Ferrour.
John Hillary.
Thomas Malton.
William Burnell of London.
Richard Trynge.

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Thomas Bullok, servant of Thomas Blounte, 'chivaler.'
John Birche.
John Hunte, servant of Thomas Blounte.
John Brygeman.
Nicholas Smyth.
John Assheford.
Thomas Reyne.
Robert Balle.
John Cutham.

Feb. 19. Westminster. Pardon to Robert Daundevill for all treasons and felonies of which he was lately charged before the king at Oxford. By p.s.

The like to the following :— By the same writ.
Robert Elderbek.
John Edyngton.
Thomas Whyte, servant of Thomas Botillere.
Richard Smyth.
Matthew Hunte, servant of Thomas Blounte.
John Stable.
John Elys.
John Goselyng.
Thomas Eynon *alias* Ynon.
John Whyte *alias* Whyt.
John Counseyll.
Matthew Edward.
Thomas Pytman, servant of William Baudewyn.
William Croucher.

MEMBRANE 32.

March 4. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 7 August, 1 Richard II, granting for life to Adam Epeswyche, hermit, 8*d.* daily. By K. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

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Nov. 12. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Benedict Rolleston of letters patent dated 22 April, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life 6*d.* daily. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

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Feb. 26. Westminster. Whereas one John Mast of Hales *alias* John Coupere son of Richard Coupere of Hales on Monday after St. John before the Latin Gate, 20 Richard II, in the parish church of Hales acknowledged before the coroner in the county of Norfolk that he was a felon because on the night of Sunday before SS. Philip and James, 20 Richard II, he broke a glass window on the east side of the chancel of the parish church of Lodene and entered there and stole and carried off a missal worth 20*s.*, a gradual worth 40*d.*, an ordinal worth 40*d.* and 7*s.* of silver in money, for which he abjured the realm before the said coroner; the king pardons him this and his abjuration of the realm, and also pardons him for all offences committed before 19 November last except treasons, murders, rapes and common larceny. By p.s.

March 5. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Slegh of 10*l.* yearly from the issues of the counties of Oxford and Berks. By p.s.

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1400.
March 5. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's serjeant at arms John Bukland of 12*d.* daily by reason of his office. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 24 *May, in the tenth year, with the assent of the said Thomas* (sic) *and John the king granted for life to William Bradwardyn, esquire, the said* 20*l. yearly and* 12*d. daily at the Exchequer.*

1399.
Oct. 30. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's clerk William Flete of 10*l.* yearly from Michaelmas last from the issues of the county of Lincoln, in lieu of a like grant from the issues of the county of Cambridge by letters patent of Richard II, surrendered. By p.s.

1400.
Feb. 28. Westminster. Exemption for life of John de Boys of Tolleshunt Tregoys from being put on assizes, juries, attaints, inquisitions or recognitions and from being made mayor, sheriff, escheator, coroner, justice of the peace or of the forest, verderer, collector, taxer, receiver or assessor of tenths, fifteenths or other subsidies, trier or arrayer of men at arms, hobelers or archers or other officer or minister of the king against his will. By p.s.

March 5. Westminster. Exemption for life of William de Neusome from being put on assizes, juries, inquisitions, attaints or recognitions and from being made sheriff, escheator, coroner, assessor or collector of tenths, fifteenths or other subsidy or other officer, bailiff or minister of the king against his will. By p.s.

1399.
Dec. 10. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Michel of letters patent dated 28 May, 16 Richard II, granting to him for life that he be one of the king's serjeants at arms. By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

1400.
March 6. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the master and chaplains of the college of Maydenston of letters patent dated 15 September, 20 Richard II, granting to them in frank almoin the advowson of the church of Croundale with certain reversions. By K. and for 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

March 11. Westminster. Grant to William Ruddok, chaplain, of the wardenship of the hospital of St. Laurence by Bristol. By K.

Grant for life to Thomas Lauton, esquire, of 20*l.* yearly from the issues of the custom of the town of Southampton. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 15 *July in the second year the king granted to him* 20*l. yearly for life from the said* 11 *March from the petty custom in the port of the town.*

March 13. Westminster. Grant for life to Richard Goldesburgh of 40*l.* yearly from the customs and subsidies in the port of Lincoln. By K.

Vacated because below.

March 11. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Christopher de Trafford of 6*d.* daily from the issues of the county of Wilts. By p.s.

Mandate in pursuance to the sheriff.

March 9. Westminster. Writ of aid for John de Byngham, Robert Skyllyngton, John Hornyngwold and Thomas Whetebred, whom the king has appointed to take masons, carpenters and other workmen to the number of twenty-four for the works of a collegiate church at Leicester in honour of the Annunciation which the king's grandfather Henry, late duke of Lancaster, began to construct and his executors propose to complete, and also timber and stone and other necessaries and carriage for the same.

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March 20. Westminster. Presentation of Thomas ap Ll' to the portion in the church of Llannelidan, in the diocese of Bangor, which Jerwerth Vaghan lately had, in the king's gift by reason of the temporalities of the bishopric being in his hands.

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March 1. Westminster. Grant to the king's esquire Janico Dartas of the goods and chattels late of Thomas Lassy of Hoke and forfeited by reason of his high treason, to the value of 60*l.*, provided that he answer to the king for any surplus.
By p.s.

Feb. 24. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of the following:—

1. Letters patent (*French*) of Thomas le Despenser, late earl of Gloucester, dated 1 October, 22 Richard II, granting for life to his servant Hugh Tildeslegh a yearly rent of 10 marks from his manor of Kymburworth, co. York, and putting him in possession by payment of 40*d.* for the term of the Annunciation next.
2. Letters patent (*French*) of the said Hugh Tyldeslegh dated 6 October, 22 Richard II, granting the same to Sire Roger Westwode, clerk, Thomas Tildeslegh, Richard Pemburton and James Barlowe.
3. Letters patent (*French*) of the said earl dated 10 October, 22 Richard II, attorning the same.

By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 23. Westminster. Commission to John, lord of Lovell, John Dabrichecourt and John Cheyne, knights, Masters John Barnet, Thomas Stowe, William Mennesse and Adam Husk, doctors of laws, and Master Denis Lopham to hear and determine an appeal by William Hert, citizen and 'baker' of London, against a judgement given by the lieutenant of the constable of the king's military court at Bordeaux in a case of contract and debt between Idonia Hert, pretended executrix of the will of Robert Grenacre, knight, and the said William. [*Fœdera.*] By p.s.

Feb. 24. Westminster. Whereas 474*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* are due from Richard II to William Donardeston, draper, of London, and Joan his wife, 'silkwoman,' for cloth and silk for the wardrobe, viz. 456*l.* 18*s.* 7*d.* for the time when the king's clerk Richard Clifford, now keeper of the privy seal, was keeper of the wardrobe, and 17*l.* 14*s.* 9*d.* for the time when John Macclesfeld was keeper, and John Elys, late one of the customers in the port of Great Jernemuth, the abbot and convent of St. Benet, Hulme, and Thomas Curson, late sheriff of Norfolk and Suffolk, are indebted to the king for 283*l.* 18*s.* 9*d.*, 146*l.* 14*s.* 8*d.* and 286*l.* 10*s.* 7*d.* respectively, payable at the Exchequer in instalments of 50*l.*, 50 marks and 20*l.* respectively yearly; the king grants to the said William and Joan that they shall have these payments until they be fully satisfied of the said sum of 474*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* By p.s.

March 4. Westminster. Grant for life to John Dessex of the office of porter of the castle of Brunne, in the king's hands by the forfeiture of Thomas Holand, late earl of Kent, with the accustomed wages, fees and profits. By p.s.

March 9. Westminster. Grant to the king's clerk Roger Noble of the wardenship of the free chapel of Thresk, in the king's gift by reason of the minority of Thomas son and heir of Thomas de Moubray, late duke of Norfolk. By p.s.

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March 8. Westminster. Presentation of Henry Drayton, chaplain, to the vicarage of the church of Dertford, in the diocese of Rochester, in the king's gift by reason of the temporalities of the bishopric being in his hands by the voidance of the see.

March 8. Eltham Manor. Grant for life to the king's knight William de Fulthorpe of the manor of Dighton, co. York, worth 40 marks yearly, late of John, late earl of Salisbury, and in the king's hands by his forfeiture, provided that he answer for any surplus, saving to the king knights' fees and advowsons. By p.s.

March 8. Eltham Manor. Grant for life to the king's servant Thomas Gerard of 10*l.* yearly from the issues of the hundred of Fallesley, co. Northampton. By p.s.

March 13. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Durant, clerk, and William Felip, priest of the diocese of Lincoln, and the assigns of the said John of an indenture dated at London in the church of St. Paul on the feast of St. John before the Latin Gate, 22 Richard II, witnessing that Laurence de Janua, canon of the hospital of St. Mary, Mont Cenis, and proctor general in England of the provost and chapter of the hospital, has demised to them for eighteen years the church of Wotton by Wodestok, in the diocese of Lincoln, appropriated to the said hospital, with the manse of the rectory, tithes, rents and other appurtenances and the advowson of the vicarage, they paying to him or other proctor 12 marks yearly in the said church of St. Paul at the Annunciation, supporting all charges and maintaining three houses now standing in the rectory. By K.

March 12. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Ralph Ramsey of the reversion of a ferry (*passagii*) called 'Seint Tollow ferye,' between the counties of Norfolk and Suffolk on the death of George de Felbrigg, 'chivaler,' with the due profits and commodities as fully as the latter has at present. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because Henry V, on 5 June in his ninth year, granted to William son of the said Ralph 20 marks yearly for life from the fee-farm of the town of Cambridge.

March 13. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight Francis de Court of the fee-farm of 90*l.* which the abbot and convent of Kirkstall used to render to Thomas, late earl of Kent, for the towns of Colyngham and Compton, co. York, 36*l.* yearly rent which the said earl used to receive at the hands of the bailiffs and commonalty of Cicestre, the manor of Torpell to the value of 22*l.* 8*s.* 6*d.* yearly, the manor of Upton by Castre to the value of 8*l.* 9*s.* 10*d.* yearly, the manor of Eston by Colyweston to the value of 12*l.* 15*s.* yearly, a fee-farm of 10*l.* yearly from the manor of Bliseworth, co. Northampton, the manor of Ryhale, co. Rutland, to the value of 20*l.* 8*s.* yearly, the castle of Castre with its members of Castre, Grisseby, Northkelseye, Southkelseye, Houton and Fulnetby to the value of 60*l.* yearly, the manor of Beseby with its members to the value of 20*l.* yearly, the manor of Kelby extending in Kelby and Rouceby, co. Lincoln, to the value of 6*l.* 10*s.* yearly, and the manor of Caldecote, co. Huntingdon, to the value of 10*l.* 11*d.* yearly, late of the said earl and pertaining to the king by his forfeiture, with all profits, franchises, liberties, custodies, marriages, escheats, reliefs and other things, and all issues and arrears of the premises from the time of forfeiture, provided that they have not previously been granted to anyone else. By K.

Vacated because otherwise in this year.

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March 18. Westminster. Grant for life to Walter de Vale of all lands in Jordaneston, Waspailleston, Salesbacun, Corbaly and 40 acres of land late of William Douce by Tassagard and 40 acres of land in Balymalys, co. Dublin, in the march of Otothell, to hold to the value of 20 marks yearly, so that he answer for any surplus at the exchequer of Ireland. By p.s.

March 28. Westminster. William Wermystre and Alice his wife, staying in England, have letters nominating William Foxhull and Robert Talbot their attorneys in Ireland for two years.

The abbot of St. Augustine, Bristol, received the attorneys by writ.

MEMBRANE 30.

Feb. 20. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the barons of Lyde and Ingemareys of letters patent dated 17 February, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Westminster, 12 July, 38 Edward III [*Charter Roll*, 38 *Edward III*, *No.* 10], inspecting and confirming the following:—

1. A charter dated at Westminster, 12 February, 18 Edward I.
2. A charter dated at Westminster, 26 July, 7 Edward II, inspecting and confirming the following:—
   (1.) A charter of Henry II dated at Winchester.
   (2.) Letters patent dated 12 February, 18 Edward I.

By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper, because they were charged with the common fine of the whole liberty with the barons of the Cinque Ports.

Jan. 19. Westminster. Grant to John Wyndesore and his heirs of the manors of Maynerbier and Pennaly, co. Pembroke, with all rents and services of tenants late of David de Barry, 'chivaler,' in Begeley in Wales and all lands, knights' fees and advowsons which he and Thomas Holhurst, John Duket, and Thomas Afftenthwayt had of the grant of the said David in the county of Pembroke, and the manor of Esthanney called 'Filberdescourt,' co. Berks, in the king's hands by reason of the forfeiture of John Holand, late earl of Huntingdon, with all fees, advowsons, franchises and liberties.

By p.s.

MEMBRANE 29.

March 11. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the barons of the Cinque Ports of letters patent dated 22 January, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming the following:—

1. A charter dated at Westminster, 1 July, 38 Edward III [*Charter Roll*, 38 *Edward III*, *No.* 9], inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Westminster, 26 July, 7 Edward II [*Charter Roll*, 7 *Edward II*, *No.* 52], inspecting and confirming the following:—
   1. A charter dated at Westminster, 17 June, 6 Edward I. [*Charter Roll*, 6 *Edward I*, *No.* 13.]
   2. Letters patent dated 28 April, 26 Edward I.
   3. Other letters patent of the same date.
2. Letters patent dated 26 February, 2 Edward III, being an exemplification of letters patent dated 25 February, 1 Edward III, inspecting and confirming with additions letters patent dated 28 April, 26 Edward I.

By p.s. and for 20 marks paid in the hanaper.

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March 11. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Geoffrey Smyth of 6*d.* daily from the issues of the county of Wilts. By p.s.

March 11. Westminster. The like to the king's servant Thomas Mellir. By p.s.

March 14. Westminster. William Pounfret of London, 'skynner,' staying in England, has letters nominating Roger Hakensawe and Henry Stanyhurst his attorneys in Ireland for one year. John Rome, clerk, received the attorneys.

March 16. Westminster. Presentation of Robert Hykedy, parson of the church of Aldebergh, in the diocese of Norwich, to the vicarage of the church of Sudburne, in the same diocese, on an exchange of benefices with John Bluntesham.
Vacated because below.

March 18. Westminster. John de Bosworth of Patryngton in Holdernesse, going on the king's service to Ireland, has letters nominating Nicholas de Thornton of Patryngton and John Cliderhowe, clerk, his attorneys in England for one year. John Rome, clerk, received the attorneys until the return of the nominator to England.

MEMBRANE 28.

Feb. 24. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Richard de Burgh of letters patent (*French*) of Thomas, earl Marshal and of Nottingham, lord of Moubray and Segrave, dated at London, 22 February, 13 Richard II, apppointing him his chief chamberlain for life, granting to him a yearly rent of 20*l.* from the manor of Burton in Lonesdale and retaining him for life with *bouche de court* for himself and a yeoman.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

1399.

Dec. 31. Westminster. Protection with clause *volumus*, for one year, for Gilbert de Halsale of the county of Lancaster, knight, going on the king's service to Ireland in the company of the king's knight John de Stanley, lieutenant of Ireland, on the safe-custody of those parts. By bill of p.s.

The like for the following :— By bill of p.s.

Dec. 31. Westminster.
William de Stanley the elder of the county of Chester, esquire.
Richard de Whitacre, son of Henry de Whitacre.
John Aldelyme.
John Molyneux, clerk.
John de Lytherlande, esquire.

1400.

March 2. Westminster Walter Thomas of Exeter.

March 9. Westminster. Grant to the king's clerk John Draper of the wardenship of the free chapel of Hawenes, in the king's gift by reason of the minority of Thomas, son and heir of Thomas de Moubray, late duke of Norfolk. By p.s.

Jan. 24. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the prior and convent of Christ Church, Canterbury, of letters patent dated 14 July, 19 Richard II, granting that they shall not be charged with corrodies at the king's request. By K.

1399.

Nov. 14. Westminster. Grant for life to Hans Sentlinger of 10*l.* yearly at the Exchequer.
By p.s.

1400. *Membrane* 28—*cont.*

March 5. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Thomas Gray of 10*l.* yearly from the issues of the petty customs of Newcastle on Tyne. By p.s.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because the king, on 22 *November in the seventh year, granted to him for life* 10*l. yearly at the Exchequer from Easter then last past.*

Like grant to Andrew Gray. By p.s.

Mandates in pursuance to the collectors.

March 18. Westminster. Protection with clause *volumus*, for one year, for James de Pull, esquire, staying on the king's service in the company of the king's knight John de Stanley, lieutenant of Ireland, on the safe-custody of that land.
By bill of p.s.

The like for the following:—
Richard de Mosok of Ormeskirk, co. Lancaster. By the same writ.
John de Pull, knight. By the same writ.

MEMBRANE 27.

March 2. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Lancelot Glyn that he be one of the king's messengers in the place of William Hardyng, who is dead, receiving such wages daily as the latter had. By p.s.
Vacated because otherwise below.

March 4. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Roger de Elmham of letters patent dated 12 July, 18 Richard II, granting to him for life 10*l.* yearly; and grant to him of arrears from Michaelmas last.
By K. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 18. Westminster. Whereas on 14 February last the king granted to Elizabeth late the wife of William de Botreaux, 'chivaler,' the elder, the custody of all manors and lands late of William de Botreaux, 'chivaler,' the younger, son of the said William, tenant in chief, with parks, warrens, fairs, markets, franchises, liberties, rents, services and profits from Michaelmas last during the minority of William the son and heir of the said William the younger with his marriage without disparagement, paying 700 marks at the Exchequer, viz. 100 marks in hand and the residue in three years in half-yearly instalments, and finding a competent sustenance for the heir and supporting the houses and buildings and other charges; the king grants that she shall have the custody and marriage from heir to heir during minority and if the heir now surviving die unmarried before the end of three years with his heir of full age and married she shall be quit of the sum remaining to be paid, and pardons to her the 77*l.* 16*s.* 2¾*d.* due from her for the arrears of the custody of the manors and lands of the inheritance of the said William the son before the 30 September last. By p.s.

March 2. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Lancelot Glyn that he be one of the king's messengers in the place of William Hardyng, deceased, receiving 4½*d.* daily for his wages at the Exchequer as the latter had. By p.s.

Feb. 23. Westminster. Whereas the late king on 2 October, 21 Richard II, by letters patent granted in frank almoin to the abbot and convent of St. Mary, Gervaux, an acre of land in Newebiggyng in Bisshopdale with the advowson of the church of Ayskarth, co. York, which he had of the grant of Ralph, earl of Westmoreland, with licence to appropriate the church in mortmain, and

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they were accordingly seised of the same, and afterwards the pope united the church to the monastery and the church became void by the resignation of the parson and the abbot and convent obtained possession of it and now hold it to their own uses and have caused it to be served by a monk; the king, for 20*l.* paid in the hanaper, confirms their estate therein, provided that a vicar be sufficiently endowed and a competent sum of money be distributed yearly among the poor parishioners of the church at the discretion of the ordinary. By p.s.

March 7. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Robert Love of letters patent dated 8 July, 18 Richard II, granting to him for life 40*s.* yearly from the issues of the manor of Cosham; and grant to him for life of 40*s.* yearly from the same, which Walter Wykorne had by letters patent of Richard II, surrendered. By p.s.

March 16. Westminster. Grant to the king's servants John Halley, Thomas Yonge and John Crosseby of all goods and chattels late of Master William Feriby in the custody of Thomas Tolereton, parson of the church of St. Martin Organ, London, pertaining to the king by the forfeiture of the said William, to the value of 20*l.*, provided that they answer for any surplus. By p.s.

March 16. Westminster. Licence, on the mainprise of Thomas Everdon, clerk, and John Waddesworth, clerk, for Nicholas Fynglas, citizen of Dublin, to buy 600 quarters of wheat, barley and malt in Ireland and ship them from the ports of Dublin, Clontarf, Houth and Basydowyll to England or Wales.

Feb. 20. Westminster. Letters of denization for Peter de la Mare of Gascony. By p.s. and for 100*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 19. Westminster. Whereas William de Monte Acuto, late earl of Salisbury, by charter granted to the king's knight William de Farendon and his heirs the manor of Aston Clynton, co. Buckingham, with the advowson of the church of the manor, held in chief, and he had confirmation of the same from Richard II by letters patent, and the said earl granted to him and his heirs the reversion of all lands which he had in Dounrigg and Monjoie, co. Buckingham, on the death of Alice sometime the wife of John Camoill and also granted to Richard Pany and his heirs the reversion of the manor of Hyde, co. Hertford, on her death, and she made attornment to the said Richard, who surrendered his estate to the said William, and she made attornment to the said William, and the latter was for the space of two years in possession of the said manor, advowson and reversions and afterwards the said earl died and by the compassing of John de Monte Acuto, last earl of Salisbury, deceased, inquisitions were taken by which it was found that the said earl William died seised of the premises and accordingly the late king caused them to be taken into his hands, and afterwards on the death of the said earl John it was found by inquisitions that he died seised of the premises, and they have been taken into the king's hands; the king, at the supplication of the said William de Farendon, grants the premises to him and his heirs. By p.s.

March 17. Westminster. Appointment for life of Hugh Shirley, 'chivaler,' as master of all falcons, goshawks, lanners, lannerets and other hawks (*avium*) to be bought for the king's use in Ireland, receiving the accustomed fees, wages and other profits. By p.s.

Vacated because elsewhere in this year.

March 18. Westminster. Grant for life to Richard de Goldesburgh of 40*l.* yearly at the Exchequer from Michaelmas last, in lieu of a grant to him from the customs and

1400. *Membrane* 27—*cont.*

subsidies in the port of Lincoln by letters patent (*see p.* 230), surrendered because invalid because there is no port or any customs or subsidies pertaining to the king in that city. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 26.

March 13. Westminster. Presentation of Thomas Kyrkeby to the church of Bynbroke, in the diocese of Lincoln.

March 12. Westminster. Grant for life to William de Preston of the office of the green wax of the exchequer of Ireland with the due fees, wages and other profits, provided that he make no extortions by colour of his office. By p.s.
Vacated because below.

Grant for life to John Laweles of 45*s.* 6*d.* yearly from the farm of the city of Dublin in Ireland; in lieu of a grant to him for life, for his good service in war, by which he lost his eyes, of 26*s.* 8*d.* yearly at the exchequer of Chester by letters patent of Richard II, surrendered. By p.s.

March 13. Westminster. Whereas on 4 September last the king, then duke of Lancaster, by letters patent under the seal of the duchy granted to Robert de Scales, 'chivaler,' the manor of Lopham, co. Norfolk, during the minority of the son and heir of Thomas, late duke of Norfolk, and afterwards on 18 November by letters patent granted to him the custody of the manor from Michaelmas last during the minority of the said heir; the king now pardons to the said Robert all that pertains to him for the issues of the manor from the said 4 September to Michaelmas. By K.

March 11. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Ralph Tendre of letters patent dated 27 March, 17 Richard II, granting to him for life 6*d.* daily. By p.s.

March 11. Westminster. Grant for life to Henry Adamesone of Cairykmayn of lands and tenements in Balyhauley, Balyhamond, Balytire and Balymargy, co. Dublin, to the value of 10*l.* yearly, provided that he answer for any surplus at the Exchequer and that they have not been granted to anyone else; and grant to him also of 100*s.* yearly from the issues of the manor of Thorncastell, co. Dublin. By p.s.

March 16. Westminster. Grant to the king's knight John de Robessart of the 39*l.* which Roger Smert received from the rents of the priory of Kirkeby and its appendages. By p.s.

March 16. Westminster. Presentation of John Bluntesham, vicar of the church of Sudburne with the chapel of Orford, in the diocese of Norwich, to the church of Aeldebergh, in the same diocese, on an exchange of benefices with Robert Hykedy.

March 11. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Janico Dartasso of letters patent dated 8 March, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life the manor called Mareys Londe in Hunspile, co. Somerset.
By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

March 15. Westminster. Grant to John Tornepasse of a coat of mail late of Thomas Shelley, 'chivaler,' and pertaining to the king by reason of his treason. By p.s.

March 11. Westminster. Whereas Thomas Shelley, 'chivaler,' by the name of Thomas Shelley, esquire, at the procuration of certain enemies of William Wymbeldon of the county of Surrey caused the latter to be arrested at London on a plea

1400. *Membrane* 26—*cont.*

of debt and falsely condemned in 100*l.* before John Warner and John Wade, then sheriffs, and afterwards on his passage to Ireland remembering this oppression sealed a writing of quitclaim of all personal actions against him and for the relief of his conscience eight days before his death caused it to be delivered to the said William, and afterwards after the delivery of the judgement against him sent to the treasurer of England and told him that the said William was falsely condemned and no money was due and afterwards acknowledged the writing when exhibited in the presence of the steward of the household and the sheriffs, but the said William cannot be acquitted of the said sum or delivered from prison because the said Thomas made forfeiture to the king of the said sum, and the treasurer has reported that the said Thomas lately before his death made confession that William was falsely condemned; the king pardons to the said William the said 100*l.* By p.s.

March 16. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 19 November, 6 Richard II, granting to Nicholas de Salesbury a plot within the palace of Westminster. By p.s.

March 18. Westminster. Pardon, for 10*l.* paid to the king by John Cobeldyke, to him and Marjory late the wife of Robert son and heir of John de Hanley, knight, tenant in chief of Richard II, the said Robert having died while a minor and in the custody of the late king, of their trespass in intermarrying without licence.

March 19. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight John Loterell, whom the king has retained for life, of 40*l.* yearly from the issues of the county of Somerset. By p.s.

March 16. Westminster. Grant to the king's servant Philip Clarioner of the 100*s.* which John Wykes, marshal of the marshalsea of the King's Bench, incurred towards the king for the escape of Nicholas Sandell, a felon committed to his custody within the marshalsea. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 25.

March 7. Westminster. Grant to the bailiffs and good men of the towns of Cokham and Braye of pontage for two years to be expended on the repair of the bridge of the town of Maidenhithe by the supervision of the prior of Bustlesham, William Stafferton and John Hynden.

March 6. Westminster. Grant for life to Hugh Elyot of the county of Somerset of a croft in the fields of Milverton, co. Somerset, called 'Mynsterlond,' containing 20 acres of land, sometime parcel of the manor of Torelespreston and taken into the hands of Edward III by the escheator of the county because one Roger Torell granted it to the parson of the church of Milverton in mortmain without licence, to hold to the value of 16*s.* yearly, provided that he answer for any surplus at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Feb. 10. Westminster. Grant for life to Robert de Rokley, 'chivaler,' for his good service to the king's father, deceased, and the king, of the manor of Kymberworth with lands in Bautre late of Thomas, late lord le Despenser, and in the king's hands by reason of his forfeiture, worth 40*l.* yearly, from which Elizabeth late the wife of Edward the father of the said Thomas receives in allowance of dower 20 marks yearly, with the reversion of the said 20 marks yearly on her death, saving to the king fees and advowsons and provided that he answer at the Exchequer for any surplus. By K.

Membrane 25—*cont.*

1400.
March 6. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Thomas Fisshburn of 10 marks yearly from the issues of the town of Oxford. By p.s.

1399.
Dec. 18. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 11 August, 18 Richard II, granting to Matilda Maule an annuity of 40 marks until her marriage. By p.s. and for 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

1400.
March 10. Eltham. Grant, for two years, to Reginald de Grey of Ruthyn that notwithstanding the ordinance in Parliament, 3 Richard II, he may receive by his ministers or attorneys all issues from his lordships, lands, rents, services and other possessions in the county of Weysford in Ireland and have them sent to England; and pardon to him of two parts of the same due to the king or Richard II for one whole year before the king's coronation. By K.

Feb. 17. Westminster. Licence, during pleasure, for the mayor, bailiffs and good men of the town of Suthampton, in aid of the fortification and repair of the town, to take yearly as much stone within the bounds of the Isle of Wyght as they have been accustomed to take before, without paying anything to the king, and for the mayor and bailiffs to take workmen, stone-cutters, carpenters and labourers, not occupied on the king's works or any works within the liberty or franchise of the church, within the county of Southampton or elsewhere, to a reasonable number for their works. By p.s.

March 18. Westminster. Protection with clause *volumus*, until Midsummer, for Walter Bytturley, knight, occupied on divers businesses of the king within the realm, and his men and possessions. By K.

March 18. Westminster. Licence for Nicholas Hill, vicar of the church of Balyrothery in Ireland, to stay for five years in the schools of the University of Oxford or Cambridge to learn ecclesiastical law there and in the mean time to receive all profits of his vicarage. By p.s.

March 20. Westminster. Presentation of Richard Ecclesley to the church of Llanyestyn. The letters are directed to the guardian of the spirituality of the bishopric of Bangor.

March 18. Westminster. Grant for life to John Vaques Dalmadaam, 'chivaler,' whom the king has retained for life, of 100 marks yearly at the Exchequer from Michaelmas last. By p.s.

March 27. Westminster. Appointment for life of Hugh Shirley, 'chivaler,' as master of all falcons, goshawks, lanners, lannerets and other hawks (*avium*) to be bought for the king's use in Ireland, receiving such wages and fees as other occupants of the office had. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 24.

1399.
Nov. 22. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the prior and canons of Bustlesham of a charter dated at Westminster, 3 February, 13 Edward III [*Charter Roll*, 13 *Edward III*, *No.* 11], inspecting and confirming with additions a charter dated at Westminster, 22 April, 11 Edward III [*Charter Roll*, 11 *Edward III*, *No.* 15]. For 50*s.* paid in the hanaper.

MEMBRANE 23.

1400.

March 11. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the prior of Andover of letters patent dated 1 June, 8 Edward III (*rectius* II), inspecting and confirming a charter of William [II] to the abbey of St. Florent. [*Monasticon*, VI. 992.] By K.

March 15. Westminster. Grant to Agnes late the wife of William Berkwey of all the goods and chattels which she had before her marriage and which have been forfeited to the king because the said William was lately convicted of high treason at Oxford, so that nothing remains for her sustenance. By p.s.

1399.

Dec. 5. Westminster. Whereas Roger Frank was charged with having on Good Friday, 22 Richard II, before the ninth hour feloniously entered the house of John Pally, 'plomer,' in the parish of St. Sepulchre within Neugate in the ward of Faryndon Within, London, and stolen a weight of the said John of lead called 'half-hundred' weighing 56 pounds, worth 3*s.* 4*d.*, and thereupon for the safety of his life he appealed one John Kyng, 'taillour,' dwelling in Pountfreyt, co. York, with having with him on Friday before Easter, 22 Richard II, in the said parish stolen a weight of lead of the said John Pally worth 40*d.*; the king pardons the said Roger as well for the felonies as for the appeal. By p.s.

1400.

March 18. Westminster. Grant for life to Richard de Stanhope, 'chivaler,' of 40 marks yearly from the issues of the county of Nottingham. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because the king with his assent on 2 December in the eighth year granted the same for life to Roger Deyncourt son and heir of John Deyncourt, 'chivaler,' deceased.

March 17. Westminster. Grant to John Lemyngton, chaplain, of the chantry of Merfeld, in the diocese of Chichester. By p.s.

March 18. Westminster. Presentation of Alan de Kyrbrid, parson of the church of Arthred, in the diocese of Carlisle, to the church of Schaleby, in the same diocese, on an exchange of benefices with John de Grisdale. The letters are directed to the guardian of the spirituality of the bishopric, the see being vacant.

March 17. Westminster. Grant, during pleasure, to the mayor, bailiffs and good men of the town of Suthampton, in aid of the fortification and repair of the town, of 200*l.* yearly, viz. for the next year 100*l.* each from the subsidy of wools in the port and from the farm of the town and afterwards 200*l.* from the said farm, so that the inhabitants and renters and the possessors of goods within the town pay 100*l.* yearly towards the same and the said 300*l.* yearly shall be spent by the supervision of the king's esquire Richard Mawardyn and the mayor and the controlment of the king's controller there. By p.s.

Vacated because in the second year.

March 18. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John de Stanley, 'chivaler,' and Thomas de Stanley, clerk, of letters patent dated 13 February, 17 Richard II, granting to them the custody of the alien priory of New Abbey by Abberbury during the war with France. By K.

1399.

Dec. 13. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Nicholas Hunte of letters patent dated 28 October, 7 Richard II, granting that he shall be ranger of the forest of Chuyt for life. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because the king on 15 March, in the twelfth year granted the office of ranger to the said Nicholas and Michael his son for life.

1400. *Membrane* 23—*cont.*

March 22. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Thomas Pomeroy of 20*l.* yearly from the issues of the county of Devon. By p.s.

March 18. Westminster. Grant for life to John Spenser of 20 marks yearly at the Exchequer, in lieu of a like grant by letters patent of Richard II, surrendered. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 22.

March 18. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Walter Euere of letters patent dated 19 June, 19 Richard II, granting to him for life 10*l.* yearly. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

March 18. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Roger Brede of Seint Auban of 6*d.* daily from the issues of the counties of Hertford and Essex. By p.s.

March 18. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Richard Mawardyn of 20*l.* yearly from the issues of the county of Wilts. By p.s.

March 15. Westminster. Grant for life to John Faucon king of arms of 7½*d.* daily at the Exchequer. By p.s.

March 18. Westminster. General pardon to William Giles. By p.s.

March 16. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of a writing of Thomas, earl of Nottingham and marshal of England, lord of Moubray, Segrave and Gower, dated at London, 15 March, 20 Richard II, granting for life to his esquire Reginald Moubray, his herald, an annuity of 20 marks from the issues of his manor of Fyndon, co. Sussex, beginning at Michaelmas then following, on condition that the king's letters patent of 10 marks [yearly] from the manor of Hynton, co. Cambridge, lately granted to him, be surrendered to the treasurer then. By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.
Mandate in pursuance to the bailiffs of the said manor.

March 24. Westminster. Grant for life to William Ernam of Pynchebek of 3*d.* daily from the great custom in the port of Boston. By p.s.

March 21. Westminster. Protection, for one year, for the infants of the king's sister Elizabeth Lancastre, countess of Huntyngdon, and their servants dwelling at Dertyngton, co. Devon, and their goods, that they may pass to any part of England when and as often as they please. By p.s.

March 19. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Richard de Swandiebache of letters patent (*French*) of Thomas, earl Marshal and of Nottingham, lord of Moubray and Segrave, dated at London on the feast of All Souls, 15 Richard II, granting to the said Richard, his yeoman, for life the office of keeper of the wood of Dowelande pertaining to the manor of Thresk, co. York, with fees and profits as John Duduill had. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

March 17. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Scot of letters patent dated 13 December, 16 Richard II, granting to him for life 20 marks yearly. By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

March 19. Westminster. Grant for life to Henry Nyghtyngale, chaplain, of the chantry which Stephen, late parson of the church of Stonesfeld, had in the chapel within the king's manor of Wodestoke, void by his death, with 100*s.* yearly at the hands of the bailiffs of the manor, as the said Stephen or other occupants of the chantry had. By p.s.

Membrane 22—*cont.*

1400.
March 16. Westminster. Grant to Thomas Wynchecombe, in lieu of a grant of the same to the value of 50*l.* yearly, by letters patent of Richard II, confirmed by letters patent of the king, surrendered, of the manor and parsonage of Felstede, co. Essex, parcel of the alien abbey of the Holy Trinity, Caen, in Normandy, with all profits and commodities belonging to them during the war with France to the value of 40*l.* yearly, provided that he answer at the Exchequer for any surplus, maintain the houses, buildings, wood, enclosures and gardens without waste and support all other charges.
By p.s.

March 22. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William son of Robert de Pereth of letters patent dated 27 April, 10 Richard II, granting to him for life an office in the forest of Ingelwode.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

1399.
Nov. 19. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Spenser of letters patent dated 29 March, 14 Richard II, and 7 May, 21 Richard II, granting to him for life 100*s.* yearly and 12*l.* yearly respectively.
By K. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

1400.
March 23. Westminster. Grant to William Giles of all his goods and chattels forfeited to the king.
By p.s.

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1399.
Nov. 24. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the citizens of Waterford, with the exception of three clauses and also with the exception of pleas of rape, arson, forestalling and treasure trove in the city and suburbs, which the king wishes to remain to him and his heirs and his ministers of Ireland, of a charter dated at Westminster, 4 August, 45 Edward III [*Charter Roll*, 43-45 *Edward III*, *No.* 3], confirming with the exception of the said three clauses and with additions a charter dated at Westminster, 14 November, 30 Edward III [*Charter Roll*, 30 *Edward III*, *No.* 4], inspecting and confirming with the exception of the said three clauses and with additions a charter dated at Langley, 16 June, 2 Edward II [*Charter Roll*, 2 *Edward II*, *No.* 3], inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Woodstock, 16 June, 16 Henry III [*Charter Roll*, 16 *Henry III*, *m.* 7].
For 5 marks paid in the hanaper.

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1400.
March 28. Westminster. Whereas John Botewelle and John Hosyer lately on the coast of Cornwall stole a ship called *la Marie* of Bristol within the time of the truce between England and Castile and because default should not be found on the part of England Richard II paid to the owner of the ship a certain sum of gold, for which cause the ship is forfeited to the king, the king grants to his esquire Richard Eton the same ship with all its gear, of which William Spyl at present is master, to the value of 50*l.* provided that he answer for any surplus.
By p.s.

MEMBRANE 19.

March 19. Westminster. Grant to the king's yeoman of his chamber John Whitenay of a girdle with a 'baselard' and a pair of 'paternostres' in the hands of the escheator of the county of Berks late of Henry Carre, and forfeited to the king because he was in the company of the earl of Kent who lately rose in insurrection, to hold to the value of 40*s.* provided that he answer for any surplus.
By p.s.

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March 22. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Adam Baret of letters patent dated 27 June, 15 Richard II, granting to him for life the office of forester of the forest of Inglewod. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

John Preston, staying in England, has letters nominating William de Preston of Ireland and Hugh de Carleton his attorneys in Ireland for one year. Thomas Stanley, clerk, received the attorneys until the return of the nominator to England.

March 16. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent (*French*) of Thomas, earl of Worcester and admiral of England and Ireland, dated in the port of Bristol under the seal of the office of the court of Admiralty in the parts of the west, 6 August, 23 Richard II, certifying that Piers de Counties, merchant of Bayonne, sued a bill before him for his barge called *Seynt Nicholas* of Bayonne against one John de Artites, pending which plea Henry, duke of Lancaster and steward of England, sent his command under letters patent (*French*) dated at Gloucester, 1 August, for the delivery to the said Piers of the said barge with all its gear and the freight between the port of Bayonne and Bristol, by which and by the cognisance which he had of the plea before John Caws, his lieutenant, he put him in possession. By p.s.

1399.
Nov. 2. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 10 October, 11 Richard II, granting for life to William Cousin 100*s.* yearly. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

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March 17. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 6 July, 3 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 28 May, 50 Edward III, in favour of Thomas de Etton. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

March 16. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the citizens of Waterford of letters patent dated 26 May, 3 Richard II, inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Westminster, 24 February, 38 Edward III [*Charter Roll*, 38 *Edward III*, *No.* 18]. For 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

March 28. Westminster. Grant for life to William Breton, whom the king has retained for life, of 20*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

March 24. Westminster. Licence for John Bolacourt of Estgrenewyche, mariner, born in France, to acquire lands within the realm to himself and his heirs and assigns. By p.s.

March 24. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Brewster, yeoman of the pantry, of 6*d.* daily from the issues of the petty custom in the port of Lynne, co. Norfolk. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 18.

March 16. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 18 March, 21 Richard II, granting to Elizabeth late the wife of Henry Grey of Wilton, knight, the custody of certain of his lands during the minority of Richard his son and heir with the marriage of the latter, and so from heir to heir. For 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

March 28. Westminster. Presentation of William Chapman, vicar of the church of Norton, in the diocese of Lincoln, to the vicarage of the church of Petlyng Magna, in the same diocese, in the king's gift by reason of the alien priory of Ware being in his hands on account of the war with France, on an exchange of benefices with Edward Daubeney.

Membrane 18—*cont.*

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March 19. Westminster. Grant to the mayor and commonalty of the city of Waterford, in aid of the enclosure and fortification of the city, of 20*l.* yearly for ten years from the custom called 'le coket' within the city, provided that the same be expended by the supervision and control of the collectors of the custom. By p.s.

March 16. Westminster. Grant for life to Richard Wattesford, late one of the yeomen of the chamber of Richard II, deceased, of 10*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Feb. 23. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Thomas Arthur, knight, of an indenture dated at London, 16 November, 1372, witnessed by John Daundesey, John de Thorp, Edward Dalyngrigg, knights, Thomas Mortymer, Thomas Lyouns, John Fallesley and others, by which Edward le Despenser, lord of Glamorgan and Morganwg, grants for life to the said Thomas a yearly pension of 20*l.* from his exchequer in the castle of Kerdife and the latter promises to stand at his command in peace and war. By p.s. and for 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

March 18. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Thomas Prodefote, esquire, of an indenture (*French*) dated at London, 24 September, 23 Richard, II, witnessing that John, duke of Exeter, earl of Huntyngdon and chamberlain of England, has retained him for life at a yearly rent of 10*l.*, for which he has granted to him for life all his lands, rents and services in Wynkelegh Tracy, co. Devon. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Inspeximus and confirmation to Antony Cunlle of letters patent dated 26 May, 13 Richard II, granting to him for life 10 marks yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

March 12. Westminster. Mandate to the escheator in the county of Kent to restore the temporalities of the abbey of St. Saviour, Bermondesey, in the diocese of Winchester, void by the resignation of John Attilburgh, last abbot, to Henry Tompston, monk of the house, whose election as abbot Master Robert Hallum, bachelor of either law, commissary of Thomas, archbishop of Canterbury, has confirmed and whose fealty the king has taken. By K.

The like to the escheators in the following counties:—
Berks.
Surrey and Sussex.
Somerset.
Bedford.
Essex and Hertford.

The like to Thomas Knolles, mayor of London, escheator in that city.

Writ *de intendendo* in pursuance to the tenants. By K.

March 19. Westminster. Grant to the king's sister Elizabeth, countess of Huntyngdon, of a 'clothsakke,' seven napkins (*nipas*) of divers colours and make, five sheets of cloth of Champayn, two sheets of cloth of Flanders, a long 'pilowe,' two short 'pilowes,' two sheets of 'stamyn,' a cap of red 'velvet,' and a cap of black 'satyn,' a vestment of 'baudekyn,' red and white with two towels (*manutergiis*) two cloths of one suit for the altar, four pots of silver each containing half a gallon, and a saltcellar of silver covered and gilt, late of John Holand, late earl of Huntyngdon and pertaining to the king by his forefeiture and in the custody of Richard Whityngton, citizen of London. By p.s.

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Membrane 18—*cont.*

March 17. Westminster. Mandate to the controller at the town of Suthampton to control all the works of the fortification and repair of the town and all necessary payments according to the tenour of letters patent to the mayor, bailiffs and good men of the town. (*See p.* 240.)

March 29. Westminster. Grant for life to Roger Elmham and Elizabeth his wife of 20*l.* yearly from the issues of the county of Norfolk from Michaelmas last. By K.

March 30. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight Ralph Rochefort of 50 marks yearly at the Exchequer. By K.

April 6. Westminster. Grant for life to Robert Kyng, mariner of la Pole, of 10 marks yearly from the issues of the counties of Somerset and Dorset, in recompense of 10 marks yearly which he had for life of the grant of William de Monte Acuto, late earl of Salisbury, by letters patent, surrendered. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 17.

March 24. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the burgesses of the town of New Kermerdyn of the following:—

1. A charter dated at Westminster, 7 July, 10 Richard II [*Charter Roll, 9 and 10 Richard II, No.* 10], inspecting and confirming with additions a charter dated at Westminster 4 May 14 Edward III [*Charter Roll, 14 Edward III, No.* 27] inspecting and confirming with additions a charter dated at Westminster 8 May, 6 Edward II [*Charter Roll, 6 Edward II, No.* 6], inspecting and confirming the following:—
   (1.) A charter dated at Westminster, 22 July, 11 Henry III.
   (2.) A charter dated at Westminster, 4 February, 41 Henry III, inspecting and confirming a charter of the king's firstborn son Edward.
   (3.) Letters patent dated 9 December, 13 Edward I.
2. Letters patent dated 8 May, 6 Edward II [*Calendar, p.* 578].

For 10 marks paid in the hanaper.

MEMBRANE 16.

Feb. 24. Westminster. Grant to the king's knight Robert de Rempston, steward, and the king's clerk Thomas Tuttebury, treasurer of the household, of the custody of all castles, lordships, manors and lands in England and Wales late of Thomas, late earl of Kent, John, late earl of Huntyngdon, John, late earl of Salisbury, Thomas le Despenser, 'chivaler,' Ralph Lumley, 'chivaler,' Thomas Blount, 'chivaler,' and Benedict Sely, 'chivaler,' deceased, who made forfeiture to the king, and Thomas, late duke of Norfolk, Roger de Mortuo Mari, late earl of March, John de Bello Monte, 'chivaler,' and John de Arundell, 'chivaler,' deceased, tenants in chief of Richard II, with reversions of dowers during the minority of the heirs and the custody of all alien priories in the king's hands on account of the war with France so long as they remain in his hands, so that all moneys arising from the issues of the premises shall be applied to the expenses of the household with the exception of the sums which the king has assigned for the expenses of his sons Henry, Thomas, John and Humphrey and the lands which he has granted to other persons.

By K.

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Nov. 20. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Wardeboys of letters patent dated 8 August, 18 Richard II, granting to him for life an annuity of 5 marks. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

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March 26. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Denys of 6*d.* daily from the issues of the counties of Bedford and Buckingham. By p.s.

Grant to John Neuton, chaplain, of the free chapel of St. Mary Magdalen, within the parish of Ashton Clynton, co. Buckingham, in the king's gift by reason of the forfeiture of John, late earl of Salisbury. By K.

March 18. Westminster. Grant for life to William, bishop of Tournay, who has not wherewithal to live or to maintain his estate, of 40*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because with his assent on 8 *January, in the fourteenth year the king granted the same for life to Henry Somer.*

March 22. Westminster. Grant to the burgesses of the town of Rosse in Ireland, in aid of the repair and fortification of the town, which has lately been burnt and destroyed by the king's Irish enemies, of 20 marks yearly for ten years from the custom called 'le coket' in the port of the town, provided that the same be expended on the enclosure and fortification of the town by the supervision and control of the collectors of the custom. By p.s.

Feb. 4. Westminster *Inspeximus* and confirmation of the following:—
1. Letters patent dated 19 November, 17 Richard II, being a licence for the abbot and convent of SS. Sergius and Bacchus [Angers] to grant in mortmain to the prior and convent of the house of St. Anne of the Carthusian order by Coventry the manors of Swavesey and Drie Drayton and the advowson of the church of Swavesey, saving a certain rent. [*Monasticon.*]
2. Letters patent dated 23 June, 20 Richard II, granting to the prior and Thomas Yokflete, clerk, the custody of the alien priory of Swavesey during the war with France.
3. Letters patent dated 21 May, 22 Richard II, releasing to the prior and convent the said rent. [*Monasticon.*]

And grant to them of the custody of the said manors or priory during the war with France without rendering anything to the king, with licence to acquire the said manors of Swavesey and Drydrayton *alias* the priory of Swavesey according to the said letters. By p.s.

April 2. Westminster. Grant to Richard Bellyng of Gravesende, 'boteman,' of a boat lately belonging to him and forfeited to the king because one Richard Bette, late one of the servants of the said Richard, fell out of it and was drowned. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 15.

March 24. Westminster. Exemption for life of William Morton of Gravesende from being put on assizes, juries, inquisitions, attaints or recognitions against his will. By p.s.

March 18. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Kirkeby of letters patent dated 24 January, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life 20*l.* yearly. By K.

March 24. Westminster. Grant to the king's esquire Robert Hethcote of all the old irons within the Tower of London which were ordained for the coinages there and which are damaged and not now of service. By p.s.

Membrane 15—*cont.*

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March 16. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Simon Brahem, late burgess of Ghent, of letters patent dated 13 November, 13 Richard II, granting to him for life 20*l.* yearly. [*Fœdera.*] By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

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Oct. 17. Westminster. Grant for life, from Michaelmas last, to the king's esquire Janico Dartas, in lieu of like grants by other letters patent of the king, surrendered, of 100 marks yearly from the fee-farm of the town of Drogheda on the part of Uriel and the part of Meath and the custom and coket of the same town and 40*l.* yearly from the fee-farm of the city of Dublin. By K.

Oct. 20. Westminster. Mandate in pursuance to the mayor, bailiffs or stewards of the town of Drogheda and the customers or collectors of the custom and coket.

The like to the mayor, bailiffs and other officers and farmers of the city of Dublin.

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April 5. Westminster. Presentation of John Aleyn, parson of the church of Titteshale, in the diocese of Norwich, to the church of Borlee, in the diocese of Lincoln (*rectius* London), on an exchange of benefices with William Heyward.

March 29. Westminster. Grant to the bailiffs and good men of Great Merlawe of pontage for three years by the ordinance and supervision of the prior of Bustlesham, John Seemare and Nicholas Monketon.

March 28. Westminster. Grant for life to Thomas Dungessell *alias* Mewe of 20*l.* yearly at the Exchequer, in recompense of divers annuities, things and offices which he had of the grant of Richard II, deceased, and which the king has granted to divers of his servants. By p.s.

March 27. Westminster. Grant to the king's son John during the minority of the heir of Thomas, late lord le Despenser, of 60*l.* yearly from the farm which Constance late the wife of the said Thomas is bound to render to the king for certain lands late of the said Thomas which she holds by letters patent. By p.s.

March 24. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's brother Thomas Beaufort of the manor of Assheford in la Peek late of Thomas, late earl of Kent, and pertaining to the king by his forfeiture, to the value of 60*l.* yearly, provided that he answer for any surplus at the Exchequer. By p.s.

March 29. Westminster. Grant to Nicholas Warde, one of the yeomen of the king's chamber, of 10*l.* from the issues of the manor of Sallowe, co. Derby, in the hands of Francis de Meryng, late escheator of the county, pertaining to the king by reason of the last voidance of the bishopric of Coventry and Lichfield. By p.s.

March 29. Westminster. Grant for life to Roger Trumpynton, in augmentation of his estate, of 40*l.* yearly at the Exchequer, in lieu of a grant of 20 marks yearly from the issues of the honour of Bolyngbrok by letters patent of the king's father, deceased, surrendered. By p.s.

March 26. Westminster. Writ of aid for John de Byngham, Robert Skyllyngton, John Hornyngwold and Thomas Whytebred, whom the king has appointed to take masons, carpenters and other workmen to the number of twenty-four for the works of the collegiate church at Leicester which the king's grandfather Henry, sometime duke of Lancaster, began to construct and the king's father John, late duke of Lancaster, desired to complete, and also timber and stone and other necessaries and carriage for the same.

April 2. Westminster. Presentation of Richard Janyn, chaplain, to the chantry at the altar of St. James in the parish church of Todyngton, in the diocese of Lincoln.

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March 26. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire John Nowell of 20 marks yearly from the issues of the county of Hertford. By p.s.
Mandate in pursuance to the sheriff.

March 29. Westminster. Presentation of Thomas Hampton, parson of the church of Shelue, in the diocese of Worcester, to the vicarage of the church of Fekkenham, in the same diocese, in the king's gift by reason of the temporalities of the alien abbey of Lyre being in the king's hands on account of the war with France, on an exchange of benefices with Richard Kirkeby.

March 30. Westminster. Grant for life to William Swayn of Calais of 6*d.* daily at the Exchequer. By p.s.

March 1. Westminster. Pardon to John, bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, of 1,000 marks current in demand upon him in the Exchequer for a certain imprest (*apprestum*) made to him by Richard II for the satisfaction of the first fruits of the bishopric. By K.
On the information of the king's confessor and the testimony of the treasurer.

MEMBRANE 14.

March 29. Westminster. Protection for all the visitors of the abbey of Chester and their men and goods and Edmund Brynkele and other monks of the abbey and the men and possessions of the abbey, which is of the foundation of the king's progenitors and of the patronage of the king's firstborn son Henry, prince of Wales; as by the bad governance of Henry, the abbot, the possessions of the abbey have been wasted and a great part of its goods have been removed by the abbot, who will not go to it but stays in places remote, and the abbot of St. Augustine's, Canterbury, and others to whom the visitation pertains propose to visit it with all speed. By K.

March 27. Westminster. Licence for John Welles, master of a ship called *la Alison* of Bristol, to load the same in the port of the town with four fardels of cloth, each containing twelve dozens, and 18 tuns of old wine to take to Ireland to sell there and also four lasts of salt to salt salmon, herrings and other victuals to be bought there and to bring back the said ship with the salmon, herrings and victuals to England, after payment of the due customs and subsidies. By C.

March 24. Westminster. Grant that for four years the mayor and constables of the staple of the city of Waterford may take the oaths of their offices before the prior of St. Katharine's, Waterford, as they cannot go to the chancery of Ireland without expense and peril on account of the distance and the king's Irish enemies. By K. on the information of Janico Dartasso.

March 18. Westminster. Appointment, during pleasure, of John Fenne to keep the king's swans in the river Thames and in the Lodene from Oxford to Quenhithe and to take carriage for them when necessary, answering for the swans and their profits at the Exchequer. By bill of the treasurer.

March 31. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's yeoman John Colton, in recompense of the office of keeper of the park of Lyskeret, co. Cornwall, of 100*s.* yearly from the issues of the manor of Odyham, co. Southampton. By p.s.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because the king granted the same to him on 22 August, in the second year.

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Nov. 26. Westminster. Licence for Richard Frere of Boston, William Halden, John Gibson, Stephen Baxster and John Skelton to found a fraternity or gild perpetual of themselves and other persons, both men and women, in the church of St. Botolph, Boston, and to admit others to the same. The brethren and sisters of the fraternity shall have power to elect and remove from time to time a master or warden for the governance of the fraternity and the custody of its possessions and to form a commonalty of themselves with a common seal, and the master or warden shall have power of impleading and being impleaded by the name of master or warden of the fraternity or gild of St. George, Boston, and he and the brethren and sisters shall have power to meet together when they please. And grant of licence for the said Richard, William, John, Stephen and John to acquire, after inquisition, lands and rents, not held in chief, to the value of 20 marks yearly and grant them to the said master or warden in mortmain. By p.s.

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March 10. Westminster. Pardon to the king's kinsman Edward, earl of Rutland, of all debts for which any sheriffs or ministers of Richard II are charged for him at the Exchequer and all debts, accounts and arrears for which he is charged at the Exchequer or elsewhere. By K.

March 18. Westminster. Grant for life to Poncius, lord of Castelhon, of 100 marks yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

April 3. Westminster. Commission to Richard Vernon, 'chivaler,' John Wogan, 'chivaler,' John Joce, 'chivaler,' Thomas Roche, John Eynon, Thomas Walweyn, John Hyot, clerk, David Perot, John Stevenes and John Wyse to levy all debts in the hands of any ministers and other debtors of Thomas, earl of Worcester, in the lordship of Pembroke, Kilgarren, Seyntclere, Osterlowe and Tynby for the time when he was farmer of Isabella, queen of England, and to cause them to render accounts of all the receipts and debts in arrear and to audit these accounts and to arrest and imprison all who are in arrear until the arrears shall be levied from their lands and chattels; and to the said John Hyot to receive the moneys and grant acquittances. By C.

April 4. Westminster. Grant to the king's knight John Greyndore of the custody of all lands late of William Blount, deceased, tenant in chief, of the value of 20 marks yearly, during the majority of Isabel his daughter and heiress, with her marriage without disparagement, provided that he find a competent sustenance for her, maintain the houses, buildings, woods, enclosures and gardens without waste and support all other charges. By p.s.

April 3. Westminster. Writ of aid for the king's esquire Gilbert Kyghley, whom the king has appointed to go as his messenger to the city of York on certain business and to take as many horses called 'hakeneys' as shall be required for the journey of himself and a yeoman and a groom.

March 29. Westminster. Grant to the king's kinswoman Alesia late the wife of Thomas de Holand, late earl of Kent, that after her death the executors of her will may occupy all the possessions and yearly rents which she holds in dower or for life and receive the issues thereof for one year if they are in the king's hands for so long. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 13.

March 27. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight John Littelbury of 100 marks yearly from the issues of the county of Lincoln, in lieu of a grant of 50 marks

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yearly at the Exchequer by letters patent of Richard II, surrendered. By p.s.

March 24, Westminster. Grant for life to Richard Elys, mariner, of 10*l.* yearly at the hands of the sheriff of Kent. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because the king granted the same to him from the issues of the county on 15 *February, in the second year.*

March 30. Westminster. Licence, for half a mark paid in the hanaper by William Molyner, John Lilleston, William Sonman and John Chesman, for the alienation in mortmain by them to the prior and convent of Blakemore, parsons of the church of Tyburne, of three parts of a rood of land in Tyburne, not held in chief, for the making of a cemetery there for the burial of the dead and the building of a church in the cemetery.

1399.

Nov. 19. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 23 April, 18 Richard II, granting for life to Nicholas Mansfeld the office of bailiff in eyre in the county of Wilts. By p.s.

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April 1. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the lepers of the house of St. Mary Magdalen, Colecestre, of letters patent dated 12 May, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Waltham Holy Cross, 8 April, 10 Edward III [*Charter Roll*, 10 *Edward III*, *No.* 46], inspecting and confirming the following:—

1. A charter of Henry II dated at Woodstock.
2. Letters patent of Stephen.
3. A charter dated at Woodstock, 22 June, 52 Henry III [*Charter Roll*, 52 *Henry III*, *m.* 6], inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Dover, 8 December, 1 Richard I.

For ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

April 2. Westminster. Ratification of the estate which William son of William Warde of Baumburgh has as parson of the church of Haghthorpe, in the diocese of Lincoln.

April 3. Westminster. Grant for life to Nicholas Belot of Patryngton in Holdernesse and Matilda his wife of 100*s.* yearly from the great and petty custom in the port of Kyngeston on Hull. By p.s.

Feb. 23. Westminster. Grant for life of the king's alms to Floria Shaldeford of 6*d.* daily from the petty custom in the port of London. By p.s.

The like to Cristina Huchon of 4*d.* daily at the hands of the customers of the petty custom in the city of London. By p.s.

April 6. Westminster. Revocation of the protection with clause *volumus* lately granted by letters patent to Alan Frompton, 'cordewaner,' staying on the king's service in the company of the king's knight Thomas Swynbourne, captain of the castle of Hammes, on the safe-custody of the same, because he delays in the city of London, as the sheriffs have certified.

March 11. Westminster. Pardon to Thomas de Dent of Boston, *alias* Thomas Saltkill, *alias* Thomas Dent brother of John Saltkill of the county of Lincoln, for all felonies committed by him and for having on Thursday after the Purification, 18 Richard II, at Horbelyng *alias* Horblyng ravished and carried off Margaret the wife of John Arderyn *alias* Arderne. By p.s.

April 6. Westminster. Whereas from a yearly farm of 57 marks due to the alien house of nuns of Marceneye and payable to Edward III on account of the war with France 273*l.* 12*s.* 3*d.* were due to him in arrears from the prior and

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convent of the house of Farlegh, co. Wilts, of the king's foundation as in the right of his consort, deceased, and they were allowed to pay the same in instalments of 5 marks yearly, and 150*l.* 5*s.* 7*d.* still remain unpaid; the king pardons this to them. By p.s.

April 7. Westminster. Grant to Joan Scargill late the wife of John Scargill, knight, of the custody of all manors, lands, rents and services late of Marjory Waldef, deceased, in England and Wales, of the value of 40 marks, during the minority of Thomas Waldef her son and heir, provided that she find a competent sustenance for the heir, maintain the houses, buildings, woods, gardens and enclosures and support all other charges. By p.s.

April 6. Westminster. Presentation of Richard Androwe, vicar of the church of Segre, in the diocese of Salisbury, to the vicarage of Hunlavyngton, in the same diocese, on an exchange of benefices with Adam Daungervyle.

MEMBRANE 12.

April 6. Westminster. Exemption for life of Roger Stagenho of Southwerk, 'chandeller,' from being put on assizes, juries, attaints, inquisitions or recognitions and from being made trier or arrayer of any assize or other inquisitions, assessor, inquisitor or collector of tenths or other subsidies, taxes or tallages, arrayer, leader or trier of men at arms, hobelers or archers or other minister of the king against his will. By p.s.

April 1. Westminster. Whereas Richard II lately presented John Belyng, chaplain, to the church of St. Patrick, Trym, in Ireland, void and in his gift, and the said John accordingly sued a writ of *quare impedit* before the justices of the bench in Ireland against Alexander, bishop of Meath, and Richard Petyr, incumbent of the church, and afterwards while this plea was pending Edmund, bishop of Exeter, then chancellor in England, of his office, at the false suggestion of the said Richard that the church was taxed at 20 marks only, caused letters patent of ratification to be made to the said Richard under the great seal of England with the clause providing that no plea was pending, and the said Richard alleged these letters before the said justices, but on account of the clause and the plea they were not allowed, and nevertheless a certain person by the connivance of the said Richard and others conspiring to defraud the said John obtained a presentation to the church from Reginald de Grey, 'chivaler,' late lieutenant in Ireland, as though it were void and in his gift by reason of his office, and sued a writ of *quare impedit* in the said court against the said bishop and Richard and the said Richard alleged the said letters of ratification and they were allowed; the king, in consideration of this and because the church is taxed at 20*l.*, as appears by certificate of the bishop of Meath, revokes the said letters of ratification. By p.s.

April 6. Westminster. Pardon to John Billyng of London of 108*l.* 14*s.* 11½*d.* with which he and Hugh Borrey, monk of the priory of St. Andrew, Norhampton, were charged to Richard II for arrears of the custody of the lands and possessions of the abbot of St. Nicholas, Angers, in the county of Buckingham and in Spaldyng, co. Lincoln, and all fruits of the church of Cosham in the hands of the said king on account of the war with France before 21 July, 15 Richard II, and for the non-payment of which he was committed to the Fleet prison and is still detained there. By K.

The like to Robert Waleys, late one of the collectors of the subsidy of 12*d.* in the pound and 8*s.* in the tun in the port of Ipswich, of 15*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.*

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due to Richard II for the remainder of 40*l.* charged on him in exoneration of Geoffrey Sterlyng, the other collector, viz. for the same subsidy from Midsummer, 13 Richard II, until 22 November following, and also of 8*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* likewise due to the said late king for the remainder of the said 40*l.* with which 8*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* the bailiffs of the town in the years 20 Richard II, 21 Richard II and 22 Richard II are severally charged, for the nonpayment of which he is detained in the same prison.
By K. on the information of John Cheyne, 'chivaler.'

April 10. Westminster. Presentation of William Papelon, chaplain, to the church of Lasseborugh, in the diocese of Worcester.

April 9. Westminster. Protection, until Michaelmas, for John Stapulton and his men and goods. Richard II lately appointed him deputy of Thomas Brounflete, chief butler, in the port of Bristol and he accordingly took the king's prises of wines there and bought other wines for the expenses of the household for which divers sums of money are still due to divers persons and gave a full account to the said Thomas and received letters of acquittance, and the king appointed him deputy of John Payn, chief butler, in the said port and he accordingly sold divers wines of the king's prise to divers persons to the king's use for no small sums of money, which are still in arrear, and he now intends to go to the town and the neighbouring ports to levy these sums. By K.

April 10. Westminster. Grant to the king's servant William Wetwang of 10*l.* in the custody of Robert Asshwy of Hertford late of Walter Parkere, late parker of the park of Ware, and forfeited to the king because he rose in insurrection in the company of Thomas, late earl of Kent. By p.s.

April 11. Eltham Manor. Pardon to John de Haryngton of Thoresby for all felonies and trespasses committed by him, except treasons and rapes, and grant to him of all his goods forfeited thereby. By K.

April 9. Westminster. Whereas the priory of Cowyk is a cell of the abbey of Bec Herlewin in Normandy and of old time paid to it a yearly apport of 12*l.* and the abbot and convent by a deed under their common seal, at the request of Hugh de Courtenay, late earl of Devon, for 100*l.* paid to them by him, granted that the prior and his successors should be quit of the said apport and charged them that they should find a monk to celebrate divine service in the priory for the good estate of the said earl and Margaret his wife and the souls of Hugh, late earl of Devon, his father, and Agnes his mother, and Hugh his grandfather and Eleanor his wife and should keep the obits of the said Hugh and Agnes on the days of their death and that each monk of the priory on the days of these obits should have 2*s.* from the issues of the priory and the prior on each day of the obits should give 200 pence to 200 poor people and on each day of the year five loaves to poor people, and all alien priors are restored to their priories saving the ancient apport paid to their chief house beyond the sea; the king grants to John, now prior, that the priory shall be quit of the said 12*l.* yearly for 20 years, subject to the charges in the said deed, provided that the prior and convent pray and celebrate divine service for ever for the good estate of the king and for his soul after death. By p.s.

April 12. Westminster. Licence, in consideration of like licences by letters patent dated 16 June, 20 Edward III, and 18 February, 20 Richard II, which have not been executed, for the appropriation in mortmain by the abbot and convent of St. Mary's, York, of the church of Hornese, which is of their own advowson, provided that a competent sum of money from the fruits

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of the church be distributed by them yearly to the poor parishioners and a vicarage be sufficiently endowed at the ordinance of the diocesan, according to the statute. For 40 marks paid in the hanaper.

April 6. Westminster. Whereas by an inquisition taken before Thomas Graa, then mayor of York and escheator in that city, it was found that it was not to the damage of anyone if the prioress and convent of Molseby appropriated the church of St. Helen, York, which is of their own patronage and of the yearly value of 5 marks, and the present pope by bull united the church to the priory and granted licence for them to hold it to their own use and serve it by a chaplain; the king pardons them for the acceptance of the bull and releases all claim to the church and grants licence for them to unite it to their priory according to the bull. By p.s.

April 7. Westminster. Grant to Thomas Hill and John Bedyngham, late servants of the king's uncle Thomas, duke of Gloucester, deceased, of all goods and chattels late of Hugh Wolatton, parson of the church of Leyham, co. Suffolk, deceased, seized by the ministers of Thomas, late earl of Kent, for a sum of money due to the latter from the said Hugh and pertaining to the king by the forfeiture of the said earl, to the value of 40 marks. By p.s.

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March 24. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Stapenhull of letters patent dated 8 March, 16 Richard II, granting to him for life 2*d.* daily, and letters patent dated 10 December, 17 Richard II, granting to him for life 100*s.* and 2½ marks yearly. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

April 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Thomas Lowry of letters patent dated 27 June, 19 Richard II, granting to him for life the office of launder of Plumpton within the forest of Inglewode. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

April 2. Westminster. Grant for life to William Wynterbourne of the custody of the woods of Bentelwode and Mulchet, co. Wilts, with the accustomed wages, fees and profits. By p.s.

Feb. 24. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Hay of letters patent dated 18 October, 22 Richard II, granting to him for life 20*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 22 *February, in the fourth year, the king granted to him* 10*l. and to Thomas Holwell* 10*l. yearly for life at the Exchequer.*

April 7. Westminster. Grant, during good behaviour, to John Bateman of the office of chirographer and keeper of the writs and rolls of the common bench in Ireland, with the accustomed fees. By p.s.

April 6. Westminster. Presentation of Peter Rous, chaplain, to the vicarage of the church of Boscynny by Tyndagell, in the diocese of Exeter.

April 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Garcianaldus de Salyes of letters patent dated 10 August, 21 Richard II, granting to him for life 7½*d.* daily. By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

April 4. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servants Laurence Travers and James Hardyng, for their good service to the king and to his father, of the house sometime of Stephen Bokebynder in the parish of St. Botolph

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in Alderischgatestrete, escheated to the king, to the value of 20 marks yearly, provided that any surplus be answered for at the Exchequer. By p.s.

April 6. Westminster. Licence, for 6 marks paid by her in the hanaper, for Joan late the wife of Reginald de Everyngham, 'chivaler,' tenant in chief, to marry whomsoever she will of the king's fealty.

April 7. Westminster. Licence, in consideration of their losses by fire and water, for the prior and convent of Speneye by Saham, co. Cambridge, to acquire in mortmain, after inquisition, lands, rents and advowsons of churches, not held in chief, to the value of 40*l.* yearly, and to appropriate the churches in mortmain. By p.s.

April 1. Westminster. Protection with clause *volumus*, for two years, for William Langbrok, clerk, who is indebted to the king in no small sums of money, and his men and possessions. By K.

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Dec. 5. Westminster. Pardon to the king's brother Ralph de Neville, earl of Westmoreland, of all debts, accounts, arrears, fines, issues and amercements; and grant to him of all issues of all lands late of John, late lord of Neville, his father. By p.s.

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April 20. Westminster. Presentation of Thomas de Langton to the church of Eccleston, in the diocese of Coventry and Lichfield.

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Nov. 19. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Hugh Herland of the following :—

1. Letters patent dated 28 April, 14 Richard II, granting to him for life 10 marks yearly.
2. Letters patent dated 7 December, 7 Richard II, granting to him for life 12*d.* daily.
3. Letters patent dated 26 May, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life 18*l.* 5*s.* yearly. By p.s.

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April 5. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Robert Maryot, 'schypman,' of 6*d.* daily from the issues of the counties of Norfolk and Suffolk. By p.s.

March 21. Westminster. Licence for John Scotte, esquire, John Rederice, William Pounde, Edward Whyte, Philip Taillour of Bristol and Nicholas Kent, burgess of Galueye in Ireland, to cross to Ireland with as many fencible men as they wish to provide at their own expense and wage war there against the rebels and enemies of the king in the said town of Galueye, which in times past was of the king's allegiance until lately it was taken in war by one William Burgh, 'chivaler,' by the assent of certain traitors in it, and in the islands of Arons, which always lie full of galleys for the spoiling of the king's lieges, to the end that if they can take the town and islands they shall have to their own use all goods of the rebels and enemies of the king there and all that they can take in the same, saving to the king the rights, rents, revenues, services and moneys pertaining to his royalty there and saving the right of the son and heir of Roger de Mortuo Mari, late earl of March, deceased, a minor and in the king's custody, and other lieges of the king. They shall have passage in four ships of the said John Rederice, William Pounde, Edward and Philip called *le Cristofre, la Trinite, le Nicholas* and *la Marie* of Bristol, and they shall not wage war against any Irish or others of the king's allegiance, and the king has ordered the mayor of Bristol to take security from them to that effect in 1,000*l.* By K. & C.

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April 7. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Leche of letters patent dated 15 February, 15 Richard II, exempting him from dwelling in Ireland. By p.s. and for 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

April 5. Westminster. Grant for life to William le Zouche, 'chivaler,' of 100 marks yearly at the Exchequer. By K.

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Nov. 23. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Hull of letters patent dated 15 May, 4 Richard II, granting to him for life a bushel of wheat weekly or 43*s.* 4*d.* yearly. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

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April 5. Westminster. Grant for life to Matthew Flynt, 'tothdrawer' in the city of London, of 6*d.* daily at the Exchequer, to the effect that he should do what pertains to his art to any poor lieges of the king who may need it in the future without receiving anything from them. By p.s.

Feb. 17. Westminster. Grant to John Neuton, chaplain, of the free chapel of St. Leonard within the parish of Ashton Clynton, co. Buckingham, in the king's gift by reason of the forfeiture of John, late earl of Salisbury. By K.

April 23. Westminster. Presentation of Henry Folston, chaplain, to the vicarage of the church of Trowele, in the diocese of Canterbury.

March 12. Westminster. Grant for life to William de Preston, subject to his good behaviour, of the office of chancellor of the green wax of the exchequer of Ireland, with the due fees, wages and other profits. By p.s.

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April 9. Westminster. Grant to Blanche Bradeston the wife of Andrew Hake, 'chivaler,' of certain goods and chattels of the latter, viz. beds, oxen, cows, vessels of pewter and brass, napery and vesture for himself and his family, appraised at 15*l.* and seized in the county of Gloucester by the escheator there and taken into the king's hands as forfeited, and all other goods of the said Andrew within the county except horses, armour and body-clothing. By p.s.

April 6. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Trenarake, esquire, of an indenture (*French*) dated at London, 22 September, 23 Richard II, witnessing that John, duke of Exeter, earl of Huntyngdon and chamberlain of England, has retained him for life, receiving 10*l.* yearly from the issues of the lordship of Comartyn, co. Devon, and in time of war such wages as others of his estate. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

April 6. Westminster. Letters of denization for Reynald Greyle, merchant of Genoa, and Alaonus his son and the heirs of their bodies. By K. & by p.s.

April 4. Westminster. Grant to the king's servant Roger Swan, groom of the butlery, of 100*s.* pertaining to the king for the escape of Andrew du Portugale, felon, committed to the custody of the constables and bailiff of Grenewych, while they were taking him to the nearest prison. By p.s.

April 11. Eltham Manor. Grant for life to the king's servant John Blakdon, servant of the saucery, of 12*d.* daily from the issues of the county of Devon. By p.s.

April 14. Westminster. Grant, for ten years, to the prior of Little Malverne, co. Worcester, that he may dwell in England for the custody of his convent and religion and keep the possessions of the prior and convent in Ireland, as they cannot dispose of these but are hindered by the king's ministers of that land

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on account of a late ordinance in Parliament, by a monk of the priory as proctor, and that the proctor may dispose of the profits of these possessions and send them to England to the convent. By p.s.

March 9. Westminster. Grant for life to Richard Bentele of the office of porter of the king's castle of Marlebergh, with the accustomed fees and wages. By p.s.

April 20. Westminster. Licence for John Whithede, clerk, bachelor in theology and parson of the church of Stabanane in Ireland, to dwell for three years in the University of Oxford or Cambridge and receive all the profits of his church; and pardon to him of all forfeitures hitherto incurred on this account. By K.

April 23. Westminster. William Walton, staying in England, has letters nominating Richard Bermyngeham and Thomas Walton his attorneys in Ireland for one year. The chancellor received the attorneys.

April 22. Westminster. Grant to Thomas Bekyngham of the prebend of Brampton in the cathedral church of Lincoln. By p.s.
Mandate in pursuance to H. bishop of Lincoln. By the same writ.
Mandate in pursuance to the dean and chapter. By the same writ.

April 23. Westminster. Grant to the king's esquire John Watirton of a basin and twelve dishes of silver, four coats, two 'trappiers' and a tunic of arms late of Thomas Shilley, 'chivaler,' and pertaining to the king by his forfeiture, at present in the hands of John Chanse. By p.s.

April 20. Westminster. Grant for life to Adam Penkhyrst of 6*d.* daily from the issues of the counties of Surrey and Sussex, in lieu of a like grant at the Exchequer by letters patent of Edward III confirmed by letters patent dated 4 November last, surrendered. By K.
Mandate in pursuance to the sheriff.

April 4. Westminster. Grant to the king's servant Roger Swan, groom of the butlery, of 100*s.* pertaining to the king for the escape of Andrew de Portyugale, felon, committed to the custody of William Foo, 'borghsaldre' of Grenewych, William Coupere and Thomas Doo of Grenewich, while the said constables and bailiff were taking him to the nearest prison. By p.s.

April 17. Eltham Manor. Grant for life to William Yerde, esquire, of 20*l.* yearly from the issues of the manor of Combemartyn, co. Devon, in the king's hands by reason of the forfeiture of John Holand, late earl of Huntyngdon; in recompense of certain lands to that value within the manor of Westludesford, co. Somerset, which the said earl by writing indented granted to him for life and from which he has been removed because the manor was taken into the king's hands on account of the forfeiture and the king has granted the lands to the abbot and convent of St. Mary Graces by the Tower of London. By K.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 4 January, in the second year, the king granted the same to him from Michaelmas last.

MEMBRANE 8.

April 3. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Notyngham of letters patent dated 18 July, 7 Richard II, and 20 April, 7 Richard II, granting to him for life 10 marks and 10*l.* yearly respectively.
By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

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April 19. Westminster. Pardon to John Richemond the younger of Taxstede for having on Tuesday before Michaelmas, 9 Richard II, broken the close of John Chaldewell of Taxstede and ravished Katharine his wife and carried her off with woollen and linen cloths of his to the value of 20*s.*, for having on Monday after the Close of Easter, 12 Richard II, stolen a plough with all its harness and gear to the value of 4*s.* in Little Samford and for having on Thursday after Midsummer, 12 Richard II, broken the close of John Hierd at Taxstede and ravished Katharine his wife and carried her off with woollen and linen cloths of his to the value of 20*s.*, and for all other trespasses with which he is charged. By p.s.

April 18. Westminster. Pardon to John Bryce of Yevelchestre for all felonies, escapes of felons, trespasses and misprisions committed by him before 12 April, except murder, rape and the death of the king's uncle, the duke of Gloucester, provided he be not charged with the death of a man before that date. By p.s.

April 20. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's clerk, Robert de Malton, clerk of the pipe of the Exchequer, of 12*d.* daily from the issues of the county of York. By p.s.

March 27. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire William Neuport, for his good service to the king's ancestors and the king, of 10 marks yearly from the issues of the county of Stafford. By p.s.

April 22. Westminster. Grant to the king's esquires William Mirson of Lancastre and John his brother, to whom lately by letters patent the king granted the offices of collectors of the customs and cokets in all ports in Ireland with the office of searcher within the same, that, as the administration of these offices lies in divers ports among the king's enemies and they cannot continually go thither in person except by sea and this with a force of fencibles, they may occupy their offices by deputy, provided that they dwell in the principal ports. By p.s.

April 22. Westminster Grant to William Asshenden of the wardenship of the chapel of St. Leonard in the Forest by Horsham, in the diocese of Chichester, void by the resignation of John Bilney, last warden, and in the king's gift by reason of the minority of the lord of Moubray. By p.s.

March 16. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 6 February, 21 Richard II, granting for life to Robert de Faryngton 40*l.* yearly.
2. Letters patent dated 19 March, 21 Richard II, granting to him for life a tun or two pipes of Gascon wine yearly.

By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

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Nov. 20. Westminster. Licence for Reginald de Cobeham, clerk, Ralph de Cobeham and William de Makenade to grant in mortmain the manor of Tillebery, co. Essex, not held in chief, to the wardens and commonalty, contributories to the maintenance of the bridge of Rouchestre, in aid of the maintenance of the bridge and three chaplains to celebrate divine service in a chapel at the end of it. By K.

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April 27. Westminster. Grant to the king's knight Hugh de Watirton of the custody of the inn within the city of London late of the earl of Oxford, during the minority of his heir. By p.s.

April 26. Westminster. Appointment, until Michaelmas, of Robert Greneway, 'oisseller,' to provide swans, curlews and other fowl of land or river for the expenses of the household. *French.* By bill of the steward of the household.

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Grant that the castle or manor of Moresende which the king's kinswoman the duchess of Ireland holds of the king for life ——. *Unfinished and struck out.*

MEMBRANE 7.

April 24. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the prior and convent of St. John the Evangelist, Kermerdyn, of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 18 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Westminster, 10 March, 1 Edward III [*Charter Roll*, 1 *Edward III*, *No.* 72], inspecting and confirming a charter dated at York, 28 November, 12 Edward II [*Charter Roll*, 12 *Edward II*, *No.* 45], inspecting and confirming with additions a charter dated at Westminster, 10 April, 31 Henry III [*Charter Roll*, 31 *Henry III*, *m.* 9], inspecting and confirming a charter of Henry II dated at Westminster. [*Monasticon*, VI. 432.]
2. A charter dated at Haverford Castle, 28 September, 18 Richard II. [*Charter Roll*, 18 *and* 19 *Richard II*, *No.* 15.]
3. Letters patent dated 5 July, 19 Richard II, ratifying their estate in certain benefices. For 50*s.* paid in the hanaper.

April 28. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Robert Eland, notwithstanding the statute concerning absence from Ireland, of letters patent dated 1 June, 22 Richard II, granting to him 10 marks yearly. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

April 27. Westminster. Grant for life to William Kynmersford, for his good service to Henry, late duke of Lancaster, the king's grandfather, and the king's father John, late duke of Lancaster, and Blanche his wife, the king's mother, deceased, of 40*s.* yearly from the issues of the counties of Oxford and Berks. By K.

April 22. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant William Clerk of Calais of 6*d.* daily from the petty custom in the port of London. By p.s.

May 1. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire John Fox of Norhampton of 20*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

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April 5. Westminster. Letters of denization for Peter Remond, merchant of Melane. By p.s.

April 13. Westminster. Grant to the king's esquire Robert Mersh and his heirs of the fourth part of a tenement and 16 acres of land in Doncastre, co. York, late of Thomas Messyngham and in the king's hands because he died outlawed for felony, to the value of 10*s.* yearly, provided that any surplus be answered for. By p.s.

April 14. Westminster. Licence for Elizabeth late the wife of Bartholomew Gorges, tenant in chief of Richard II, to marry whomsoever she will of the king's fealty. By K.

April 13. Eltham. Whereas John Newebold of Kingston on Thames was lately appointed by Richard II to make purveyance of certain ships for the said king to go to Ireland and received 300*l.* for this and was immediately killed so that he did nothing of the purveyance, but he had placed the said 300*l.* in the hands of divers persons and these sums are forfeited to the king as escheat,

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and 100 marks of the same are now in the hands of John Willeman, 'brewer,' dwelling in Fletestrete, London; the king grants the said 100 marks to his servants John Hally, Nicholas Reresby, Nicholas Adderley and William German. By p.s.

April 10. Westminster. Whereas William Sneyth lately acquired without licence to himself and his heirs from William Repoun and Joan his wife the reversion of the manor of Palstre, co. Kent, which Alice, now deceased, late the wife of Nicholas Haut, 'chivaler,' held for life of the inheritance of the said Joan, and by an inquisition taken before Thomas Kemp, escheator in the county, it is found that the manor contains one knight's fee, of which half a fee is held of the king as of his castle of Ledys and the other half of the archbishop of Canterbury by knight-service; the king, for 40*s.* paid in the hanaper, pardons the trespass in this and grants that he may hold the manor.

April 22. Westminster. Grant for life to John Heryng of 20*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s. *Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on* 23 *August the king granted the same to Robert Welton, one of the clerks of the receipt of the Exchequer.*

April 20. Westminster. Grant to the king's esquire Janico Dartasso, in lieu of a like grant to him by letters patent of Richard II, surrendered, of the custody of all lands late of John Orlaston, tenant in chief by knight-service during the minority of William his son and heir, with the marriage of the latter, and so from heir to heir; the lands being extended at 46*s.* 5¾*d.* yearly besides a service of 4 cocks, 21 hens and the fourth part of a hen and 130½ eggs and besides 5*s.* ½*d.* in payment for the ward of the castle of Dover, as found by an inquisition taken before John Brode, escheator of the said late king. By K.

April 14. Westminster. Whereas Peter White of Kensyngton on the vigil of the Conception, 22 Richard II, when labouring on his own business found silver of the coinage of Henry, sometime king of England, amounting to 35*s*, which sum was mouldy (*putrida*) and crumbled (*quassata*) like dust except 5*s.*, and afterwards at the suit of William Scrope, deceased, and other officers of the said late king he was arrested and imprisoned and still is disturbed and detained under mainprise and has not wherewithal to support himself; the king pardons to him the said 35*s.* By p.s.

March 22. Westminster. Exemplification, at the request of Master Thomas Walleworth, master of the hospital of St. Nicholas, York, of the tenour of the enrolment of letters patent dated 9 May, 22 Richard II, granting certain lands to Master John Midelton, then master, and the brethren and sisters of the hospital.

April 26. Westminster. Protection with clause *volumus*, for one year, for Thomas Malyn *alias* Malyns of Berford, co. Bedford, esquire. By K.

April 6. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Hermann van Megre of letters patent (*French*) of Thomas, earl of Nottingham, marshal of England, lord of Moubray and Segrave, dated at London, 21 August, —— Richard II, granting to him for life an annuity of 10*l.* from the issues of his lands and lordships in the county of Sussex.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

April 30. Westminster. Ratification of the estate which John Burgh has in the prebend of Chestre in the collegiate church of Chestre in le Strete, in the diocese of Durham, to which he was collated by Walter, bishop of Durham. By p.s.

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April 9. Westminster. Licence for Thomas Clerk, master of a crayer called *le Trinite* of Bristol, William Stevenes, John Almere, William Pytte and Thomas Knappe, merchants of Bristol, to cross with sixteen mariners in their company to the castle of Conere and the town of Slygogh in Ireland with the said crayer and 20 tuns of old wine, which on account of its age and weakness cannot be sold in England, six lasts of salt and five packs of cloth called 'westerencloth,' and sell the wine and cloth to the king's lieges there and buy salmon there and salt them with the salt and bring them back to England and dispose of them, provided they pay the due customs and subsidies. By C.

April 7. Westminster. Pardon to Roger Baillif of Asshleyhay for having broken the house of John Henryson of Milnehous on Sunday after St. Hilary, 22 Richard II, at Milnehous and there stolen a pair of slippers worth 12*d.* of the goods of Adam Jacson, for having stolen a sickle worth 2*s.* of the goods of John Fynche of Asshleyhay at Asshleyhay on Saturday after St. Peter ad Vincula, 22 Richard II, and for having stolen at Middelton three bushels of barley worth 2*s.* 6*d.* of the goods of Nicholas Mageson of Middelton and a sack worth 12*d.* on Thursday before the Ascension, 21 Richard II. By p.s.

April 7. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Newton of 6*d.* daily at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender, because the king on 19 *July, in the thirteenth year, granted for life to John Offord* 20 *marks yearly at the Exchequer.*

April 8. Westminster. Whereas lately certain charters and muniments concerning the inheritance of Robert Fauconer were delivered into the Chancery of Richard II for custody and afterwards on 5 March, 21 Richard II, because he was troubled about certain lands of his inheritance he sued for the delivery of the charters and muniments and on this he and John Elyngeham were bound to the said late king in Chancery in a recognisance of 200*l.* for their restoration within a certain time and they were duly restored with the exception of a writing of release or quit-claim, accidentally lost, and with them another writing of release concerning the inheritance was delivered by the said Robert under the supposition that it was the one lost, and on account of the non-restitution of the said writing thus lost the said 200*l.* are demanded from the said John and Robert; the king pardons the same to them and grants that the recognisance shall be annulled. By K. & by p.s.

April 18. Eltham Manor. Pardon to the prior of the house of St. John the Evangelist, Kermerdyn, of 23*l.* arrears of two moieties of a tenth in the years 12 and 16 Richard II and a tenth in the year 18 Richard II and 19*l.* arrears of a moiety of a tenth in the year 20 Richard II, granted by the clergy of the realm, of which he and his predecessors were appointed collectors in the archdeaconry of Kermerdyn. For the last moiety he and his predecessors have not yet made account. By K.

April 11. Eltham Manor. Whereas Hugh de Calveley, 'chivaler,' was seised of the manor of Stevyngton, co. Berks, with the advowson of the church of the manor and the village of Westbury, co. Wilts, which is a member of the manor, and died seised thereof and the right of the manor, which is held in chief and which the present abbot of Westminster has occupied without just title for no moderate time, descended to one David de Calveley as his kinsman and heir and the latter claiming it as his inheritance entered into it without process or livery and without royal licence; the king, at

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the supplication of John de Calveley, keeper of the land and heir of the said David, pardons the trespass to the said David and grants that he may hold the manor, saving the right of the abbot and others. By K.

March 30. Westminster. Grant for life to John Hastyng of 10*l.* yearly from the issues of the counties of Oxford and Berks, in recompense of 10 marks yearly at the exchequer of Kermerdyn granted to him by letters patent of Richard II, confirmed by letters patent of the king, surrendered, and of a sustenance of 9 marks yearly which he had in the abbey of Abyndon, which 19 marks for certain causes he cannot have. By p.s.

April 22. Westminster. Grant to the king's servant John Mershe of the custody of all lands late of Edmund del Chaumbre of the town of Eppyng, co. Essex, during the minority of John his son and heir to the value of 22 marks yearly with the marriage of the heir without disparagement, and so from heir to heir, provided that any surplus be answered for and that he find a competent sustenance for the heir, maintain the houses, buildings, woods, enclosures and gardens and support all other charges. By p.s.

April 19. Eltham Manor. Pardon to John Ernesby of Northluffenham *alias* of Frysby for the death of Hugh Smyth *alias* Benet of Keten, co. Rutland. By K.

April 26. Westminster. Grant to Henry Thorpe of his lands taken into the king's hands for certain causes and his moveable goods and chattels taken from him by divers persons. By p.s.

April 26. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Rothewell of letters patent of John Holand, earl of Huntyngdon, dated at Berkhamsted, 11 June, 12 Richard II, granting to the same John, his yeoman, for life the bailiwick of the manor and hundred of Fremyngton, co. Devon, with the custody of the park of Combe Martyn, co. Devon, with the fees of the custody and 3*d.* daily for the bailiwick from the issues of the manor.
By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

April 6. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Hermann van Mekeren of 10*l.* yearly from the petty custom in the port of London, in recompense of an annuity of 10*l.* which Thomas, late duke of Surrey and earl of Kent, granted to him for life from the revenues of the manor of Wockyng, co. Surrey.
By p.s.

April 26. Westminster. Grant to Joan Scargill late the wife of John Scargill, knight, of the custody of all manors, lands, rents and services late of Marjory Waldef, in England and Wales, of the value of 40 marks, during the minority of Thomas Waldef her son and heir, with reversions and arrears from Michaelmas last, provided that she find a competent sustenance for the heir, maintain the houses, buildings, woods, gardens and enclosures and support all other charges. By p.s.

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Nov. 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John de Stanley of letters patent dated 1 October, 22 Richard II, granting to him for life 100 marks yearly.
By p.s. and for 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

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March 15. Westminster. Protection with clause *volumus*, for one year, for Walter Pafford, esquire, staying on the king's service in the company of the king's knight John de Stanley, lieutenant of Ireland, on the safe-custody of that land. By bill of p.s.

May 6. Westminster. Grant for life to John Wadesbury of the custody of the king's manor within the park of Wyndesore with the keeping of the king's ostrich, with the accustomed fees and wages, as John Sparowe had. By p.s

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May 10. Westminster. Edward Charlton, 'chivaler,' staying in England, has letters nominating Edward Perers, 'chivaler,' and Thomas Everdon, clerk, his attorneys in Ireland for three years. Nicholas Bubbewith received the attorneys.
The same Edward Charlton and Eleanor his wife have like letters.
The same Nicholas received the attorneys.

MEMBRANE 4.

April 30. Westminster. Grant to Edmund, duke of York, in amplification of letters patent dated 3 February, 14 Richard II, confirmed by the king, of the honour, town, fair and market of Reileigh, co. Essex, and other possessions therein mentioned, to hold for life without any deduction from the 1,000*l.* yearly granted to him by Richard II, provided that after his death the deduction of their value shall be made. By K.

May 5. Westminster. Presentation of Adam Mory, parson of the church of Stapilford, in the diocese of Lincoln, to the church of Bokelond, in the diocese of Winchester, in the king's gift by reason of the minority of John son of John de Arundell, on an exchange of benefices with John Loudham.

May 4. Westminster. Grant to the king's esquire Arnold Buada of 20*l.* late of John Walshe, esquire of Thomas, late earl of Kent, and a horse bought by the said John in Ireland for 5 marks, in the hands of the prior of Shirbourne, co. Southampton, and two coats (*hopilanda*), one of bloody and the other of a green colour, furred with grey late of the said John and a grey easy-stepping horse late of the said earl, in the hands of Richard Coly dwelling in Greyeshyn, pertaining to the king by the forfeitures of the said earl and John. By p.s.

May 6. Westminster. Grant to the king's servant John Selby of 9 marks remaining in the hands of Richard Donyndon, late farmer of the lordship of Segraves, co. Buckingham, from the farm of the lordship, which pertained to Richard II and now pertain to the king. By p.s.

May 7. Westminster. Robert Eland, clerk, staying in England, has letters nominating Thomas Talbot of Kyltalagh and Richard Whyte the younger his attorneys in Ireland for one year.
John Roderham, clerk, received the attorneys until the advent of the said Robert to Ireland.

May 5. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 25 February, 17 Richard II, granting for life to John Forester the office of forester in Penrethwarde in the forest of Ingelwode.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

April 30. Westminster. Protection, for two years, for John Burgh, canon and prebendary of Chestre in the collegiate church of Chestre in le Strete, in the diocese of Durham, and his men and servants, his canonry and prebend and his goods, provided that the king has not previously granted the prebend to anyone else. By p.s.

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Nov. 16. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 4 March, 13 Richard II, granting for life to Henry Kyng the office of the serjeanty of Ireel and Louth in Ireland. By p.s.

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May 8. Westminster. Presentation of Thomas Ferby, parson of the church of Bagherst, in the diocese of Winchester, to the church of Ponynges, in the diocese of

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Chichester, in the king's gift by reason of the minority of Robert son and heir of Richard de Ponynges, on an exchange of benefices with John Barbour.

April 17. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Hamme, esquire, of the county of Hereford of an indenture (*French*) dated at London, 27 October, 1 Henry IV, witnessing that Thomas le Despenser, earl of Gloucester, has retained him for life at a yearly fee of 10 marks from the manor of Burford, co. Oxford, and if the earl shall go to war out of the realm with the king or in his service the said William shall go with him and if the earl shall go to the parts of Sprws Rodes or any other parts out of the realm he shall go with him and if he is commanded to come to the earl to any parts in England or Wales he shall come with a yeoman, a groom and three horses, taking wages for himself and them as others of his estate and degree take, and shall bring with him any number of men required unless he has a reasonable excuse. By K.

May 10. Westminster. Grant for life to Peter Halle of a tun of red wine of Gascony yearly at Michaelmas in the port of Sandwich. By K.

May 6. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 11 December, 13 Richard II, granting for life to Nicholas de la Chambre a messuage in Berkhampstede. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

May 12. Westminster. Revocation of the protection with clause *volumus*, for one year, lately granted by letters patent to John Northridyng of Bristol, going to Ireland on the king's service in the company of the king's knight John Stanley, justiciary of Ireland, on the safe-custody of those parts, because he delays at Bristol, as the sheriff of that town has certified.

MEMBRANE 3.

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Nov. 23. Westminster. Grant for life to John Petirburgh of 6*d.* daily from the issues of the city of London. By p.s.

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May 4. Westminster. Presentation of Thomas Kirkeby, chaplain, to the church of Belesby, in the diocese of Lincoln.

April 11. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John, marquess of Dorset, of letters patent dated 30 August, 22 Richard II, granting to him for life 100 marks yearly; and grant to him of arrears. By K.

April 27. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Ostrych of letters patent (*French*) of Thomas, duke of Norfolk, earl of Notyngham, marshal of England, lord of Moubray, Segrave, Gower and Lewes, dated at Windsor, 18 March, 21 Richard II, granting for life to the said John his island in Ireland called 'Dorbarresillande' with all profits and commodities of the same, and his lands and rents in Rosse Pount, co. Weysford.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

May 7. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the prior and convent of Newstede in Shirwode of letters patent dated 1 July, 16 Richard II, granting to them a tun of wine yearly in the port of Kyngeston on Hull. By K.
Mandate in pursuance to the chief butler or his lieutenant in the port.

May 8. Westminster. Licence, for one mark paid in the hanaper by the prior and convent of Kertemell, for William Normaund, vicar of the church of Urswyk, and

1400. *Membrane* 3—*cont.*

Richard Sumlyer, chaplain, to grant to them in mortmain an acre of land in Alythwayt, not held of the king, in aid of their sustenance.

April 12. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Henry Botquenezlle of Brittany, whom the king has retained for life, of 40*l.* yearly from the issues of the custom and subsidy of wools, hides, and wool-fells in the port of London, in lieu of a grant to him for life of 10*l.* yearly by letters patent of the king's father John, late duke of Lancaster, confirmed by the king when duke of Hereford, and a grant to him for life of 10*l.* yearly from the king's coffers by letters patent of the king when duke of Hereford, surrendered. By K.

Vacated because otherwise in this year.

April 23. Westminster. Grant to the king's liege Thomas Clympesfolde of all the goods and chattels which he had on 8 January last, pertaining to the king as forfeited because he is indicted with having ridden with the earl of Kent against the king's majesty and with having been of his council. By p.s.

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Nov. 25. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's clerk Robert de Wermyngton of 10*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Oct. 1. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight Thomas de Rempston of the office of constable of the Tower of London, with the wages, fees and profits belonging to the office as Thomas, late earl of Kent, had. By K.

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April 30. Westminster. Grant to the king's clerk John Trowbrigge of the wardenship of the hospital of St. Mark called 'Gauntes' by Bristol. By p.s.

May 7. Westminster. Protection with clause *volumus*, for one year, for Richard de Habryngham, staying on the king's service in the company of the king's knight John de Stanley, lieutenant of Ireland, on the safe-custody of that land. By bill of p.s.

The like for the following :—

Edmund de Cliderhowe of the county of Lancaster, esquire. By bill etc.

May 24. Westminster. Roger Grymston. By bill etc.

May 12. Westminster. Grant to Richard Moushale of the custody of the bailiwick of Horestoke within the chace of St. Leonard, co. Sussex, from 1 November last with wages of 2*d.* daily during the minority of Thomas, son and heir of Thomas, late duke of Norfolk, and so from heir to heir, from the issues of the lordship of Brembre; as the said duke granted to him the custody for life with wages of 2*d.* daily, but before he could obtain letters patent the duke was banished and he could not get the benefit of the grant, and he has kept the bailiwick from the day of the duke's banishment and long before without receiving anything. By K.

March 18. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight Francis de Court of a fee-farm of 90*l.* which the abbot and convent of Kirkestall, co. York, used to render and another fee-farm of 36*l.* which the citizens of Cicestre used to render to Thomas, late earl of Kent, the manors of Torpell, Upton and Eston by Colyweston, a fee-farm of 10*l.* from the manor of Bliseworth, co. Northampton, the manor of Ryhale, co. Rutland, the castle of Castre with its members of Castre, Grisseby, Northkelsey, Southkelsey, Houton and Fulnetby, the manor of Beseby with its members, the manor of Kelby extending in Kelby and Rouceby, co. Lincoln, and the manor of Caldecote, co. Huntingdon, which castle and manors with their members are extended at 287*l.* 5*s.* 6½*d.* yearly, as appears by divers inquisitions, late of the said

1400. *Membrane 8—cont.*

earl and pertaining to the king by his forfeiture, with knights' fees, advowsons of churches, profits, franchises, liberties, wards, marriages, reliefs, escheats and other things, as the said earl had; grant also that he and the men, tenants and residents within the manor of Torpell and the lordship of the same shall be quit of toll throughout the realm during his life, as in the time of the earl; and grant to him of all issues and arrears of the premises from Michaelmas last. By K.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 30 October, in the fifth year, the king granted to him and Joan his wife and the heirs male of their bodies the castles and lordships of Pembrok, Tenibegh and Kilgaren and the commote of Oestrelowe with the assent of William Beauchamp, 'chivaler,' who had the custody of the same.

Mandate in pursuance to the abbot and convent.

Mandate in pursuance to Thomas Wake, esquire, lord of the manor of Bliseworth.

May 10. Westminster. Presentation of John Hasele, parson of the church of St. Michael, Cornhull, London, to the church of Hasele, in the diocese of Lincoln, in the king's gift by reason of the lands of Eleanor, late duchess of Gloucester, being in his hands, on an exchange of benefices with Thomas Whithed. By p.s.

Feb. 23. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Robert Tendale of 6*d.* daily at the Exchequer. By K.

1399. *MEMBRANE 2.*

Nov. 24. Westminster. Licence for Thomas, archbishop of Canterbury, Thomas de Percy, earl of Worcester, Payn Tybetot, 'chivaler,' Robert Pubelowe, clerk, Thomas Reede of Wales and John Tauk to grant to William Beauchamp and Joan his wife for life two parts of the castle, town, land and lordship of Bergevenny in Wales, held in chief, and the reversion of the third part, likewise held in chief, which Thomas Ponyng *alias* de Sancto Johanne and Philippa his wife hold in dower, on the death of the said Philippa. By p.s.

Dec. 6. Westminster. Grant to the king's knight Hugh Waterton of the offices of steward and receiver of the castle and town of Swayneseye and the lordship and land of Gouwer called 'Gouwerslond' and forester, parker and surveyor of all forests, parks, chaces, warrens and woods within the said lordship and land during the minority of the son and heir of Thomas, last earl of Notyngham, receiving the accustomed fees, wages, profits, and other commodities. By p.s.

Oct. 31. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 21 September, 16 Richard II, granting for life to William de Arundell 100 marks yearly.
2. Letters patent dated 12 February, 17 Richard II, granting to him for life the city and castle of Rochester.
3. Letters patent dated 25 February, 17 Richard II, granting to him the custody of the manor of Ansty, co. Warwick.
4. Letters patent dated 14 April, 17 Richard II, granting to him the custody of certain lands late of John Peyto.
5. Letters patent dated 21 November, 18 Richard II, granting to him for life the manor of Swalfeld, co. Berks.
6. Letters patent dated 11 September, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life 100*l.* yearly.

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7. Letters patent dated 20 March, 20 Richard II, inspecting and confirming to him letters patent of Thomas, late archbishop of York, and Edward, earl of Rutland, dated 21 December, 20 Richard II.
8. Letters patent dated 25 October, 21 Richard II, granting to him and Agnes his wife the manor of Benstede, co. Surrey.

By p.s. and for 10 marks paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 17. Westminster. Grant, during pleasure, to Robert Bergh of the office of pesage of wools in the port of Southampton and ports and places adjacent, receiving the accustomed fee. By bill of the treasurer.

Oct. 8. Westminster. Grant for life, from Michaelmas last, to the king's servant John de Leventhorpe of the castle, town, manor and lordship of Odiam, co. Southampton, at farm, rendering yearly at the Exchequer as much as Simon Felbrigge, 'chivaler,' late farmer, used to render to Thomas, archbishop of Canterbury, and Edward, earl of Rutland, late keepers of the lands and possessions of Anne, late queen of England, with the offices of constable and porter of the castle and parker of the park by deputy, receiving allowances within the said farm for the wages of his deputies as the said Simon had for the wages of parker and porter, viz. 2*d.* daily for the wages of porter, 2*d.* daily for the wages of parker, and the accustomed fees for the office of constable. By K.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because the king granted the same to him on 26 *February, in the third year.*

1400. *MEMBRANE* 1.

July 20. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the mayor, bailiffs and burgesses of the town of Hedon in Holdernesse of the following:—

1. A charter of Henry II as follows:—
   H. rex Anglorum et dux Normannorum et Aquitanorum et comes Andegavorum, justiciariis, vicecomitibus et omnibus ministris suis totius Anglie, Francigenis et Anglicis, salutem. Sciatis me concessisse Willelmo, comiti Albemarlie, liberum burgagium in Hedduna sibi et heredibus suis in feudo et hereditate, ita quod burgenses eius Heddune libere et quiete in libero burgagio tenent sicut burgenses mei de Eboraco vel Nichole melius et liberius et quietius tenent illis consuetudinibus et libertatibus. Testibus Ricardo de Luci et Willelmo filio Hamonis, apud Argentom.
2. A charter dated 18 December, 2 John.
3. A charter dated at York, 7 June, 9 Edward III [*Charter Roll, 9 Edward III, No.* 53], inspecting and confirming the preceding.
4. Letters patent dated 22 November, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Westminster, 16 April, 22 Edward III. [*Charter Roll,* 22 *Edward III, No.* 24.]

For 100*s.* paid in the hanaper.

July 24. Westminster. Protection for Thomas de Freston, the master, and the mariners of a ship called *Clement* which the king's clerk Master William Waltham, master or warden of the hospital of St. Leonard, York, which is of the foundation of the king's progenitors and of the king's patronage, has freighted in the port of London with divers victuals for the expenses of his household at the hospital and divers goods and other harness to take to the hospital, and the said victuals, goods and harness.

Membrane 1—*cont.*

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Nov. 19. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 6 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 2 February, 36 Edward III, and 20 August, 41 Edward III, in favour of John Asphull. By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

MEMBRANE 42*d.*

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Feb. 18. Westminster. Commission to Henry Moton and John Coke to enquire about the removal of certain armour, artillery, victuals and other goods and chattels lately in the castle of St. Briavels, co. Gloucester, and pertaining to the king, by the late constables of the castle.

MEMBRANE 37*d.*

Feb. 19. Westminster. Commission of oyer and terminer to Hugh Courtenay, William Rykhill, William Brenchesle, Martin de Ferreres and John Copleston, on complaint by Robert Chalon *alias* Chalouns, 'chivaler,' that Robert Dobbe, John Face, Walter Broun, William Stappe, Stephen Philip, John Wake, John Don, John Payn the younger, Richard Savage, John Clerc, Richard Cornysshe and Martin 'Robertservant Care' and other evildoers armed broke his closes and houses at Chepyngtoryton and Cokyngton, co. Devon, carried off five horses of his there worth 40 marks, cut down his trees and underwood, carried off them and other goods to the value of 200*l.* and 60*l.* in money and assaulted his men and servants. For ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 25. Westminster. Commission to Walter Clopton, Matthew Gournay, Ivo FitzWaryn, Humphrey de Stafford, William Rikhill, William Brenchesle, Thomas Broke, John Mannyngford and Robert Grey to enquire into all treasons, insurrections, felonies and other offences committed within the town of Frome, co. Somerset. By C.

Jan. 26. Westminster. Commission to John Elyngeham, serjeant at arms, to take all ships and vessels of the portage of 30 tuns of wine and more with all their gear in any ports of the realm from the mouth of the Thames to the north and masters and mariners for the same, and to bring them to the port of Sandwich. By C.

MEMBRANE 35*d.*

Jan. 28. Westminster. Commission to John Brokhole, clerk, and Robert Saperton, serjeant at arms, to enquire about all jewels, harness, money and other goods late of Thomas, late earl of Kent, who made forfeiture to the king, and Joan, late his wife, who still survives, in the town of Lyverpole and elsewhere in the county of Lancaster, and to make an inventory of the same and to bring them and the said Joan and Edmund, brother of the said earl, and their servants to the city of London, taking sufficient horses and carriage. By K.

MEMBRANE 32*d.*

Jan. 25. Westminster. Commission of oyer and terminer to Thomas de Bello Campo, earl of Warwick, John Norbury, Thomas Erpyngham, Thomas Rempston, John Lovell, Walter Clopton, Thomas Knolles, mayor of London, William

1400. *Membrane 32d—cont.*

Thirnyng, William Rikhill and Matthew Suthworth touching all treasons and felonies committed in the city and suburbs of London and the county of Middlesex after the king undertook the governance of the realm.
By K. & C.

MEMBRANE 27d.

Feb. 18. Westminster. Commission to Thomas de Nevylle, lord of Furnyvall, Robert Nevylle, 'chivaler,' Robert Hilton, 'chivaler,' Peter de Bukton, 'chivaler,' William Gascoigne, John Conyers, Richard Norton, William Hungate, Hugh Arderne, William Lodyngton and John Wether to enquire into the complaint of the master and brethren of the hospital of St. Leonard, York, which is of the foundation of the king's progenitors and of the king's patronage, that, although by charters of the king's progenitors it was granted to them that they should have from every plough ploughing in the counties of York, Northumberland, Westmoreland and Lancaster a thrave of corn yearly for the maintenance of the poor and infirm in the hospital, nevertheless certain persons, religious and others, refuse to render the same.

March 16. Westminster. Commission to William Rikhill, William Brenchesleye, Richard Mawardyn, the sheriff of Wilts, and John Michel, serjeant at arms, on information that divers evildoers of the town of Ambresbury, co. Wilts, have taken and imprisoned Sibyl, prioress of Ambresbury, and divers of her nuns at the incitement of brother Robert Daubeneye and still detain them in prison and have done other evils contrary to the general proclamation lately made throughout the realm and the king's letters of protection to the prioress, to deliver the said prioress and nuns from prison and to restore her to her estate and to arrest the said Robert and Agnes Harnham, Margaret Overton and Alice Longynough, nuns of the house, and all other principal offenders and bring them before the king and council and to seize and put in safe custody the treasure of gold and silver and jewels and other goods of the house carried off by them.

MEMBRANE 26d.

March 9. Westminster. Commission, with the assent of the council, to John de Stanley, lieutenant of Ireland, to cause the castle of Kelaghmone called 'Aubruncastell' in Ireland to be razed, as the custody of it has been and still is a great expense to the king without profit. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 25d.

Feb. 14. Westminster. Commission to the prior of Bustlesham, William Staverton and John Hynden, on information that Richard Fruytour, Richard Hampteshire, William Wade and Thomas Ferrour and other men of the towns and lordships of Braye and Cokham, co. Berks, by pretext of letters patent of Richard II to the bailiffs and good men of the said towns in aid of the repair of the bridge of the town of Maydenhithe, have collected no small sums of money and converted the same for the most part to their own uses and not to the repair of the bridge, to enquire into the matter and summon the said Richard and other collectors and audit their account and cause the moneys collected to be applied to the repair of the bridge.

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March 14. Westminster. Commission to Edmund, duke of York, Hugh le Despenser, Hugh Browe, John Gylder, John Repynghale, Gervase Wykes, John Stevenby and John Botiller to enquire by oath of good men of the counties of Northampton and Lincoln into the charge against John Pany, esquire, of being a maker of false money and of bearing himself towards the king and his person otherwise than he should. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 22d.

March 14. Westminster. Commission to the sheriff and the escheator in the counties of Surrey and Sussex to enquire about all deodands concealed from Richard II and the king from the year 12 Richard II. By K.

The like to all sheriffs and escheators throughout England and to Thomas Knolles, mayor of London and escheator in that city, and the sheriffs of the same.

March 26. Westminster. Commission to John Chaundeler, clerk, and Richard Pyttes, clerk, on information that divers misgovernments have been committed in the priory of Ambresbury, which is of the foundation of Henry [II] and of the king's patronage, by the prioress of the house and her nuns and the prior and canons of the house, to go in person to the priory and hold colloquy with them and inform themselves as well and secretly as possible about their behaviour, governance and conversation and certify thereon to the king. By K.

March 26. Westminster. Commission to John Lovell, 'chivaler,' John Roches, 'chivaler,' William Sturmy, 'chivaler,' John Chaundeler, clerk, and Richard Pyttes, clerk, to enquire into the report that, whereas in the priory of Ambresbury, co. Wilts, from the time of its foundation there have been a perpetual prioress and certain nuns and a perpetual prior and twelve canons, Sybil Mountagu, now prioress, scheming to subvert the foundation and change it at her will, has reduced the number of twelve canons to four and in place of the remaining canons has appointed secular chaplains, and has expelled brother Robert Daubeney, late prior, on her own authority without reasonable cause, and has kept the common seal of the house in her own custody, whereas according to the foundation it should be in the custody of the prioress and two other nuns, contrary to the will of the other nuns appointed to the custody, and without the assent of the chapter of the house, and has wasted the goods of the house to the value of 1,000*l.* and has done other evils. By K.

MEMBRANE 18d.

March 17. Westminster. Commission to Robert Neville of Horneby, 'chivaler,' John Rechford, 'chivaler,' William Gascoigne, William Passelewe, John Gaytford, Hugh Cressy and Aubin de Enderby, on the supplication by Thomas, archbishop of Canterbury, who was exiled and banished by authority of the Parliament of 21 Richard II, which is annulled in the last Parliament of the king, that certain goods and chattels of his of no small value, which at the time of his banishment were in the hands of certain persons of the counties of York, Lincoln and Nottingham and which have not yet been answered for, may be restored to him according to the form of the statute in the said Parliament, to enquire about the same and deliver them to the said archbishop or his attorneys and to certify thereon to the king in Chancery.

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MEMBRANE 15d.

April 1. Westminster. Commission to the mayor of Bristol, Robert Markele, serjeant at arms, and the sheriff of Bristol to enquire about all cloths not sealed with the appointed seal sold in the town since 21 November last and taken to foreign parts without payment of the due customs and subsidies, and to cause the king's letters concerning the ulnage of cloth to be proclaimed in the town and everything in them observed. By C.

MEMBRANE 13d.

April 1. Westminster. Commission *de walliis et fossatis* to William Rikhill, Richard Muriell, Thomas Erdyngton, William Cressewyk, John Martyn, William Hesell, John Mayhewe and Salamon Fresthorpe along the coast of the Thames in the marshes of Estgrenewyche, Combe, Charleton and Wollewyche, co. Kent, and the adjacent parts.

April 7. Westminster. Commission to William Fulthorp, 'chivaler,' Thomas Graa of York, Master Alan Newerk, Thomas Stanley of York, Nicholas Warthill of York and William Waghen of York, to enquire of lands of the hospital of St. Nicholas, in the suburb of York, which have been alienated to divers persons, and rents and services due to the hospital, which have been withdrawn and concealed.

MEMBRANE 11d.

April 14. Westminster. Commission to Ralph Newemarche, 'chivaler,' Robert Watirton, John Amyas and John Daweney to enquire into divers wastes and dilapidations committed in the manors of Fenwyk and Norton, co. York, which are of the inheritance of Edward Hastynges, 'chivaler,' brother and heir of Hugh Hastynges, deceased, tenant in chief of the king's father, by certain persons to whom the king's father committed the custody of the manors during the minority of the said heir.

The like to William Elmham, 'chivaler,' John Colville, 'chivaler, Nicholas Wychyngham, Thomas Halle and John Gourney in the manors of Gressenhale and Estlexham, co Norfolk.
Vacated because nothing was done.

The like to Edmund Thorpe, 'chivaler,' John de Wilton, 'chivaler,' John Boson, John Gressam, and William Snetesham in the manors of Gressenhale and Estlexham, co. Norfolk.

MEMBRANE 9d.

April 24. Westminster. Commission to Nicholas Carreu, John Weston and Walter Hoke to enquire into the escape or delivery of George, late servant of William de Arundell, and William Henseman from the gaol of Gildeford where they were lately detained under the custody of William Fenes, late sheriff of Surrey, for certain felonies.

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MEMBRANE 6d.

April 16. Westminster. Commission to Richard Kays, serjeant at arms, to seize a ship called *Seinte Marie et Seinte Katerine*, of which James Laurence is patron, lately freighted in Spain with divers merchandise of merchants of the Alberti of Florence under the name of the same and the said James and captured in Le Dounes by an armed barge of Richard Spycer of Plymmuth, and the said merchandise, and to take the same to the port of Sandwich and put them in safe-custody and certify thereon to the king and council. By p.s.

April 23. Westminster. Commission to William Prince, master of a barge called *le Cristofre* of Arundell, to take mariners for the same, to go to sea on the king's service; provided that neither he nor any liege of the king in his company on the barge take any ships, barges or other vessels, merchandise, goods or chattels of any of the realms of France, Spain, Portugal or other parts except only of the realm of Scotland. By C.

April 18. Westminster. Commission to William Whytchirche, mayor of Coventre, Roger Smert and the sheriff of Warwick and Leicester to enquire into the complaint of John Braye and Marjory his wife and Henry Morys and Joan his wife, late nurse of the king's sons Thomas and John, that divers goods and chattels of theirs to the value of 60*l.* and more have been carried off by certain men of the said counties without reasonable cause or authority.

MEMBRANE 5d.

April 25. Westminster. Commission to Robert Markeley, serjeant at arms, to survey the muster soon to be taken at Suthampton of the lords of Duras and Cavmont and the men at arms, armed men and archers going on the king's service in their company to Aquitaine and to certify thereon to the king in Chancery and to take sufficient shipment for the same lords and their retinue and the retinue of the king's knight, Hugh le Despenser, whom the king has appointed to go as his envoy to Aquitaine.
On the information of the treasurer.

April 28. Westminster. Commission to Peter de Courtenay, captain of the town of Calais, Nicholas Usk, treasurer of the same town, Hugh Luterell, 'chivaler,' William Caston, controller of Calais, John Onley, mayor of the staple of Calais, Thomas Tirwhit, mayor of the town of Calais, William Moubray and Laurence Wotton to enquire by oath of good men of the parts of Guynes and Artoys about all lands, rents, services, meadows, pastures, woods, marshes, fisheries and other possessions, profits and emoluments belonging to the king's castle and lordship of Hammes and the possessions held of the honour of Boloigne and the king's lordship of Guynes and Artoys and elsewhere throughout the country of Picardy. By C.

MEMBRANE 4d.

May 3. Westminster. Commission to John Arnold, serjeant at arms, to arrest John Mersey, monk of the abbey of St. John, Colcestre, which is of the king's patronage, whom the abbot and convent sent to the priory of Snapes, a cell of the abbey, to celebrate divine service there as of old custom, and who has obtained divers exemptions and privileges and other things prejudicial to the abbey in the court of Rome and proposes to cross to the same court for further privileges, and bring him before the king in Chancery to find

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security that he will not cross to any parts beyond the seas without the king's licence or obtain anything prejudicial to the abbey in the court of Rome and that he will stand to right in this.

May 4. Westminster. Commission of oyer and terminer to Thomas Berkele of Berkele, John Hill, William Hankford, Thomas Broke, Thomas Knappe, mayor of Bristol, William Stourton, Robert son of John, John Hill, John Manyngford and Simon Olyver touching all treasons, contempts, insurrections, rebellions and unlawful congregations within the town of Bristol after the Purification last. By K. & C.

May 6. Westminster Commission to John Penne and John Cane to enquire by oath of good men of the counties of Kent, Surrey and Sussex about all goods and chattels late of Benedict Cely, 'chivaler,' deceased, who made forfeiture to the king, and to take them into the king's hands and bring them with all speed to the city of London to the treasurer and to certify thereon to the king in Chancery.

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MEMBRANE 40.

Nov. 22. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Philippa, duchess of Ireland, of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 21 August, 19 Richard II, granting to her for life 300 marks yearly at the Exchequer.
2. Letters patent dated 18 May, 22 Richard II, granting that she and her heirs shall be able as lieges of the king to hold their inheritance and granting to her divers possessions.
3. Letters patent dated 19 May, 22 Richard II, confirming her estate in the castle and manor of Moresend, co. Northampton, and granting to her divers possessions.

And grant to her of all arrears of the said annuity.

By p.s. and for 10*l.* paid in the hanaper.

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May 5. Westminster. Commission to John Mosdale, serjeant at arms, to take stone-cutters, carpenters and other workmen and labourers for the repair of the king's castles of Newcastle-on-Tyne and Scardeburgh.

April 29. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of an indenture (*French*) of Thomas, duke of Norfolk, dated at Shrewsbury, 31 July, 22 Richard II, granting for life to his esquire Richard de Burgh, his chief chamberlain, the manor of Kirkebymalesart, co. York, with its appurtenances except fees, advowsons and the free chace of Nidirdale, at a rent of a rose yearly at Midsummer, and appointing Thomas de Etton, William Hallegate and Richard Saundresson to put him in possession; and grant to him of all issues of the manor after the said 31 July, notwithstanding any judgment at Coventre against the said duke on 16 September, 22 Richard II, that all lands of his inheritance should be taken into the hands of Richard II, or the fact that the said Richard acquired the manor without licence or that he had not possession before the month of January following the said 16 September.

By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper because at another time he made fine for the same confirmation by fine of 1 mark.

May 5. Westminster. Licence for John Wynter, vicar of the church of Donaghpatrik in Ireland, to dwell for three years in England at the University of Oxford or Cambridge and there learn canon law, and at the same time receive the emoluments of his vicarage; and pardon to him for any previous forfeitures for this. By p.s.

May 8. Westminster. Grant to John Blawemuster, 'ermyt,' of pontage for three years to be expended on the repair of the bridge of Stonystratford by the supervision of John Roderham, clerk, and John Cope.

April 24. Westminster. Pardon to Thomas Hebbull of Estpekham, co. Kent, of all felonies, robberies, homicides and murders committed by him and his subsequent abjuration of the realm. By p.s.

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May 11. Westminster. Grant for life to John Broun of the county of Lancaster, for his good service to Edward III and the king, of 100*s.* yearly from the farm, apport or revenues of the alien priory of Lancastre during the war with France and afterwards at the Exchequer. By p.s.

May 8. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's clerk Thomas Herdewyk, for his good and gratuitous service to the king's father, deceased, and the king, of a tun of wine yearly in the port of Bristol, and a livery yearly at Christmas at the hands of the keeper of the great wardrobe as other clerks of the household of his estate have. By p.s.

May 10. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Peter Logge of the office of ranger within the forest of Savernak with the accustomed wages, fees and profits. By p.s.

May 11. Westminster. Grant for life to Thomas Erpyngham, for his good and gratuitous service, of 80*l.* yearly from the issues of the counties of Norfolk and Suffolk and 40*l.* yearly from the fee-farm of the town of Norwich. By p.s.

Vacated because in the third year.

Mandate in pursuance to the sheriff of Norfolk and Suffolk.

Mandate in pursuance to the bailiffs of Norwich.

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Nov. 20. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Ralph Byfleyt of letters patent dated 25 April, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life 100*s.* yearly. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

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April 27. Westminster. Grant to the king's esquire Robert Merssch and his heirs of the third part of a messuage and 20 acres of land in Doncastre which on the death of Thomas de Messyngham descended to Richard de Berneburgh, one of his kinsmen and heirs, outlawed for felony, and consequently now pertains to the king, to hold to the value of 10*s.* yearly, provided that he answer for any surplus. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 38.

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Nov. 7. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent (*French*) of the king's uncle Thomas, duke of Gloucester, earl of Essex and Buckingham, constable of England, dated at his castle of Plecy, 30 September, 17 Richard II, granting to his servant Henry Eton a yearly rent of 6 marks, for life or until he shall otherwise provide for him, from the castle of St. Briavell and the forest of Dene. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

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March 18. Westminster. Whereas Edward III, founder of the New Abbey of St. Mary Graces by the Tower of London, lately acquired from James de Audele, knight, deceased, the reversion of the manors of Bovytracy, Northlieu, Haldesworthy and Longeacre, co. Devon, Blakedon, Ludeford and Staunton, co. Somerset, and Takkebere, co. Cornwall, and the advowsons of the manors of Blakedon, Ludeford, Northlieu and Haldesworthy, as appears by a fine levied in his court at Westminster, in three weeks of Michaelmas, 27 Edward III, which manors are worth 200 marks yearly, and by letters patent granted the same among other things to the king's father John, late duke of Lancaster, and other persons his feoffees and executors to endow the abbot and monks with the same, and the same feoffees and executors in fulfilment of his will granted the said reversion to the abbot and monks to the intent that the premises should remain and be amortised to the abbey, as appears by their writings enrolled in Chancery, but Richard II

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by letters patent granted the premises after the death of the said James to John Holand his brother, then earl of Huntyngdon, and afterwards in recompense granted to the abbot and monks 110 marks yearly from the farm of the church of Scardeburgh during the war and schism and afterwards at the Exchequer, and now the premises have come into the king's hands by the forfeiture of the said John Holand; the king with the assent of the council revokes the said letters of Richard II to the said John de Holand concerning the said manors and advowsons and grants the said manors with the advowsons of the said churches and all franchises and liberties and other appurtenances to the said abbot and monks in frank almoin according to the intention and last will of Edward III in aid of their maintenance and for the celebration of masses and other divine services for the good estate of the king and for his soul after death and the soul of Edward III and the king's father and mother and progenitors, heirs and successors and in exoneration of the said 110 marks yearly.
By K.

May 7. Westminster. Revocation of letters patent granting to Richard Clopton the custody of all lands late of Brian de Wyndesore during the minority of Miles his son and heir with the marriage of the latter without disparagement; as Richard II on 11 July last by letters patent granted the same to Laurence Dru, and the latter complained that he had been expelled and the king consequently directed the sheriff of Middlesex to summon the said Richard to appear before him in Chancery, and the sheriff returned that he had summoned him by Geoffrey Tannere and Thomas Culverhows but he did not appear and judgement was given against him.

March 26. Westminster. Grant for life to Robert Markelee of 12*d.* daily and 10*l.* yearly from the issues of the city of London and a robe of the suit of other serjeants at arms yearly in the great wardrobe, in lieu of grants to him by letters patent dated 14 December, 15 Richard II, and 4 July, 19 Richard II, surrendered; with arrears of the said wages and annuities. By K.

May 8. Westminster. Pardon to Norman Swynford *alias* Dunston of Howton, co. Lincoln, for all treasons and felonies committed by him except murder, rape and common larceny and the death or assent to the death of the king's uncle the duke of Gloucester. By p.s.

May 8. Westminster. Whereas Richard II granted to the king's clerk John de Folkyngham, then one of the clerks of Chancery, for his good and gratuitous service to himself and Edward III in Chancery, a tun of red wine of Gascony for life in the port of Boston, but he had not letters patent thereof; the king, in consideration of his great age and debility, grants to him for life two pipes of the same yearly in the said port, one at Whitsuntide and the other at Christmas. By K.

May 6. Westminster. Grant for life to Katharine the wife of Matthew Swetenham of 100*s.* yearly from the issues of the manor of Wedon Pynkeney, co. Northampton, in lieu of a like grant at the Exchequer by letters patent of Richard II, surrendered; and grant to her of 7*l.* 10*s.* of arrears from the issues of the manor. By K.

Vacated by surrender.

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Nov. 16. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Haysarme of letters patent dated 8 April, 19 Richard II, granting to him for life 10*l.* yearly.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

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1399. Nov. 25. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Gruffith Reynold of letters patent dated 21 May, 16 Richard II, granting to him for life 10 marks yearly.

By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

1400. May 12. Westminster. Thomas Ponynges, knight, and Philippa his wife, countess of Pembroke, staying in England, have letters nominating Hugh Rocheford and John Cheuer their attorneys in Ireland for one year.

Thomas Stanley, clerk, received the attorneys until the arrival of the nominator (*constituentis*) in Ireland.

MEMBRANE 37.

May 10. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to James de Langeton, parson of the church of Wygan, and the burgesses of Wygan of letters patent dated 2 November, 2 Richard II, inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Westminster, 4 August, 24 Edward III [*Charter Roll*, 24 *Edward III*, *No.* 4], inspecting and confirming with additions a charter dated at Newminster, 7 June, 7 Edward II [*Charter Roll*, 7 *Edward II*, *No.* 3], inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Woodstock, 26 August, 30 Henry III.

For 16 marks paid in the hanaper.

May 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Elizabeth Beauchamp of letters patent dated 10 December, 14 Richard II, granting to her certain goods and lands. By K.

May 10. Westminster. Grant, for ten years, to Richard Kyngeston, dean of the king's chapel, and William Loueney, keeper of the great wardrobe, of all swans not marked flying within the river Thames and all other rivers running into or out of it between Graveshende and the bridge of Oxford. By p.s.

May 11. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Nicholas Barbour, in recompense of the office of controller of the town of Kyngeston on Hull, of 10*l.* yearly from the great custom of wools and the subsidy of the city of London.

Vacated because in the second year. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 36.

April 27. Westminster. Whereas Richard Spycer *alias* Neuport lately crossed to Portugal on the service of the king's sister the queen of Portugal, and at the same time granted certain lands and all the goods and chattels which he had in England to John Crokkere and John Neuport his brother for safe-keeping until his return, and afterwards these goods and chattels by colour of an inquisition, by which at the false information of his enemies it was found that he had granted them to the earl of Huntyngdon, deceased, and the said John and John, were taken into the king's hands by reason of the forfeiture of the earl, and afterwards the king granted to him the said goods and chattels by certain mainprise; the king, because he is going beyond the seas to sue for a barge of his lately captured by the Bretons and because the said gift was made to the said John and John and not to the earl, as appears by the indenture, grants that he and his mainpernors shall be quit of the said goods and chattels. By p.s.

May 18. Westminster. Grant to the prior of Ware of the fruits and goods of the manor of Petlyng, which is parcel of the priory, before Michaelmas next, to the value of 18*l.* 3*s.* 6*d.* in the hands of Henry Wychard, escheator in the

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county of Leicester, and William Byspham, bailiff of the town of Leycestre; and grant to him also of all arrears of farms, rents, pensions, portions and other possessions belonging to the priory or to the king by reason of the priory for Michaelmas term last in aid of the payment of the farm of the priory. By K.

May 7. Westminster. Grant for life to John Kegel of 100*s.* yearly at the Exchequer in recompense of a like annuity of 100*s.* granted to him by letters patent of Richard II, of which letters he has been robbed. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because with his assent on 8 February, in the eleventh year, the king granted the same to John de Skelton.

1399.

Nov. 14. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 8 August, 8 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 14 August, 48 Edward III, in favour of Adam Forester.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 4. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 20 August, 9 Richard II, granting for life to John Deth 6*d.* daily.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

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Feb. 14. Westminster. Grant for life to John Barstaple of 6*d.* daily from 13 November last from the issues, revenues and other profits of the city of Coventry, in lieu of a grant to him of 6*d.* daily at the hands of the bailiffs of the city by letters patent of that date, surrendered because they are worth nothing because no mention is made from what things he shall receive the money. By p.s.

May 10. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servants Robert del Garderobe, groom of the king's robes, and Thomas Godgrome, groom of the king's beds, of 10*l.* yearly from the issues of the manor of Shene. By p.s.

May 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 10 June, 22 Richard II, granting for life to William Hunt 2*d.* daily.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

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Nov. 9. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William White of letters patent dated 8 August, 8 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 14 August, 48 Edward III. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

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May 20. Westminster. Commission to Thomas Glen and John Mason of Stanton to take stone-cutters and other workmen and labourers for the repair of the manor of Thomas de Rempston, steward of the household, at Rempston.

May 12. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 10 October, 9 Richard II, granting for life to Thomas Man 6*d.* daily.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

May 10. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Spenser of letters patent dated 15 September, 21 Richard II, granting to him for life 100*s.* yearly at the Exchequer; and grant to him of arrears.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

MEMBRANE 35.

April 20. Westminster. Licence for Robert Rowe to grant in mortmain to the warden and commonalty contributing to the maintenance of the bridge of Rouchestre five messuages, a toft and 12 acres of land in Rouchestre, the town of St. Margaret and Frendesbury and 10 acres of pasture in the marsh called

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1400. Estwyk in the parish of St. Margaret, Hoo, and the reversion of 20*s.* rent in Rouchestre on the death of William atte More, in aid of the maintenance of three chaplains celebrating divine service in a chapel situated at the end of the bridge. By K.

1399. Nov. 17. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Gosselin Deynill and Joan or Jonette his wife, notwithstanding any right etc., of the following:—

1. Letters patent (*French*) of Margaret, late countess of Norfolk, dated at her castle of Framlyngham, 1 April, 13 Richard II, granting for life to the said Jonette a yearly rent of 10 marks from the issues of the manor of Dynnyngton, co. York.
2. Letters patent (*French*) of the same dated at the said castle, 4 February, 17 Richard II, granting to the said Gosselin during the life of the said Jonette a yearly rent of 5 marks from the issues of the manors of Dynnyngton and Thwayte, co. York.

By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

1400. May 12. Westminster. Presentation of John Loueney, chaplain, to the church of Llanrayadir, in the diocese of Bangor.

May 12. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Richard Fairemaiden of 6*d.* daily from the issues of the county of Oxford. By p.s.

May 15. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Adam Derby *alias* Vaillant, the king's herald, of a tun or two pipes of wine yearly at the hands of the chief butler. By p.s.

May 18. Westminster. Exemption of Roger Gresley, on account of his great age, debility and poverty, from being put on assizes, juries, attaints, or other recognitions, from being made escheator, coroner, trier of inquisitions, bailiff, constable, leader of men at arms, collector of tenths, fifteenths or other taxes or subsidies or other minister of the king and from being compelled to be armed or arrayed for war or to find anyone armed or arrayed for war. By K.

May 12. Westminster. Ratification of the estate which John Wykeham has as parson of the churches of Crundale and Broughton, in the dioceses of Worcester and Lincoln. By p.s.

The like for the following:—

May 8. Westminster. Thomas Chernoke, prebendary of Tassagard in the cathedral church of St. Patrick, Dublin, in Ireland. By p.s.

May 22. Westminster. Laurence Pussyn, parson of the church of Seynt Pier Port in the island of Gernesey, in the diocese of Coutances.

May 25. Westminster. Robert Foulmere, parson of the church of Blofeld, in the diocese of Norwich. By p.s.

May 24. Westminster Thomas de Longley, archdeacon of Norfolk in the cathedral church of Norwich and prebendary of Meyvot in the cathedral church of St. Asaph, in Wales, and Godynestre in the free chapel of St. Martin le Grand, London. By p.s.

June 1. Westminster. Nicholas Slake, dean of the king's free chapel of St. Stephen within the palace of Westminster and of St. Birian, co. Cornwall. By p.s.

June 26. Westminster. Thomas Hilton, prebendary of Barneby in the cathedral church of York. By p.s.

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July 6. Westminster. The like for John Ragley, chaplain of the chantry at the altar of St. Mary in the parish church of Burley, provided that no plea be pending in the king's court.

July 8. Westminster. The like for John de Huntley, vicar of the church of Kellawe, in the diocese of Durham, provided that no plea be pending and that the king has not presented anyone else to the same.

May 19. Westminster. Presentation of John Bathe to the church of Oueleston, in the diocese of Worcester. By K. on the information of the abbot of Leycestre.

March 16. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Roger Doket of Notyngham of 20 marks yearly from the issues of the counties of Nottingham and Derby. By p.s.

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Nov. 10. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 25 April, 20 Richard II, granting for life to John Benyfeld 6*d.* daily. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

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May 20. Westminster. Robert de Wynyngton, clerk, going by the king's licence to Ireland, has letters nominating Thomas Grace and John Alderford his attorneys in England for one year.

Thomas Stanley, clerk, received the attorneys until the return of the nominator to England.

MEMBRANE 34.

May 10. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Russell of Kempston of letters patent dated 5 November, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life 10 marks yearly. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

May 6. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Eleanor de Welle of letters patent dated 19 May, 22 Richard II, granting to her for life 50*l.* yearly. By p.s. and for 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

1399.

Nov. 17. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Richard Melbourne, notwithstanding any right etc., of letters patent (*French*) of Margaret Mareschall, late countess of Norfolk, dated at her castle of Framelyngham, 29 May, 5 Richard II, granting to him for life the office of warrenner of the warren pertaining to her manor of Haneworth and a vesture yearly of the suit of her yeomen (*valletz de mester*) at Christmas or 10*s.* for the same and a penny and a halfpenny (*maille*) daily from the issues of the manor. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

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May 12. Westminster. Presentation of John Loueney, chaplain, to the church of Wymerth, in the diocese of Bangor.

May 10. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the men and tenants of a moiety of the town of Tamworth, co. Warwick, which is of the ancient demesne of the crown, of letters patent dated 12 January, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 8 April, 4 Edward III, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 27 May, 12 Edward II. For 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

May 12. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 14 July, 20 Richard II, granting for life to John Benefeld the office of ranger of the forest of Sapele and Wauberge, co. Huntingdon. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because with his assent on 14 *January, in the second year, the king granted the office for life to John Melbourn.*

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May 12. Westminster. Writ of aid for William atte Sole and John Hauke, servants of the king of the castle of Dover, whom the king has appointed to take timber, stone, sand, iron and lead and other necessaries for the repair of the castle and carriage for the same and stone-cutters, carpenters, smiths, workmen artificers and labourers.

May 16. Westminster. John Welyngton, prior of Lanthony Prima, staying in Wales, has letters nominating Adam Elmeley and Philip White of Hulleton his attorneys in Ireland for two years.
James Nassh received the attorneys by writ.

May 8. Westminster. Exemption for life of Edmund de la Pole, 'chivaler,' who is of the age of 63 years and so languid that he cannot labour, as he says, from being put on assizes, juries, inquisitions, attaints or recognitions and from being made trier of inquisitions, mayor, sheriff, escheator, coroner, collector of tenths, fifteenths or other taxes or subsidies, justice of the peace, trier of men at arms, hobelers or archers or other officer or bailiff of the king against his will. By p.s.

May 11. Westminster. Grant to Mark le Fayre of Winchester that 48*l.* due from him to Richard II for the customs and subsidies of wines unloaded in the port of Southampton shall be allowed to him in part payment of 58*l.* 11*s.* due to him from the said king for wines bought from him by Thomas Brounflete, late chief butler, for the expenses of the household. By K.

May 15. Westminster. Commission to the mayor and bailiffs of the city of Winchester to compel all who have lands, tenements and rents in the same city and the liberty belonging to it and all who dwell there and live by merchandise to contribute according to their estate to the repair of the walls, towers and enclosure of the city and to take carpenters, masons and other workmen for the same. By C.

Feb. 23. Westminster. Grant to the king's kinswoman Elizabeth late the wife of Thomas, duke of Norfolk, John Reme, clerk, Robert Goushull, Richard de Bergh, Thomas de Brunham and Bartholomew de Bozan of all remaining goods of the said duke and debts due to him which may be adjudged to the king by reason of any debts or moneys in which he was indebted to Richard II, with 1,000*l.* lately granted to her by the king, for the payment of the debts of the duke. By p.s.
Vacated because otherwise in this year.

May 11. Westminster. Grant to Robert Bryghtleyn of the wardenship of the free chapel of St. James within the town of Quenburgh, void by the resignation of John Balyngham, last warden. By p.s.

May 26. Westminster. Grant to Elizabeth late the wife of Thomas, duke of Norfolk, of the rents, forms and issues pertaining to the king for Easter term last from all lands, manors, lordships and possessions assigned to her in dower from the inheritance of the said duke. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 33.

May 12. Westminster Grant to the king's uncle Edmund, duke of York, of the custody of the manor of Eppeworth, in the Isle of Axholme, with the lordship of the isle and the custody of all lands, fees and advowsons late of Thomas de Moubray, late duke of Norfolk, in the isle during the minority of Thomas his son and heir, and so from heir to heir. By K.

Membrane 33—*cont.*

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May 13. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Joceus Alan of the following :—

1. An indenture dated at Tywardrayth, in their chapter-house, Thursday after St. Hilary, 16 Richard II, witnessing that Richard II has granted to him for life a corrody in the monastery of St. Andrew, Tywardrayth, and William de la Hay, the prior, and the convent have received him, and that the corrody is extended at 2*d.* daily and 60*s.* 10*d.* yearly. Witnesses :—John Resprena, Sir William Felbert, Sir John Clerk and others.
2. A writing of the said prior and convent dated at Tywardraith, in their chapter-house, Thursday before St. James the Apostle, 1388, granting for life to the said Jecelinus Aleyn a corrody in their house, viz. such victuals as one of their monks had, 20*s.* yearly in money, a robe of the suit of their esquires yearly and a chamber and a stable and fodder for one horse, provided that he do not introduce women of loose character (*nec liceat prefato Jecelino meretrices seu alias mulieres illiciter causa fornicationis adducere,*) which if he shall do and it be proved against him he shall pay to them 20*s.* within one month or lose his corrody for one whole year. Witnesses :—Sir Thomas Jurden, vicar of the parish church of Tywardraith, Sirs Robert Raulyn and John Wattey, chaplains, and others. For ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

May 12. Westminster. Grant for life to John Shagh son of Robert Shagh of the office of bailiff of the lordship of Assheford in the Peak, with the accustomed wages, fees and profits. By p.s.

May 14. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Thomas Ikham of Canterbury of letters patent dated 10 August, 18 Richard II, exempting him for life from being put on assizes etc. For ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

May 7. Westminster. Grant to the king's brother John, earl of Somerset, of all castles, towns, manors, lordships, lands, rents and possessions and other things, goods and chattels late of Ralph de Lomley, 'chivaler,' forfeited to the king by reason of his treason, except certain lands called 'Beautrone,' and 'Stranton,' in the bishopric of Durham and Holme in Holdernesse, co. York, which Eleanor late the wife of the said Ralph holds for life of the king's grant to the value of 100*l.* rendering to the king any surplus and the reversion of the same on the death of the said Eleanor, to hold the said goods and chattels of the king's gift, and of the other possessions those which the said Ralph held in fee simple for life and those which he held in fee tail during the life of Thomas, son and heir of the said Ralph, who likewise made forfeiture to the king, and afterwards during the minority of the heir if the custody pertains to the king, and so from heir to heir, with the marriage of the heir and the said surplusage, with all liberties, franchises, customs, rents, services, reversions, fees, advowsons, chaces, parks, warrens, woods, waters, mills, fisheries, turbaries, meadows, pastures, fairs, markets, waifs, strays, view of frank-pledge, courts, leets, hundreds and other things and issues from the death of the said Ralph until 22 January last, on which day by other letters patent the king granted the same to him during pleasure. By K.

April 26. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Bernard of letters patent dated 28 November, 17 Richard II, granting to him for life 100*s.* yearly. By p.s.

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Dec. 8. Westminster. Grant for life to Master Adam Nunne, chaplain, in lieu of a grant to him for life of 10 marks yearly at the Exchequer by letters patent of

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1399. Richard II, surrendered, of 10 marks yearly from the issues of the manor of Eltham, provided that he celebrate divine service within the manor. By p.s.

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May 8. Westminster. Notification that on 27 April last the king caused John Besnyll of Pichellesthorn to come in person before him and his council in Chancery and be examined, and it appeared by this examination that the said John was of sound mind and not an idiot, as the king was before informed, and he was accordingly dismissed.

May 7. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 8 August, 18 Richard II, granting for life to William Bangore an annuity of 20*s.* from the issues of the manor of Bray; and grant to him of 80*s.* arrears for a year and a half. By p.s.

April 26. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Michael Scot, born of Flanders, of letters patent dated 5 April, 13 Richard II, granting that he should enjoy the liberties and franchises of the king's lieges so long as he dwelt in the town of Calais; and grant that he shall have free passage at sea and in the port of the said town and a part of the advantages and freight in the port as other English burgesses of the town have.
By p.s. and for 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

May 18. Westminster. Grant for life to Stephen Doget of the custody of the park of Fremantel, receiving 3*d.* daily for his wages from the issues of the county of Southampton; in lieu of a like grant to him during pleasure by letters patent of Richard II, surrendered. By K.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 29 *April, in the eighth year, the king granted the custody of the park for life to John Wybbury, esquire.*

MEMBRANE 32.

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Nov. 26. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 26 July, 18 Richard II, granting for life to William Faryngton 50*l.* yearly.
By p.s. and for 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

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May 10. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Walter Grendon, the prior, and the brethren of the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 12 May, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming to Robert Hales, then prior, and the brethren a charter dated at Westminster, 1 July, 34 Edward III, being an exemplification of a charter dated at York, 10 February, 2 Edward III, itself an exemplification of a charter dated at York, 30 June, 1 Edward III, inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Chertsey, 22 September, 2 Edward II [*Charter Roll*, 2 *Edward II*, *No.* 45], inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Westminster, 8 June, 8 Edward I, inspecting and confirming charters dated at Winchester, 20 and 23 June, 37 Henry III.
2. A charter dated at Westminster, 10 April, 4 Richard II. [*Charter Roll*, 4 *Richard II*, *No.* 8.] For 20 marks paid in the hanaper.

MEMBRANE 31.

May 20. Westminster. Grant to Alice, late the wife of Roger de Burle, for forty years from Michaelmas last of the custody of the manor of Huntyngfeld and a

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messuage called 'Chellesfeld,' co. Kent, late of Simon de Burley, 'chivaler,' deceased, and in the king's hands and of the value of 20 marks yearly. By K.

May 14. Westminster. Grant to the bailiffs and good men of the town of Richemond of murage for three years, to be expended on the repair of the walls of the town by the supervision of the king's brother Ralph de Nevylle, earl of Westmoreland.

May 18. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent (*rectius* a charter) dated at Westminster, 15 December, 18 Richard II, granting certain liberties to the lords and tenants of the manor, castle and lordship of Tallagharn in South Wales. [*Charter Roll*, 11-13 *Richard II*, *No.* 9.] For 5 marks paid in the hanaper.

May 20. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John, lord of Gomeny, of letters patent dated 18 June, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 19 June, 50 Edward III, being an exemplification of letters patent dated 1 January, 33 Edward III. By K. and for 100*s.* paid in the hanaper.

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Oct. 4. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Swyft, canon of the church of Dublin and prebendary of Castelknok in the same, of letters patent dated 22 June, 22 Richard II, granting licence for him to receive the moneys from his prebend in his absence. By K.

MEMBRANE 30.

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May 17. Westminster. Notification of letters patent dated 14 March, 22 Richard II, directing the sheriff of Stafford to pay to Adam de Bostok 20*l.* yearly.

May 20. Westminster. Licence for the alienation in mortmain by John de Markeham, John de Melton of Bothomsel and William del Wode, parson of the church of Carleton, to the prioress and convent of Wallandwelles of two messuages, two bovates of land and 20 acres of meadow in Carleton and Welom, co. Nottingham, and 5 messuages, 5 bovates of land and 8 acres of meadow in Hertehull, Wales and Todwyk, co. York, not held in chief, worth 2½ marks yearly, as appears by inquisitions taken before John Gaytford, escheator in the county of Nottingham, and Thomas Brounflete, escheator in the county of York, to the value of 5 marks yearly in part satisfaction of a licence by letters patent of Edward III.

May 18. Westminster. Exemption for life of Ralph de Cobeham of Redmeregge from being put on assizes, juries, attaints or recognitions and from being made mayor, sheriff, escheator, coroner, verderer of forests or chaces, steward, constable, justice of the peace or of labourers, collector, taxer, assessor, surveyor or controller of tenths, fifteenths or other subsidy, arrayer, leader or trier of men at arms, hobelers or archers, victualler of castles or other surveyor, bailiff, officer or minister of the king against his will. By K.

May 18. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the prior of the house of St. John, Lanthony Prima, in Wales, of letters patent dated 27 November, 15 Richard II, inspecting and confirming to John Yatton, then prior, letters patent under the great seal used in Ireland dated 26 April, 4 Richard II, and 12 January, 14 Richard II. For 5 marks paid in the hanaper.

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Membrane 30—*cont.*

May 24. Westminster. Richard Bungey, citizen and 'taillour' of London, staying in England, has letters nominating William Hamond, clerk, and Richard Edward his attorneys in Ireland for one year.
John Wakeryng, clerk, received the attorneys.

MEMBRANE 29.

May 8. Westminster. Pardon to Thomas Lollebrok *alias* Lillebrok of Braye for all treasons and felonies committed by him. By p.s.

Feb. 19. Westminster. Licence for William Mareschall, chaplain, Robert de Beteigne and John Ballard and the parishioners of the church of St. Mary Colchirche by the Great Conduit, London, in the font of which St. Thomas of Canterbury and St. Edmund of Bury, king, were baptized, and in which out of reverence for these martyrs divine service with music has long been celebrated daily but now on account of the paucity of ministers can scarcely be maintained, to found a fraternity or gild of themselves and others in the said church and for the brethren and sisters of the fraternity to elect yearly two wardens to be called the wardens of the fraternity or gild of St. Katharine Colchirche. Licence also for the wardens, brethren and sisters to found a chantry of one chaplain to celebrate divine service at the altar of St. Katharine in the said church for the good estate of the king and the brethren and sisters and for their souls after death and the souls of the king's father and mother and progenitors in aid of the maintenance of the said more worthy services with music, and to acquire in mortmain, after inquisition, for this purpose lands to the value of 10 marks yearly. By p.s.

May 14. Westminster. Presentation of William Leek, chaplain, to the church of Leven, in the diocese of York, of the immediate jurisdiction of Beverley. The letters are directed to Robert Manfeld, provost of the collegiate church of St. John, Beverley.

March 13. Westminster. Commission to Robert Markele, Richard Kays, serjeants-at-arms, and William Yerde to deliver seisin to the abbot and monks of St. Mary Graces by the Tower of London of certain manors and advowsons with franchises and liberties and other appurtenances which the king has granted to them. (*See pp.* 274, 275).

May 11. Westminster. Grant to Andrew Donet, who has become leprous, that he be received in the hospital of St. Giles. By p.s.

May 12. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 10 May, 21 Richard II, granting for life to John Wadham, 'chivaler,' 20*l.* yearly.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

May 11. Westminster. Commission, during pleasure, to the king's clerk Nicholas Bubbewyth, Master Robert Halom, Nicholas Carrewe, Thomas Remys and John Buteller of the custody of the abbey of Bermondesey and its possessions, as it has been overburdened by bad government in the time of John Attelburgh, late abbot; and grant of protection for the abbot and convent and the abbey and its possessions. By K.

May 14. Westminster. Licence for the abbot and convent of St. Owen, Rouan in Normandy, to grant the manor or priory of Merseye, co. Essex, with all its emoluments to Henry, bishop of Annaghdown in Ireland, and John Doreward of the said county and Isabel his wife for life as fully as it should be in

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the king's hands on account of the war with France, and for the said bishop to administer all charges, alms and divine services customary of old. By p.s.

May 22. Westminster. Reginald de Grey of Ruthyn, 'chivaler,' staying in England, has letters nominating John Deveros and John Stafford his attorneys in Ireland for one year.

Thomas Stanley, clerk, received the attorneys until the advent of the nominator to Ireland.

He also has letters nominating James Cotenham and Richard Bermyngeham. The same Thomas received the attorneys.

He also has letters nominating William Tynbigh and John Herbergh. The same Thomas received the attorneys.

May 12. Westminster. Licence for the alienation in mortmain by Master Thomas la Warre, clerk, to the abbot and convent of Swynesheved of 90 acres of meadow in Swynesheved, held in chief of the honour of Lancastre, worth 55*s.* 8*d.* yearly, as appears by an inquisition taken before John Toup, escheator in the county of Lincoln, in full satisfaction of a licence by letters patent of Edward III.

May 22. Westminster. Grant for life to John Morker of 6*d.* daily from the fee-farm of the manor of Chesterton. By K.

May 5. Westminster. Grant for life to Isabel late the wife of William Lescrope, for the more decent maintenance of her estate, of 200 marks yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

May 12. Westminster. Grant to William Cheyne, 'chivaler,' of 40*l.* yearly at the exchequer of Cardyf at the hands of the lady le Despenser during the minority of the son and heir of the lord le Despenser, deceased. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 28.

May 22. Westminster Licence for John Rederice, William Pounde, Edward Whyte and Philip Taillour of Bristol and Nicholas Kent, burgess of Galueye in Ireland, to cross to Ireland and make war there (*as on p.* 254); as the said William, Philip and Nicholas have personally made mainprise before the king in Chancery for themselves and the said John and Edward that they will not wage war against any Irish or others of the king's allegiance under forfeiture of all that they can forfeit and penalty of being reputed traitors. By K.

May 5. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to David Oclee of letters patent (*French*) of Thomas, late duke of Surrey, earl of Kent and lord of Wake, dated at London, 4 October, 21 Richard II, granting to him for life 5 marks yearly from the issues of the manor of Torpel.

By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

May 22. Westminster. Pardon to all the king's lieges of the county of Chester for all treasons, insurrections, felonies, rebellions and trespasses committed by them from Christmas last to the Purification, except murders and rapes; with the exception of Thomas de Cotingham, John del Hey, 'cotiler,' Richard del Wade, Thomas Davenport, 'taillour,' William del Mere, 'taillour,' William de Berkeswell, Ranulph son of Ranulph de Maynwaryng, 'bastard,' Thomas Banastre, 'glover,' William Banastre, 'glover,' Walter

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le Goldesmyth, John de Berkeswell, Nicholas Schermon, Thomas le Goldesmyth, Richard de Wermyncham, Thomas le Peyntur, William Syre, 'schipmon,' John Deye, 'coke,' Thomas de Ternyn, chaplain, Richard le Halgh, 'mercer,' David de Nonneley, John Davidson, 'leche,' of Malpas, John de Chaterton of Longdendale, Hugh North, Roger Joye, Thomas Prat, Hugh le Smyth, Henry Prat, John Wyndel, John Brouage, Gilbert de Legh, Robert de Peuer of Toft, John Done of Utkynton, Thomas de Beston, John de Eton, David de Bostok, William de Belowe, Nicholas de Bulkelegh, John de Lee, David Dodde, Robert de Overton, Thomas le Wodward, Richard de Werburton, William de Kardefne, 'skynner,' Henry Huttebach, Hugh Bisshop, John Snoweball, William de Alkumlowe, William de Tattenhall, David le Walker of Alderlegh, Roger de Salghhall, vicar of Aketon, Richard de Wynyngton, 'chivaler,' William de Roter, William de Mascy of Knotisford, Robert son of John de Davenport of Bromall, Robert son of John le Chamberlayn of Cestre, Edmund Hasting, 'corviser,' Henry Thomasson Brayn, Philip de Rosumgrene, John de Wich del Altrincham, William de Mascy of Altrincham, Edmund le Smyth of Hale, John le Hille of Apelton, Roger le Flecher dwelling in Swetenham, David son of Robert Brayn, Richard Benet del Wich Maubanc, John de Bradeley of Wice Maubanc, Thomas Jacson late servant of Ralph de Vernon, 'chivaler,' Richard brother of Thomas Dande, John Sonde of Copenhale, John de Yate of Monkescopenhale, Morgan Filkyn, William son of John son of Robert de Aldresey and David his brother, Thomas de Lee of Wynsson, Richard de Helegh the younger, Thomas Taillour of Swetenham, William Alcok, John de Urdeslegh, Richard Jacson late servant of Thomas de Vernon, Robert son of Henry de Hall of Kyngeslegh, Thomas Wilkynson Gibbeson of Kyngeslegh and John his brother, John de Wynyngton of Norwich, Henry del Hall, Thomas de Kelsall, Thomas del Borghus son of Robert de Borghus, Thomas de Bradschagh of Knottisford *alias* son of William Hobbeson, Thomas Jacson del Wich Maubanc, Thomas le Norres of Knottisford, William le Barker servant of John de Legh del Bothus, John del Malpas, Thomas de Cholmundeley, Roger le Norter, Adam Denys, Ranulph Denys, Henry Brayn Flemmyng servant of Thomas Beston, William son of David de Ridelegh of Neuhall, Richard de Eggeley of Spirstowe, William de Brondeley, Thomas de Grene of Malpas, Thomas Getegode, Hugh de Pykestok, Richard Alkoc of Neuhall, 'taillour,' William Gaudeleyn of Neuhall, Thomas son of David de Beston, Robert de Sutton of Frodesham, David Dodde of Egge, Robert de Peuer of Lostokgralam, William de Barton servant of John Done of Utkinton, Roger Walden of Bunbery, Richard Stoke of Bunbery the elder, William le Coke, chaplain of the parish of the church of Wice Maubanc, John Cholmondeley dwelling in the hundred of Broxun, Hugh de Cholmondley, William de Witton of Weverham, chaplain, Hugh le Smyth, servant of Richard de Wynynton, 'chivaler,' and Robert de Stretton, now charged with insurrection, whom the king wishes to sue for charters specially and severally before Michaelmas, and also Adam de Hesketh, John de Hesketh, John de Legh del Bothus, Thomas de Holford, David de Bykkeley, William de Clayton, Nicholas de Holond and Roger de Kentecleffe, who are not to enjoy the benefit of this pardon.

By K.

May 24. Westminster. Commission, during pleasure, to the king's clerk Thomas Bach, archdeacon of Meth, of the office of treasurer of the exchequer of Ireland, receiving the accustomed fee. By K.

Membrane 28—*cont.*

1400. May 24. Westminster. Pardon to John Pelham, 'chivaler,' and Joan late the wife of Hugh Souche, 'chivaler,' tenant in chief, of their trespass in inter-marrying without licence. By K.

May 18. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's clerk John de Eluet of two tuns or four pipes of wine yearly in the ports of London, Lenne, Boston or Kyngeston on Hull at his choice and a livery of vesture twice yearly as masters of Chancery have at the hands of the keeper of the great wardrobe. By K.

May 24. Westminster. Whereas the king's knight Thomas Gray was in the king's service from the king's advent into England to the coronation and in that time certain Scots stole his castle of Werk, carried off his goods to the value of 2,000*l.*, put his infants and people to ransom at 1,000*l.*, burned his houses and razed the walls of the castle; the king pardons his trespass in this. By p.s.

May 26. Westminster. Whereas Thomas, last earl of Kent, by letters patent granted to Nicholas Gascoigne 20*l.* yearly for life from the issues of his manor of Cotyngham, the king grants to the said Nicholas the said 20*l.* yearly for life from the same, notwithstanding any grant or demise of the said manor by the said earl to the king's kinsman Edward, earl of Rutland, Edmund, bishop of

1399. Exeter, and the said Nicholas and others. By p.s.

Oct. 24. Westminster. Licence for the prior and convent of Kyme, co. Lincoln, to appropriate the church of Iwardby, co. Lincoln, which is of their own patronage, and serve it by a canon of their house or other suitable chaplain, provided that a competent sum of money from the fruits of the church be appointed for distribution among the poor parishioners according to the discretion of the ordinary and that they be bound to celebrate the anniversary of Gilbert Umframville, late earl of Angos, and Matilda his wife, late countess of Northumberland, yearly and other divine services for the king and his progenitors and for the good estate of Henry, earl of Northumber-

1400. land. By p.s. and for 50 marks paid in the hanaper.

May 13. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Richard Brugges *alias* Lancastre king of arms of 7½*d.* daily for his wages with robes pertaining to his estate from time to time at the hands of the keeper of the wardrobe within the household, as John Marche, herald, *alias* king Noreys, had of the grant of Richard II. By p.s.

May 25. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Ralph, lord of Neville, now earl of Westmoreland, of letters patent dated 17 May, 18 Richard II, granting to him for life 130*l.* yearly; and grant to him of arrears. By p.s.

May 28. Westminster. Grant to Thomas Newhawe of the chantry of St. Mary in the king's manor of Wodestok. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 27.

May 24. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 10 May, 21 Richard II, being an exemplification, at the request of William de Hoton, of the following :—

1. Letters patent dated 22 February, 16 Edward III.
2. A writ dated 6 May, 18 Richard II, to the sheriff of Cumberland.
3. An inquisition taken in pursuance on Tuesday after Michaelmas, 19 Richard II.
4. A petition (*French*) of the said William.
5. A writ dated 28 February, 21 Richard II.

By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

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May 4. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John de Wodestok of letters patent dated 30 May, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 4 June, 35 Edward III.

By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

May 20. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Agnes Rabas of the following:—

1. Letters patent of Ralph, bishop of Bath and Wells, dated at his manor of Banewell, 6 June, 22 Richard II, granting for life to the said Agnes his sister a tenement in Wells which John Burgh and Agnes his wife held before, situated between the tenement late of Master Nicholas de Bathon[ia] on the south and the tenement late of John Potager on the north, she rendering to him 12*s.* yearly and making all necessary repairs.
2. Letters patent of Thomas de Byngham, the sub-dean presiding in the absence of Sir Nicholas Slake, the dean, and the chapter of the cathedral church of Wells dated at their chapter-house of Wells, 17 June, 22 Richard II, inspecting and confirming the same.
3. Letters patent of John, the prior, and the chapter of the cathedral church of Bath dated at their chapter-house of Bath, 12 July, 1329, inspecting and confirming the same.

For ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

May 26. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight John Cheyne, in lieu of a like grant to him at the Exchequer by letters patent, surrendered, of 100 marks yearly from the 210 marks yearly which he and Thomas Horston, clerk, are bound to render at the Exchequer according to letters patent dated 21 February during the war with France and afterwards at the Exchequer.

By p.s.

MEMBRANE 26.

May 18. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the prior and canons of St. John Baptist, Lanthony Prima, of letters patent dated 6 January, 2 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 20 October, 3 Edward III, inspecting and confirming the following:—

1. Letters patent under the great seal of Ireland dated 26 July, 11 Edward II, inspecting a charter of John, lord of Ireland, dated at Winchester.
2. Letters patent dated 1 June, 17 Edward II, inspecting and confirming a writing of Walter de Lacy lord of Meath.

For 100*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Licence, for 10 marks paid by him in the hanaper, for Maurice de Berkeley of Iwele, 'chivaler,' to enfeoff John de Berkeley, 'chivaler,' John Dynham, 'chivaler,' Thomas Stawell and Thomas Milnward, chaplain, of the manors of Kyngesweston, Aylberton and Rokehampton, co. Gloucester, held in chief, and for them to re-grant the same to him and Joan his wife and the heirs of their bodies, with remainder to his right heirs.

May 20. Westminster. Mandate to the escheator in the county of Salop and the marches of Wales adjacent for the restitution of the temporalities of the bishopric of Bangor to Richard Jong, doctor of either law, whom the pope has provided to be bishop, as appears by his letters directed to Richard II, and who has renounced everything prejudicial to the king in these letters and whose fealty the king has taken. [*Fœdera.*]

Writ *de intendendo* in pursuance to the tenants. By K.

Membrane 26—*cont.*

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Confirmation to Walter Lang of Southampton of a ship called *Mary Knyght*, of which Henry Sand was master, which Richard II granted to him, with all its gear. By K.

May 24. Westminster. Grant to the king's esquire Janico Dartasso of whatever pertains to the king for the escape from the prison in the castle of Trym in Ireland of all persons detained in it for offences committed by themselves or as hostages and securities for peace, viz. David Bringham, hostage, John McCartan, hostage, Gregory McRewagh, hostage of Cowele O'Nele, Moryertagh McCormly, hostage of Cowele O'Nele, Tyrelagh McEyk, hostage Makeyk, Manus O'Hanlan, hostage, Manus Reuagh O'Hanlan, Tyrelagh McKeyk, hostage McEyk, Conkyr McEyk, hostage McEyk, William Omor', hostage, Omord de Laynster, John McGeynall, Cormok McCarmok, Tyrelagh McCrossan, John Bay, John Mocan, Peter Haket, Peter Jurdan, Giles Olane, William McYawene, John Obarr', Danald O'Cone, William Riton, John Troy, Dolanald O'Hanlan, William Prendyrgase, John Masoun, Thomas de Conacie and Adam Walsche. By p.s.

May 24. Westminster. Grant to Hugh Morton, prior of Ewenny in Wales, to whom by mainprise of William Stradlyng of the county of Somerset, 'chivaler,' and Thomas Prestbury of the county of Gloucester the king committed the custody of the priory of Langeneth, within the lordship of Gower in Wales, from Michaelmas last during the war with France, rendering 20*l.* yearly at the Exchequer, that he shall not be removed from the custody by anyone, regular or secular, except the monks of the house beyond the seas to which the priory pertains. By K.

March 19. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William de Lardir of letters patent dated 23 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 11 November, 50 Edward III, granting to him for life 5 marks yearly. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

May 28. Westminster. Grant to Agnes late the wife of William Berkewey of all goods and chattels late of the said William and pertaining to the king by reason of his forfeiture. By p.s.

May 24. Westminster. Notification that it is not and never has been the king's intention that any duly authorised Friars should be hindered from preaching the Word of God or collecting alms from the faithful for their livelihood; as the king has heard from certain Friars Preachers of Thetford, co. Norfolk, that certain of his subjects of that town and the adjacent parts thus hinder them.

May 31. Westminster. Presentation of John Alampton, chaplain, to the church of Norton Comitis, in the diocese of Bath and Wells, in the king's gift by reason of the temporalities of the bishopric being in his hands through voidance of the see.

MEMBRANE 25.

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Nov. 22. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 12 May, 20 Richard II, granting for life to William Hunte 100*s.* yearly at the Exchequer; and grant to him also for life of 100*s.* yearly at the Exchequer, in recompense of a grant to him by Anne, late queen of England, confirmed by other letters patent of Richard II, of 100*s.* yearly from the issues of the lordship of Eye, which has been granted to the earl of Suffolk.

By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

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May 23. Westminster. Grant for life to George Reyncourt of 3*d.* daily from the issues of the city of London. By K.

May 26. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Davy of Aber of letters patent under the seal of North Wales dated at Carnarvon, 27 April, 19 Richard II, granting to him for life 2*d.* daily at the exchequer of Carnarvon, for his good service in the wars of Edward III and because he is old and feeble and almost blind. By K. of his alms.

May 14. Westminster. Grant in mortmain, of the king's alms, to the prior and convent of the house of the Holy Trinity, Houndeslowe, of 10*l.* yearly from the fee-farm of the town of Kyngeston on Thames until they shall be provided with lands or rents to that value; on the surrender by them of letters patent of Edward III granting to them 20*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

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Nov. 14. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Stondon of letters patent dated 6 April, 8 Richard II, granting to him for life 10*l.* yearly. By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

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May 20. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Stanes of letters patent dated 10 May, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 8 September, 50 Edward III, granting to him for life 100*s.* yearly. By K. of his special grace.

May 20. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the burgesses of Wilton of the gild merchant and custom of Wilton of a charter dated at Westminster, 28 November, 5 Richard II [*Charter Roll, 5 and 6 Richard II, No.* 23], inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Salisbury, 18 October, 2 Edward III [*Charter Roll, 2 Edward III, No.* 32], inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Westminster, 14 February, 13 Henry III [*Charter Roll, 13 Henry III, m.* 12]. For 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

May 29. Westminster. Grant to the king's esquire Thomas Tyle of 25 cows and one bull late of the king's stock at his lands called Cleygate and Whetersh, which lands on 23 November last were granted for life to Richard Rayle and Nicholas Cherchehull, to hold with all profits from that date to the value of 12½ marks, provided that he answer for any surplus. By p.s.

Sept. 2. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Richard Sponser and John Lichefeld of letters patent dated 16 September, 22 Richard II, granting to them for life 13*l.* yearly. By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

May 30. Westminster. William Kilvyngton, staying in England, has letters nominating John Acton and Robert Caldecote, clerk, his attorneys in Ireland for one year. Robert de Garton, clerk, received the attorneys until the return of the said William to Ireland.

May 28. Westminster. Commission to the king's lieutenant in Ireland and the chancellor of Ireland to take homages and oaths of fealty of all lords and others of Ireland who hold of the king in chief and ought to make homage and fealty to him. By C.

May 14. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John de Wisshele of letters patent dated 22 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming his own letters patent (*French*) made when prince of Wales dated 25 February, 51 Edward III, inspecting and confirming letters patent (*French*) of Edward, prince of Wales, dated 5 June, 50 Edward III, granting to him for life 100*s.* yearly. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

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June 1. Westminster. Richard de Burgh, staying in England, has letters nominating Henry Chambre of Droghda and Thomas Thomlynson of Droghda his attorneys in Ireland for three years. John Rome received the attorneys.

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May 20. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the warden and brethren of the fraternity of St. John Baptist, Bristol, of letters patent dated 16 October, 22 Richard II, granting licence for the foundation of the fraternity and for their acquisition in mortmain of lands and rents to the value of 100*s.* yearly; provided that they shall not acquire lands and rents beyond that value and that in all acquisitions they shall exhibit both letters.
For 100*s.* paid in the hanaper.

May 12. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Noion, prebendary of Leghton Manor in the church of St. Mary, Lincoln, of a charter dated at Langley, 14 March, 7 Richard II [*Charter Roll, 7 and 8 Richard II, No.* 13], inspecting and confirming the following:—
1. A charter dated at Windsor Castle, 23 April, 38 Edward III. [*Charter Roll, 38 Edward III., No.* 14.]
2. A charter of Stephen dated at Lincoln.
3. A charter dated at Christ Church, 12 November, 10 John. [*Rotuli Chartarum, p.* 183.] For 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

May 25. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the abbot and convent of Coggeshale of letters patent dated 4 March, 2 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 11 January, 18 Edward III, granting to them a tun

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of red wine yearly. By p.s. and for 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Dec. 4. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 1 December, 1 Henry IV, being an exemplification, at the request of John Englefeld, of the tenour of the enrolment of letters patent dated 5 October,

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22 Richard II. By p.s. and for 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

May 24. Westminster. Mandate to all sheriffs and others to permit all tenants of the king's son Henry, prince of Wales, of the town of Kirketon in Lyndesey with the soke of the same, which he holds as of the duchy of Cornwall and which are of the ancient demesne of the crown, to be quit of toll for their goods and things throughout the realm according to ancient custom.

May 29. Westminster. Grant to John Typtot, knight, of the custody of all lands late of Robert Shardelowe, knight, deceased, from Michaelmas last during the minority of the heir without waste, with the marriage of the latter without disparagement, and so from heir to heir, provided that he find a competent sustenance for the heir, maintain the houses, buildings, woods, enclosures and gardens and support all other charges. By p.s.

Licence for the king's lieges of the town of Lenne, viz. John Brandon, owner of a ship called *le Gabriel*, William Gedeney, owner of a ship called *la Trinite*, Thomas Trussebut, owner of a ship called *la Trinite*, and Robert de Brunham, owner of a ship called *le Holygost*, which are at sea at the king's command to war against the Scots and those of Frisland, to arrest two other sufficient ships to reinforce their own and mariners and men for these six ships, as the Scots propose to reinforce themselves at sea to war against the king and the realm, and to have to their own use all that they can thus win from the Scots and those of Frisland. By p.s.

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May 10. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John, archbishop of Armagh, of letters patent dated 21 May, 1 Henry IV, being an exemplification of the tenour of the enrolment of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 7 October, 22 Richard II, granting to him restitution of the priory called 'Blakpriorie' of St. Andrew in Arde, in Ulster.
2. Letters patent dated 28 October, 22 Richard II, granting to him a moiety of an acre of land with the church of St. James, Athboy, in Ireland and the advowson of the church.

provided that he answer yearly for the issues of the priory during the war with France. By p.s. and for 6 marks paid in the hanaper.

June 1. Westminster. Presentation of Henry Drayton, chaplain, to the church of Norton Comitis, in the diocese of Bath and Wells, in the king's gift by reason of the temporalities of the bishopric being in his hands through voidance of the see.

March 29. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Richard Rowe of Estgrenewich of 10*l.* yearly at the Exchequer, in lieu of a like grant of 10 marks by letters patent of Richard II, surrendered. By p.s.

May 30. Westminster. Pardon to Richard Stanley, 'shipman,' of Langrak, co. York, for the death and murder of John Lenten of Langrak and all other treasons and felonies committed by him before the year 8 Richard II. By p.s.

May 12. Westminster. Grant to the prioress and convent of St. Mary, Chester, in augmentation of their estate, of 10 marks yearly for 20 years from the fee-farm of the town of Shrewsbury. By p.s.

May 31. Westminster. Grant for life to Nicholas Maudyt, esquire, that he shall be one of the king's serjeants at arms, receiving 12*d.* daily for his wages at the Exchequer and a vesture yearly at the great wardrobe, as other serjeants at arms have. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 3 November, in the fourteenth year, the king granted to him for life the said 12d. daily and 20 marks yearly from the issues of the county of Devon and the vesture at the wardrobe.

May 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Robert Spicer *alias* Clay of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 2 March, 7 Richard II, granting to him for life 10 marks yearly.
2. Letters patent dated 2 May, 15 Richard II, granting to him for life a croft called 'le Spitelland' by Kyngeston on Thames.
3. Letters patent dated 22 April, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life 10*l.* yearly. By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

June 2. Westminster. Presentation of Robert de Barton, parson of the church of Wynterslewe, in the diocese of Salisbury, to the church of Brede, in the diocese of Chichester, in the king's gift by reason of the temporalities of the alien abbey of Fécamp being in his hands on account of the war with France, on an exchange of benefices with William Bolton.

MEMBRANE 22.

May 26. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the prior and convent of Sele, co. Sussex, of the following:—

1. A charter of Henry II to the monks of St. Florent, Saumur [*Monasticon*, VI. 1088.]

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2. Letters patent dated 15 November, 21 Richard II, granting licence for the prior and convent to appropriate the church of Old Shorham in mortmain.

and licence for them to appropriate the said church accordingly.
For 20 marks paid in the hanaper.

May 11. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Argentein, knight, kinsman of the under-mentioned John, of a charter of king Stephen as follows:—

S. rex Anglorum archiepiscopis, episcopis, abbatibus, justiciariis, comitibus, vicecomitibus, baronibus et omnibus ministris et fidelibus suis, Francigenis et Anglis, totius Anglie salutem. Sciatis me reddidisse et concessisse Johanni de Argentein tatam terram que fuit patris sui Raginaldi de Argentein cum ministerio suo. Quare volo et precipio quod ipse Johannes et heredes sui post eum totam terram illam teneant bene et in pace et libere et quiete et honorifice in bosco et plano et pratis et pasturis et aquis et stagnis et viis et semitis et omnibus aliis rebus sicut suus pater tenuit melius, cum soca et saca et cum tol et temieu et infangenewne ffet. Hiis testibus, Willelmo Mart' et Roberto de Ver et Roberto Arsic et Adam de Boln' et Ricardo de Monte Acuto, Simone de Girardimolend,' apud Limming. For ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

May 25. Westminster. Grant for life to William de Wellesley, 'chivaler,' of Ireland, whom the king has retained for life, of 20*l.* yearly from the fee-farm which the prior and brethren of the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in Ireland are bound to render to the king for the castle and manor of Salmon Leap and Chapelizod in Ireland. By p.s.

May 29. Westminster. Grant to the king's servant William Hoghwyk of six great silver candlesticks with feet of lions weighing by goldsmith's weight 24 pounds, six other great white silver candlesticks gilt at the foot weighing 19 pounds 14*s.* 9½*d.*, six white silver saltcellars gilt on the 'swages' without covers weighing 8 pounds 15*s.*, four white silver saltcellars of the same suit without covers weighing 72*s.* and a cover of a silver-gilt and polished saltcellar weighing 19*s.*, weighing in all 57 pounds 9½*d.*, late of Richard II and in the custody of Richard de la Panetrie of St. Albans.
By p.s. [1891.]

June 1. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the prior and convent of St. Katharine without Lincoln of a charter dated at Lincoln, 18 July, 5 Edward III, granting to them free warren. [*Charter Roll, 5 Edward III, No.* 28.]
For 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

May 29. Westminster. Licence for the abbot and convent of St. Ouen, Rouan in Normandy, to grant the manor or priory of Meresey, co. Essex, with all the emoluments and stock pertaining to it to Henry, bishop of Annaghdown in Ireland, and John Doreward of the said county and Isabel his wife for life as fully as it has come into the king's hands on account of the war with France, and for them to hold it from Michaelmas last. By p.s.

June 2. Westminster. Licence, for 20 marks paid by the prioress in the hanaper, for William Cressewyk of London to grant in mortmain two messuages and 13 shops in the parish of St. Sepulchre without the bar of West Smythfeld, London, not held in chief, to the prioress and convent of St. Mary, Clerkenwell, in aid of their maintenance.

June 1. Westminster. Janico Dartas, *alias* Dartasso, esquire, staying in England, has letters nominating John Coppull, esquire, and Walter Eure his attorneys in Ireland for one year. John de Hertilpole, clerk, received the attorneys.

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May 26. Westminster. Whereas Thomas, late duke of Norfolk, deceased, after his marriage with his wife Elizabeth, who still survives, enfeoffed the king by the name of Henry, earl of Derby, and others of the manors of Weston and Alkombury, co. Huntingdon, Lincelade and Southcote, co. Buckingham, Kyngton, co. Warwick, and Hynton, co. Cambridge, and certain lands in Ikelyngton, co. Cambridge, certain lands in Stretton in the Strete, co. Rutland, and 24*s.* rent in the town of Northampton for the fulfilment of certain conditions agreed upon between him and the earl of Huntyngdon, likewise deceased, concerning the marriage of Thomas, son of the duke, and Constance, daughter of the earl; the king grants that the said Elizabeth shall have her dower from the premises, notwithstanding his estate therein. By p.s.

May 24. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Thomas de Bardolf, kinsman and heir of Roger Damory, and the heirs of his body of letters patent dated 12 August, 13 Edward II, granting to the said Roger and the heirs of his body 100 marks yearly at the Exchequer until they shall be provided with lands to that value; deduction being made for any such partial provision. By p.s. and for 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

June 2. Westminster. Grant to Thomas Sydenhale of the office of yeoman of the king's cars, curricles and litters, receiving 3*d.* daily for life at the Exchequer. By K.

June 1. Westminster. Protection with clause *volumus*, for one year, for John Acton, clerk, staying on the king's service in the company of the king's knight John Stanley, lieutenant of Ireland, on the safe-custody of that land. By bill of p.s.

MEMBRANE 21.

May 22. Westminster. Appointment, during pleasure, of John Prestecote as steward of all lordships, manors, lands, courts, leets and hundreds in the county of Devon late of Thomas, late earl of Kent, John, late earl of Huntingdon, John, late earl of Salisbury, Ralph de Lumley, 'chivaler,' Thomas Blount, 'chivaler,' and Benedict Sely, 'chivaler,' deceased, who made forfeiture to the king, receiving the accustomed fees. By C.

May 25. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John de Lancastre and Marjory his wife of letters patent (*French*) of Thomas, duke of Norfolk, earl of Nottingham, lord of Moubray and Segrave, dated at Coventry, 14 September, 22 Richard II, granting to them for life a yearly rent of 20 marks from his manor of Wylyngton. By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

May 25. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Robert Herbotell of the town of Malkarston-in-Tenedale, which Nicholas de Rothom, deceased, had of the grant of Richard II. By p.s.

May 25. Westminster. Pardon to Luke Graward for all treasons and felonies committed by him before the Annunciation last, except murder, rape, common larceny and homicide. By p.s.

May 22. Westminster. Grant for life to John Aldelyme the elder of 40*l.* yearly at the Exchequer in recompense of the offices of escheator, clerk of the market and keeper of weights and measures in Ireland, granted to him for life by letters patent of Richard II, surrendered; in consideration of the great expenses which he incurred towards Thomas Clifford, 'chivaler,' to whom the offices were formerly granted for life by Richard II, and because he has been removed from them by pretext of letters patent of the king granting them to Ralph Standyssh of the county of Lancaster for life. By K.

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May 29. Westminster. Presentation of William Repyngton to the prebend of Marlepas in the collegiate church of Hastynges, co. Sussex, in the diocese of Chichester. By p.s.

May 28. Westminster. Grant for life to Robert Tirrell of 73*s.* yearly from the fee-farm of the city of Dublin, because a great part of his lands in Ireland have been devastated by the king's Irish enemies. By p.s.

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Oct. 14. Westminster *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Thomas Swynford, 'chivaler,' and Joan Crophill his wife of letters patent dated 12 May, 16 Richard II, granting to them for life 100 marks yearly. By p.s.

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June 1. Westminster. Licence, for 24 marks paid by them in the hanaper, for the alienation in mortmain by Drugo Barantyn, citizen and goldsmith of London, and Marjory his wife of 8 marks of yearly quit-rent from a messuage called 'le Griffoun on the Hoop' and four shops with cellars and solars built on them in the parish of St. Matthew, Fridaystrete, London, held in burgage as is all the city of London, to Thomas Damysele, the parson, and the wardens of the fabric of the church of St. Matthew to find a chaplain to celebrate divine service daily in the church for the souls of Nicholas Twyford, knight, sometime citizen and goldsmith of London, and Alan de Conductu, sometime citizen.

May 28. Westminster. Grant, during good behaviour, to the king's esquire Thomas Hewyssh of the office of forester in the forest of Savernak, co. Wilts, which John Wyly, deceased, had, with the due wages and profits. By p.s.

June 4. Westminster. Revocation of the protection with clause *volumus*, for one year, lately granted by letters patent to Thomas Scottissone, merchant of Lancastre, staying on the king's service in the company of the king's kinsman Henry de Percy, captain of the castle and town of Berwick on Tweed, on the safe-custody of the same, because he delays in the county of Lancaster, as appears by certificate of the chancellor in the county.

May 24. Westminster. Grant to William Elleford of the archdeaconry of Tanton, in the king's gift by reason of the temporalities of the bishopric of Bath and Wells being in his hands. By K.

June 5. Westminster. Ratification of the estate which Robert Alkebarowe has as parson of the church of St. Merewenna, in the diocese of Exeter, provided no plea be pending in the king's court and he do not obtain the church by provision.

June 6. Westminster. The like for the following:—
Richard Lentwardyn, parson of the church of Mounselowe, in the diocese of Hereford.

June 28. Westminster. John Kydermustre, vicar of the church of Much Marcle, in the diocese of Hereford.

MEMBRANE 20.

May 29. Westminster. Grant for life to John, abbot of St. Albans, of two tuns of wine yearly from the king's wines in the city of London. By p.s.

May 26. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Godfrey van Upstall of letters patent dated 17 June, 16 Richard II, granting to him denization. For 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

Membrane 20—*cont.*

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May 29. Westminster. Ratification of the estate which Walter Shouke, chaplain, has as warden of the chapel of St. Salphinus within the castle of Barnestaple, in the diocese of Exeter, provided that he do not obtain the chapel by provision of the apostolic see. By p.s.

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Nov. 19. Westminster. Grant to John Blount of the custody of all lands late of William Ipstones, deceased, tenant in chief, during the minority of his heir or heirs with the marriage of the latter without disparagement, and so from heir to heir, finding a competent sustenance for the heir or heirs, maintaining the houses and buildings and supporting all other charges. By p.s.

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May 6. Westminster. Grant for life to John Carswell of 20 marks yearly from the issues of the county of Devon. By p.s.

May 18. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Peverell of letters patent dated 3 April, 19 Richard II, exempting him for life from being put on assizes etc. For 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

May 28. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Mounceux of letters patent dated 18 June, 18 Richard II, granting to him for life 10 marks yearly from the issues of the county of Cumberland; and grant to him further for life of 20 marks yearly from the same. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

June 1. Westminster. Grant to the bailiffs and good men of the town of Gloucestre of pavage for three years.

June 3. Westminster. Presentation of Richard Godyngton, parson of the church of Weston on Abonham, in the diocese of Worcester, to the church of Chilton Cantilieu, in the diocese of Bath and Wells, on an exchange of benefices with Robert Holbrook.

June 5. Westminster. Richard Bagot, staying in England, has letters nominating Master Richard More and Thomas Talbot his attorneys in Ireland for one year. John de Hertilpole, clerk, received the attorneys.

MEMBRANES 19-16.

May 12. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the prioress and nuns of St. Mary, Chester, of the following:—

1. Letters patent under the seal used in the county of Chester dated at Chester, 8 November, 7 Richard II, witnessed by Thomas de Molyneux, lieutenant of the king's brother John de Holand, justice of Chester, John de Wodehous, the king's chamberlain there, Nicholas de Vernon, knight, sheriff of Chester, Laurence de Dutton, Ralph de Vernon, William de Brerton and Robert de Fouleshurst, knights, Richard de Venables of Kynderton, Robert le Grosvenor, Robert de Fouleshurst of Edlaston, William de Praers and others, inspecting and confirming the following:—
   a. A charter of Edward, prince of Wales, duke of Cornwall and earl of Chester, dated at Chester, 10 September, 27 Edward III, witnessed by Hugh de Venables, Geoffrey de Werberton the elder, John de Legh, Thomas de Haukeston and John Daniers, knights, Thomas de Dutton, Thomas Daniers, Richard del Hogh, Philip de Eggerton and others, inspecting and confirming the following.

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Membranes 19-16—*cont.*

(1.) A charter of Randolph, earl of Chester. [*Monasticon*, IV. 313.]

(2.) A charter of Randolph, earl of Chester, granting to them one boat in the water of Chester to fish where they will with any net. Witnesses:—Matilda the countess, John the chaplain, Roger and Andrew the chaplains, Randolph the sheriff, Richard the butler, Geoffrey le Despenser, at Chester.

(3.) A charter of Randolph, earl of Chester, granting to them Wallerescote in frank almoin. Witnesses:—Ralph de Menilwarint, Peter Roald, Robert son of Pigot, Peter the clerk, William de Haselwall, Richard de Kyngeslehe, Herbert de Pulfordia, Patrick de Modburle, Roger de Menilwarint, Randolph his brother, Robert Lancelyn, Thomas son of William, Randolph de Monte Alto, Alban Minur and others at Chester.

(4.) A charter of Randolph, duke of Brittany and earl of Chester and Richmond, granting to them in frank almoin free multure for the corn for their table in his mills of Chester, after his own corn or after that which shall be in the hopper (*tremea*). Witnesses:—Countess Bertrade, Ralph de Meisinbon, Peter Reaald, Geoffrey Gernon, Latricius de Madberleh, Randolph de Praeriis, Hugh de Mascy, Lid' de Manlaw, Bertram de Cam[era,] Robert Sarr,' Robert son of Hard', Richard son of Ralph Ruald, Richard the clerk and others, at Chester.

(5.) A charter of the same confirming all grants made to them by earl Randolph, his grandfather, and earl Hugh, his father, and granting to them 40*s.* yearly from his rents in Wich, one boat in the water of Chester to fish where they will with any net, a free court as frank almoin requires, and the church of Huure which his father granted to them in frank almoin. Witnesses: — Bertrade, countess of Chester, Ralph the steward de Monte Alto, Ralph de Mesnilwar', Geoffrey de Buxia, Roger the constable, Henry and Stephen de Longo Campo, Hugh and Alan de Bosco Ale, Roger de Cestre, Alexander son of Ralph, Bertram the chamberlain, Randolph de Deuenham, Robert son of Gilbert, Robert Lancelin, William his brother, Richard son of Ralph, Lanterne son of Andrew, Richard the clerk and others at Wich.

(6.) A charter of Hugh, earl of Chester. [*Monasticon*, IV. 314.]

(7.) A charter of Richard the Butler, addressed to Hugh, earl of Chester, and others, granting in frank almoin to the nuns, on his mother Gunnora taking the veil, two dwellings (*mensuras*) now divided into three, in which dwell Baldwin and Elstard and Aschetil, and also 5*s.* rent yearly, not only for his mother taking the veil but also for the souls of his father and Randolph the earl. Witnesses:—Robert the sewer, Robert Banaster, William Patric, Gilbert de Venables, William son of Osbern, Richard Lancelun, Andrew the canon, Hugh son of Oliver, Payn the sheriff, William the proud (*superbo*) Udardus. That is the charter of the lands which they have in ' le Lorimersrowe ' against the abbey of St. Werburga, Chester, of which the said (*sic*) Matthew the goldsmith and Alice have taken two parts at fee-farm, paying 16*s.* yearly,

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and Roger le Barbour and Emma Colfox his wife held the third part, paying 3*s.* 4*d.* yearly.

(8.) A charter of R. de Cliford releasing to them all his right in a land between Weverham and Walriscote which Ranulph, sometime reeve of Weverham, enclosed and paid to him ½*d.* yearly, as the stream divides which descends from le Bache to the water of Wevere, claiming nothing except prayers and orisons. Witnesses:—Sir H. Lestrange (*Extraneo*) Stephen de Merton, Warin le Grovenor, Henry de Wevere, Rac' Donin, Randolph de Vetenale, Raul de Merton, clerk, and others.

(9.) A charter of William de Venables granting to them in frank almoin a messuage and a bovate of land from his demesne in Heclesenne. Witnesses:—Geoffrey the chaplain, Master Robert Ruffus, Adam Pantulf, clerk, brother William the clerk, Brice Pantulf, Gilbert and Richard de Venebles, knights, Gilbert son of Nigel, Thomas Malomanus, Randolph son of Gilbert and others.

(10.) A charter of Hugh de Tywe granting to them in frank almoin two cultivated plots (*culturas*) in Old Waverton called 'Solme Greneforlong' and 'Overe Forlong' by the bounds from Fridaieslake on the east to Wynesfordheth and so descending towards the south to Crokedeforlong and thence towards the west by Crokedeforlong to Solmegrenes and so ascending towards the north to Frydaieslake, with common of pasture of the grove of Waverton called the common grove and housbote and haybote and quittance of pannage for their own swine in the grove and all other easements, and common pasture in High Waverton as his other neighbours have, save in mast-time (*tempore pessone*), viz. from Michaelmas to Martinmas, rendering yearly half a mark of silver and doing nothing for the same except orisons. Witnesses:—William de Vernoun, then justice of Chester, Warin de Wernon, William de Venables, Roger de Meywar, Robert de Thuhuc, Master Roger, constable of the castle of Chester, Richard de Kyngesb', Richard de Sonbache, Robert de Pulford, Hugh his brother, Hugh de Waverton, Stephen de Merton, Gilbert the clerk and others.

(11.) A charter of the same releasing to them half a mark of silver which they used to render yearly for the land of Old Waverton which they hold from him, so that they render yearly one penny of silver for the same at Michaelmas, and he will claim nothing except prayers and orisons. Witnesses:—Richard the clerk, mayor of Chester, Oliver de Trouford, William de Haurdin, sheriff of Chester, William, prior of Denewell, then warden of the nuns, Richard, rector of the church of Pulford, William de Bostok, Ralph de Pulford and others.

(12.) A charter of William de Tabbeleye granting to them in frank almoin all his demesne in Old Waverton with homages, rents, wards, reliefs, escheats and appurtenances and claiming nothing but orisons, in return for which they have received him into all their benefits and have promised to keep his anniversary and bury his body in their cemetery. Witnesses:—Sirs Thomas de Boulton, justice of Chester, James de Audedele, Adam de Chetewynd, chamberlain of Chester, Robert

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de Huxle, constable of Chester castle, Thomas de Whelok, Richard Dedefyn, William de Bostok, William de Huxleye, Geoffrey de Skistenton, William, prior of Denewell, Geoffrey the clerk and others.

(13.) A charter of Richard Dudefyn, granting to them in frank almoin a part of his land in Old Waverton, viz. all that land arable and non-arable between the land which they have of the grant of Hugh de Tywe and the moss towards the east in breadth and between Fridaieslache and Wynesfordhet towards the south in length, with all easements and liberties and common and housbote and haybote and pannage for their own swine, at a rent of two gloves yearly at Midsummer. Witnesses:—Simon de Neuton, Warin de Croxt', William de Wewere, William de Bostok, Hugh de Tywe, Hamo de Bret, Adam de Clive, John de Acculleston, Stephen de Merton, Stephen de Clive, Henry de Wevere, Robert de Bradeford, Hugh the clerk and others.

(14.) A charter of the same releasing to them all the land lying between Wynesfordstrete on the north and their land on the other side, extending to 'le mos' with the wood opposite, viz. the land which he had in exchange from William de Ruston, claiming nothing but orisons. Witnesses:—Sir Richard de Newton, Waryn de Croxton, William de Bostok, Hamo le Bret, Hugh de Bostok, clerk, William de Okleston, Hugh Frechet, Henry, son of Stephen de Clive, Geoffrey the clerk and others.

(15.) A charter of John called the Noble, citizen of Chester, and Eva Dobeldai his wife granting to them in frank almoin the lands late of Ameria the wife of German Dobelday, viz. the land towards the east gate lying between the land of Robert Salomon and the land of Laurence the younger, a plot of land in the little street of St. John the Baptist lying between the land late of Andrew Gardin and the land of St. John and land without the east gate lying between the land late of Simon son of Alan and the land late of Hugh Pargamenar', with all liberties, easements and commodities and all buildings, claiming nothing but orisons, so that from the rents of these lands on the day of their anniversary each nun shall have 12*d.* of silver, and the rest shall be for the fabric of the church, and if any warden of the house or prioress or anyone else shall put the rents to other uses the ordinary of the place shall have free power to distribute them. Witnesses:—Richard the clerk, mayor of Chester, William de Haurdyn, clerk, Oliver de Troford, sheriff of Chester, Stephen Saracen, Robert Mercener, Robert Harald, Matthew de Daresbir', Alexander Hart, Geoffrey the clerk and others.

(16.) A charter of Ralph son of Hardyng granting to them in frank almoin 2*s.* yearly from his land in the great street of Chester. Witnesses:—Andrew, chaplain of St. Peter, Walter the chaplain, Thomas the chamberlain, Nicholas de Kent, John son of Norman, William his brother, Turstin son of John, Robert his son, Peter de Winchecomb, Turstin the clerk.

(17.) A charter of Ralph son of Ralph son of Hardyng granting to them the same. Witnesses:—Master Tursfan, Adam de Cristelton, Hugh the chaplain his brother, Robert son of

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Arnwus the younger, Robert son of Ernisius, Simon de Falesey, Robert son of Turstan, Hugh the tailor, Philip the skinner, Gilbert the clerk and others.

(18.) A charter of William Munitor granting to them in frank almoin 12*d.* yearly rent from the land which he holds of William the Welshman by the monastery of St. Martin. Witnesses:—Philip de Orrebi, justiciary of Chester, Peter the clerk of the lord chamberlain of Chester, Master Alan, official of Chester, Richard, sheriff of Chester, John, parson of St. Mary, Richard son of Lid', Hugh the chaplain, Bertram the chamberlain of the earl, Richard the clerk of Kogw', Ank' de Pulf', Touid the miller, William the reeve, Andrew Russell, Richard de Rodestorn, clerk, Geoffrey Munitor and others.

(19.) A charter of William son of Osbert granting to them two parts of the tithe of his demesne of Colburn for the remission of his sins and for the soul of Randolph the earl and this on the day on which he was entombed before the bishop. Witnesses:—Ralph Alb' and Matilda the countess and Robert the sewer and Hugh the priest of Dodeleston and others, barons, knights, clerks and laymen.

(20.) A charter of Richard son of Richard son of Gralam de Lostok granting to them in frank almoin 4*s.* yearly from the demesnes of the manor of Lostok with power of distraint for the bailiff of Haulton. Witnesses:—Ralph de Vernun, Richard Stark, Robert de Huxley, sheriff of Cheshire, Geoffrey de Skistenton, Waryn le Grovenor, Randolph de Merton, clerk, Geoffrey, then clerk of the nuns, and others.

(21.) A charter of Gralam de Rotundo Campo granting to them in frank almoin, except for orisons, a field situated between Holedene and Ruhasale, surrounded on one side by a torrent and on the other by the old ditch as the ditch leads to a stream which is on the east side nearer to Hordawic with pasture and other necessaries, saving oak and his pannage (*phahdnagio*), viz. the field which Richard de Ruhecamp his father formerly granted to them in charity, and a bovate of land in Lethe viz. in Crochadeleth which his mother Mabel de Menulwaryn granted to them, viz. the bovate which Candalan held, with all appurtenances and commodities. Witnesses:—Sir Warin Vernun and Waryn the younger and Richard de Vernun, Robert son of Pigot, Bertram le Chaberlanc, William de Verdon, Peter the clerk, Richard the clerk, William de Bobbeche and others.

(22.) A charter of Richard son of Gralam de Lostoc confirming the grant (20) of Richard his son, with the same witnesses.

b. A charter of the same dated at Chester, 24 September, 27 Edward III, with the same witnesses, inspecting and confirming the following:—

(1.) A charter of Peter the clerk of the earl of Chester and Lincoln granting to them in frank almoin, saving 2*d.* yearly to the earl, a land in the city of Chester which he held of the earl lying along the wall of the city between it and their crofts. Witnesses:—Sir Henry, abbot of Chester, Sir Philip de Orreby, justice of Chester, Robert de Rammill, Richard son of the sheriff, Master Hugh, Richard Kagwhurt, Patrick and Randolph his own sons, Adam de Cristelton, Robert Bras,

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Thomas the chamberlain, John son of Norman, William the clerk, Robert son of Ernis', Roger the clerk and others.

(2.) A charter of Philip the clerk, citizen of Chester, granting to them free exit of the water from their garden by the middle of the land which he has under the wall of the city opposite the water of Dee by the garden of Robert Mercener, so that he and his heirs incur no damage nor be hindered in ploughing and sowing. Witnesses:—Sir Reginald de Grey, justice of Chester, Adam de Verdon, constable of Chester castle, Robert the clerk, chamberlain of the same, Robert Mercener, mayor of Chester, Hugh de Moles, Robert Erneis, sheriff of Chester, Dan' de Deresbur', Robert Harald, Geoffrey the clerk and others.

(3.) A charter of the same granting to them in frank almoin a way across the croft which he has under the wall of the city opposite the water of Dee by the quarry, and claiming nothing but prayers and orisons, the way measuring 8 feet in breadth without the ditch by his garden and extending from the wall of the city to Eyam. Witnesses:—Sir Roger de Grey, justice of Chester, Adam de Werdon, constable of the castle of Chester, Robert the clerk, chamberlain of the same, Robert Mercener, mayor of Chester, Hugh de Moles, Robert Erneis, sheriff of Chester, Alexander Hurel, Randolph de Deresburi, Robert Harald, Robert de Terneu, Geoffrey the clerk and others.

(4.) A charter of Richard son of Alvred granting to them in frank almoin with his two daughters Beatrice and Joetta the land of Honebrugge which he took with his wife. Witnesses:—Simon son of Osbert, Heltus de Boisdere, Walter de Hambi and others.

(5.) A charter of Simon son of Osbert confirming the said grant of the said land of Honebrugge of the marriage of Aliz, the wife of Richard and sister of Simon, and granting to them a land across the bridge of Chester called 'Gefreis Halc.' Witnesses:—Toredus the canon, Richard son of Alvred and Robert his brother, Alexander the clerk, William the proud and others.

(6.) A charter of the same granting to them in frank almoin the mansure in Chester which Richard son of Ithenarch held, and Richard his son holds and the said Richard and his homage and service and a bovate of land in Clavertun. Witnesses:—Hugh, earl of Chester, Bertre the countess, Ralph son of Waryn, Ralph son of Simon son of Osbert, Thomas de Sancto Patricio, Walter the priest of Holy Trinity, Richard de Pulford, Geoffrey de Clinchamp and others.

(7.) A charter of Richard son of Nigel addressed to his lord the earl of Chester and others, notifying that Robert de Roghes with his consent has granted to the nuns four bovates of land in Cristeutun and he for the soul of his father has granted to them all that pertains to him in the same. Witnesses:—Richard the chaplain, Simon the chaplain, William son of Nigel, Serlo the hunter, Roger de Glanvile Robert son of William, William the proud (*Lorgeldo*) and Laurence his son, Hugh de Basset, Robert son of Wace, Andrew son of Richard, Simon de Faleisia, Roger Tard and others.

(8.) A charter of Robert de Roges granting to them in frank almoin with the consent of his lord Richard son of Nigel with

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Matilda his mother, who is taking the veil, four bovates of land in Cristelton with all those bovates adjoining and other things late of Reginald and Garin, and claiming nothing but prayers and orisons. Witnesses:—Richard the chaplain, William son of Nigel, Serlo the hunter, Roger de Glaunvile, Robert son of William, William the proud and Laurence his son, Hugh Basset, Robert son of Wace, Simon de Faleis, Roger Tardi and others.

(9.) A charter of Urian de Sancto Petro, knight, granting to them in frank almoin all the land with messuages and other appurtenances which he had of Hova son of Richard in the town of Ruwecristelton, claiming prayers and orisons only. Witnesses:—Sir Roger de Monte Alto, justice of Chester, Sirs Wawel de Ardem, Fulto de Orrebi, John Retuchun, William de Venables, John Flory, Thomas de Crue, Ralph de Monte Alto, John de Monte Alto, Robert de Chelmundel, Richard the clerk, mayor of Chester, Geoffrey de Birun, Walter, rector of the church of Wermingeham and others.

(10.) A charter of Ralph son of Simon granting to them in frank almoin for the soul of John his son those two bovates of land in Claverton late of Osbert the reeve. Witnesses:—Philip de Orreby, justice of Chester, Peter the clerk of the earl, William de Venables, Warin de Vernon, William de Venables, Hamo de Mascy, Geoffrey son of Simon, clerk, Robert Hug', Anketil de Pulford, Walter the chaplain, John, parson of St. Mary, Richard de Kegw, Richard de Rod', clerks, and others.

(11.) A charter of Richard de Lions confirming in frank almoin, for the souls of the earl of Chester and Roger de Lions and Dame Petronilla and Marjory her daughter, the grant which Adam the chamberlain of John de Curcy made to them of a rent of Wuflect of 10*s.* and a sore sparrow-hawk at Midsummer, claiming orisons only. Witnesses:—Ralph de Meidral War', William de Venables, Waryn de Vernun, William de Boisdele, Hugh and Adam the brothers de Duct', Richard de Vernun, Peter the clerk of the earl, Lidulfus de Tuamlowe, William de Haselwelle, Roger de Meidnilwar', Roger de Lions, Alan de Windhill, William Dubeldai, Richard de Rodestor, clerk, and others.

(12.) A charter of Eddusa late the wife of William Giniet granting to them in frank almoin with Agatha her daughter, who has been made a nun, a salt-pit with twelve leads and with salt of Friday in Wich Malban, viz. that which is nearest to a parcel of the town. Witnesses:—Philip de Orrbei, justice of Chester, Peter the clerk of the earl, Master John Blund, official of Chester, Richard son of Lid', John, parson of St. Mary, Thomas, chaplain of St. Nicholas, Richard the chaplain, Hugh son of Ralph, Yudo the clerk, Richard de Kegurth, clerk, William Knoill, Richard de Rodest' and others.

(13.) A charter of Lowic de Wico Mauban son of William the reeve taking to perpetual farm the salt-pit which they had in frank almoin of the grant of E. his mother with his consent and rendering to them ½ mark yearly. Witnesses:—Sir Hugh Detis of Wich, Peter de Stepel, William his brother,

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Philip the clerk, Master Roger, constable in the castle of Chester, Henry his clerk, William the chaplain, Simon de Fal', Hugh the clerk and others.

(14.) A charter of Brice Panton and Marjory his wife granting to them in frank almoin, save for prayers and orisons, the particle of land in Wick Mauban which Walter Faucur had next the land of Robert the baker. Witnesses:—Yvo the clerk, Nicholas Minch, Nicholas son of William the reeve, Louis his brother, John his son, Roger Dughun, Alan Hug', Hugh the clerk who wrote the charter and others:

and granting that they and their tenants of the lands which they have of the grant of Hugh, earl of Chester, shall be quit of pontages, mises and taxations, provided that they be not excused from the mise which they are bound to make to the fine of 5,000 marks already granted to him by the commonalty of the county of Chester.

c. A charter of the same dated at Chester, 14 December, 32 Edward III. [*Monasticon*, IV. 314.]

2. Letters patent of Randolph, earl of Chester and Lincoln, notifying that as the nuns had been unjustly disturbed in the advowson of the chapel of Buddeworth, which Robert Grosvenor said pertained to himself although it pertained to the earl and his ancestors and the nuns had it with the mother church of Oura of the grant of his father earl H. in frank almoin, he caused the said Robert to appear before him in court and the latter released all claim thereto. Witnesses to the release:—The earl himself, John the constable, Roger the sewer, William de Vernon, justice of Chester, Philip de Orreby, Warin de Vernun, William de Neu, Hamo de Mascy, William son of David and all the court.

3. Letters patent of Edward, prince of Aquitaine and Wales, duke of Cornwall and earl of Chester, sealed with the seal of the exchequer of Chester, and dated at Chester, 12 November, 45 Edward III, granting licence for Thomas de Crue, vicar of the church of Overe, to grant in mortmain to them a messuage, 14 acres of land, 3 acres of wood and an acre of turbary in Oldewarton with common of pasture there, not held of the prince in chief and worth 18*s.* yearly, as John de Scokehall, his escheator in the county of Chester, has certified.

4. Letters patent of the same sealed with the same seal and dated at Chester, 14 May, 46 Edward III, pardoning to Henry de Bechyngton, parson of the church of Haselwall, and Richard Spark, chaplain, their trespass in acquiring without licence from John Baret of Kelsale two messuages and 40 acres of land in Lache by Marleston, held of the prince in chief, and granting licence for them to enfeoff the prioress and nuns of the same.

5. Letters patent of the same dated at Kermerdyn, 12 August, 36 Edward III, granting to them in frank almoin the advowson of the church of Langathen in South Wales with licence to appropriate the church. Witnesses:—William Banastre of Hadenhall, justice of South Wales, John de Wodhull, clerk, chamberlain of South Wales, Reginald de Hope, sheriff of Kermerdyn and Cardigan, Nicholas de Audeley, Rees ap Griffith, knights, Owen ap Oweyn, Robert de Penres and others.

6. Letters patent of the same dated at Kermerdyn, 21 September, 39 Edward III, granting to them the advowson of the chapel of

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Lannyhernyn with licence to appropriate the chapel. Witnesses:—William Banastre of Hadenhale, justice of South Wales, Thomas de Rasen, chamberlain there, and others as above.

7. Letters patent dated 16 March, 47 Edward III, pardoning and confirming the appropriations of the church of Langathen and the chapel of Lanyharnyn in South Wales.
8. A charter dated at Westminster, 16 November, 7 Richard II. [*Charter Roll, 7 and 8 Richard II, No.* 30.]
9. Letters patent dated 18 May, 11 Richard II, releasing them from certain charges.
10. Letters patent dated 20 November, 12 Richard II, granting to them the advowson of the church of St. Beblicius in Arvon with the chapel of Carnarvan with licence to appropriate the church and chapel.
11. Letters patent dated 28 May, 15 Richard II, granting licence for the acquisition in mortmain by them of certain possessions.

By p.s.

MEMBRANES 15 *and* 14.

April 2. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the abbot and convent of Bermundeseye of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 10 July, 2 Richard II, inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Woodstock, 15 July, 4 Edward III [*Charter Roll, 4 Edward III, No.* 57], inspecting and confirming the following:—
   (1—8.) Eight charters of Henry I.
   (9—16.) Eight charters of Henry II.
   (17.) A charter dated at Westminster, 25 March, 11 Henry III [*Charter Roll, 11 Henry III, p.* 1, *No.* 122], inspecting and confirming a charter of Henry II dated at Westminster.
   (18.) A charter dated at Roche Andelys, 11 November, 10 Richard I.
   (19.) A charter dated at Westminster, 10 February, 53 Henry III. [*Charter Roll, 53 Henry III, m.* 13.]
   (20.) Letters patent dated 12 April, 56 Henry III.
   (21.) Letters patent dated 26 January, 18 Edward I.
   (22.) Letters patent dated 20 April, 8 Edward I (*rectius* II).
2. Letters patent dated 29 May, 4 Richard II, granting that the priory shall be denizen. [*Monasticon*, V. 101.]

For 8 marks paid in the hanaper.

MEMBRANES 14 *and* 13.

March 25. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the citizens of Bath of the following:—

1. A charter of Richard I as follows:—

   Ricardus dei gratia rex Anglorum, dux Normannorum, Aquitanorum, comes Andegavorum, justiciariis, vicecomitibus, baronibus, prepositis, ministris, et omnibus fidelibus suis totius Anglie et portuum maris salutem. Precipimus quod cives de Bathonia qui sunt de gilda eorum mercatoria habeant in omnibus eandem quietacionem et libertatem de omnibus mercatis suis quocunque venerint per terram vel aquam de tolneo, de passagio, de lestagio et de omnibus aliis consuetudinibus et occasionibus et rebus quamplenius et liberius

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habent cives nostri Wyntonie de gilda eorum mercatoria. Et prohibemus ne super hoc aliquis eos disturbet vel infestet ipsos vel res ipsorum super decem librarum forisfactura. Testibus, Hugone Dunelmensi et Hugone Cestrensi et Huberto Sarisburiensi episcopis, Willelmo Mariscall, Johanne fratre suo, Galfrido filio Petri. Data apud Dovram per manum Willelmi Eliensis electi, cancellarii nostri, septimo die Decembris regni nostri anno primo.

2. Letters patent dated 9 March, 5 Richard II, inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Westminster, 10 April, 14 Edward III [*Charter Roll*, 14 *Edward III*, *No.* 36], inspecting and confirming with additions a charter dated at Havering atte Bower, 4 May, 5 Edward III [*Charter Roll*, 5 *Edward III*, *No.* 63], inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Windsor, 12 March, 6 Edward II [*Charter Roll*, 6 *Edward II*, *No.* 20], inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Gloucester, 24 July, 40 Henry III.

For 7*l.* paid in the hanaper.

MEMBRANE 12.

May 29. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Robert Hauker of letters patent dated 14 February, 17 Richard II, granting to him for life the office of 'la Barwe' in the forest of Fekenham with the custody of the stank called Fekenhampole. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

May 29. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the men of the town of Kyngeston of letters patent dated 22 April, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming the following:—

1. A charter dated at Taunton, 23 September, 10 John. [*Rotuli Chartarum*, *p.* 182.]
2. Letters patent dated 31 January, 16 (*rectius* 17) Edward III, inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Westminster, 13 September, 40 Henry III. For 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

May 28. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Edward Pererys of letters patent dated 1 March, 22 Richard II, granting to him for life 20*l.* yearly.

By p.s. and for 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 17. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Agnes de Saxilby of letters patent dated 8 August, 8 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 20 January, 43 Edward III, granting to her for life 5 marks yearly.

By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

June 8. Westminster. John Wyke, Thomas Chaunterell and Robert Bergeys, executors of the will of Walter de Brugge, clerk, staying in England, have letters nominating Thomas Everdon, clerk, and Richard Asshewell their attorneys in Ireland for two years.

Nicholas Bubbewyth, clerk, received the attorneys.

June 8. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Henry Vavasour of 20*l.* yearly from the custom and subsidy of wool, hides and wool-fells and other merchandise in the port of Kyngeston-on-Hull. By p.s.

May 28. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 4 November, 22 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent of Robert, bishop of London, dated 11 December, 1384, to the inhabitants of the hamlet of Berdefeld Salyng. For 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

1400. *MEMBRANE* 11.

May 25. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John de Cundall and Beatrice his wife of letters patent dated 11 July, 22 Richard II, inspecting and confirming a writing of the master and brethren of the hospital of St. Leonard, York, dated 30 August, 1394. By p.s. and for 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

June 1. Westminster. Ratification of the estate which Edmund Ruyhale has as parson of the parish church of St. Andrew by Cardiff, in the diocese of Llandaff, provided that he has not obtained possession of the church by authority of any apostolic letters. By p.s.

May 26. Westminster. Licence, for 10*l.* paid by the prior in the hanaper, for the prior and convent of Michelham to appropriate in mortmain the churches of Alfricheston and Flechyng, co. Sussex, in accordance with a licence by letters patent of Richard II, not yet executed; provided that vicarages be sufficiently endowed according to the ordinance of the diocesan and competent sums of money be distributed yearly among the poor parishoners according to the form of the statute.

June 2. Westminster. Presentation of Master William Feryby to the church of Hornecastell, in the diocese of Lincoln, in the king's gift by reason of the temporalities of the bishopric of Carlisle being in his hands. By p.s.

April 28. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Risshworth of Caleys of 6*d.* daily from the petty custom in the port of London. By p.s.

May 26. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Alexander, bishop of Meath, of letters patent dated 19 May, 19 Richard II, granting to him the custody of the alien priory of Foure in Ireland. By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

June 8. Westminster. Licence, for 24*l.* paid by him in the hanaper, for John Stone to grant in mortmain two messuages and a shop in Bristol and the suburbs of the same to Richard Wircestre, prior of the church of St. James, Bristol, to find a monk of the priory to celebrate divine service daily at the altar of St. Thomas in the parish church of St. James, Bristol, according to the ordinance of the said John.

June 5. Westminster. Licence, for 25 marks paid by him in the hanaper, for Walter Fitz Wauter, 'chivaler,' to enfeoff John Basset, John Tanner, parson of the church of Teye, Alexander Warderobe, Hubert, parson of the church of Disce, Henry Tey, John Wyche, Simon Cisterne, parson of the church of Bornham, and Ralph, parson of the church of Peldon, of the manors of Wodeham Wauter and Bournham, co. Essex, held in chief, and for these to grant the manor of Bournham to Joan his wife for life.

June 14. Westminster. Mandate to the dean and chapter of the king's free chapel of Hastynges, in the diocese of Chichester, to admit and put William Ilkytsale, last parson of the church of Great Elyngham, in the diocese of Norwich, in possession of the prebend of Holyngton in the said chapel; Robert, bishop of Chichester, having instituted him at the king's presentation on an exchange of benefices with Thomas Hylton.

June 14. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Peter Logge of the office of ranger within the forest of Savernak, with the due fees, wages, profits and commodities, as John Wyle had in his life-time; and also, in recompense for his good and gratuitous service, 6*d.* daily from the issues of the county of Wilts. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 10.

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Nov. 12. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 4 May, 18 Richard II, granting to Nicholas Monketon the custody of the manor of Harnhull and certain lands in Doughton, co. Gloucester, during the minority of the heir of Ralph Stonore.
2. Letters patent dated 28 August, 19 Richard II, granting to him and William Russell the manor of Northkillyngworth called Netherhalle, co. Leicester, during the life of Marjory the wife of Thomas Newlond.
3. Letters patent dated 8 March, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life 10*l.* yearly.
4. Letters patent dated 18 March, 22 Richard II, granting for life to him and John Peres the ferry of Shyllyngford, co. Oxford.
5. Letters patent dated 4 April, 22 Richard II, granting to him for life 10*l.* yearly. By p.s. and for 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

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June 8. Westminster. Writ of aid for the abbot of Abyndon, whom Henry, bishop of Lincoln, appointed to collect a tenth and a moiety of a tenth granted to Richard II by the clergy of the province of Canterbury in the year 22 Richard II in the archdeaconry of Berks and to pay to him one moiety at Martinmas, 22 Richard II, the second moiety at Midsummer following and the third moiety at Martinmas following, as certain sums of the second moiety are in arrears and divers refuse to pay them.

June 14. Westminster. Ratification of the estate which Walter Dolbera has as prebendary of Eston in Gordani in the cathedral church of Wells and a prebend in the collegiate church of Glaseney, in the diocese of Exeter, provided that he does not hold the prebends by provision of the apostolic see. By p.s.

July 5. Westminster The like of the estate which Robert Maryot has as parson of a mediety of the church of Gamelyngeye, in the diocese of Ely, provided that he does not hold the mediety by apostolic provision and that no plea is pending in the king's court.

July 7. Westminster. The like for Thomas Hampton, vicar of the church of Feckenham, in the diocese of Worcester.

MEMBRANE 9.

June 20. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight Hugh de Waterton of the office of keeper of 'le Haywode,' co. Hereford, in the king's hands by the forfeiture of William Serle, late yeoman of the robes of Richard II, who had it for life of the grant of Richard II, in the same manner as the said William had it. By p.s.

May 24. Westminster. Grant to Richard Whityngton, citizen and mercer of London, in repayment of 1,000*l.* due to him from Richard II for certain things for the office of the wardrobe and for money lent, that he shall take the same by his own hands in the next three years from the custom and subsidy of wools, hides and wool-fells shipped by him in the port of London. By K.

April 14. Westminster. Grant for life to John Horne of 6*d.* daily from the issues of the county of Northampton, in recompense of 6*d.* daily at the Exchequer granted to him by letters patent of Richard II, which he has accidentally lost, as he has taken oath in Chancery. By p.s.

June 18. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant of his ewery (*aquarie*) Thomas Swylyngton, for his good and gratuitous service, of all lands in Totenhoo,

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co. Buckingham, which were acquired by Thomas Shelle, knight, from one John Trenchefeld, 'taillour,' and which have come into the king's hands by his forfeiture, to the value of 10 marks yearly, provided that he answer for any surplus at the Exchequer. By p.s.

June 16. Westminster. Grant, during good behaviour, to Richard Asshewell of the office of chief clerk of the Bench in Ireland and keeper of the rolls, writs, certificates, indictments and other records in the same, with the due fees and profits, provided that he execute the office in person. By p.s.

May 15. Westminster. Licence for the prior of Lanthony Prima in Wales to dwell in England for the governance of his convent and religion and for his proctors in Ireland to dispose of the tenths, portions, fruits and other goods of the prior and convent there, after payment to the king of tenths, quota, taxes and other charges, and send them to England in aid of the sustenance of the prior and convent, notwithstanding the ordinance against absence from Ireland. By p.s.

June 27. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 29 May, 1 Henry IV. (*See p.* 293.)
2. An indenture of Guy, the abbot, and the convent of St. Ouen, Rouen, in Normandy, dated 20 June, 1400, granting for life to Henry, bishop of Annaghdown in Ireland, and John son of William Doreward of the county of Essex and Isabel his wife the manor or priory of Merseye, co. Essex, with lands, rents, services, woods, meadows, feedings, pastures, wards, marriages, reliefs, heriots, escheats, suits of court, franchises, liberties, tithes, privileges and all other rights and appurtenances. The said bishop, John and Isabel shall maintain divine service within the priory as of old and repair the houses and buildings and maintain all liberties and customs, and within three years they shall make a new roll containing the names and surnames of all tenants and the sum of the moneys and the manner of the services due from them and within five years they shall deliver a copy of the roll in Latin to the abbot and convent. They shall have timber for repair and fuel, but if on their own authority they shall cause any buildings or other necessaries to be newly made or better repaired they shall have no claim therto. By p.s.

May 26. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Richard Cliderowe of 80*l.* yearly from the petty custom in the port of London, in recompense of the office of measurement of woollen cloths and canvas within the city of London, which he had for life of the grant of Richard II and which he cannot have because the king has granted it for life to Robert Sherwynd, mercer of London. By p.s.

July 2. Westminster. Pardon to Richard de Wynyngton, 'chivaler,' for all offences committed by him from Christmas last until the Purification last, except murders and rapes. By K.

MEMBRANES 8–6.

June 29. Westminster. Exemplification, at the request of Richard, archbishop of York, of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 14 February, 12 Richard II, being an exemplification, at the request of Thomas, archbishop of York, of the enrolments of two letters patent dated 20 November, 12 Edward III.

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Membranes 8—6—*cont.*

2. Letters patent dated 7 July, 17 Richard II, being an exemplification, at the request of the same, of the tenour of a record and process concerning a tenement in Beverley and Sandholme.

Membrane 6—*cont.*

July 8. Westminster. Presentation of William atte Kyrke, vicar of the church of Cadeby, in the diocese of Lincoln, to the church of Hunshawe, in the diocese of Exeter, on an exchange of benefices with John Wyche.

May 15. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Richard Herfeld and Isabel his wife of letters patent dated 18 June, 15 Richard II, granting to them for life the manor of Benham and certain land in Holbenham and Westbroke, co. Berks. By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

MEMBRANE 5.

June 27. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the burgesses of the town of Mountgomery of letters patent dated 12 May, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 9 September, 51 Henry III.
2. A charter dated at Westminster, 6 March, 1 Edward III [*Charter Roll*, 1 *Edward III*, *No.* 86] inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Westminster, 15 February, 11 Henry III. [*Charter Roll*, 11 *Henry III*, *p.* 1. *m.* 27.] By 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

June 28. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the weavers of York of letters patent dated 18 November, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 24 October, 20 Edward III, inspecting and confirming a charter of Henry [II] dated at Pickering. For 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

June 29. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Hauley of Dertemouth the elder of a writing of John Masselyn, the prior, and the convent of Trewardraith dated at Trewardraith, Monday before St. Hilary, 1 Henry IV, granting to him for life a yearly rent of 20*l.* from their manors of Tremaynon, Trenant, Seint Austell and Gredyov, co. Cornwall. Witnesses:—John Moyle, Thomas Forthe, John Forthe, Richard Repryna, John Foyle and others. For 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

March 16. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 29 December, 16 Richard II, inspecting and confirming the following:—

1. Letters patent of Edward, prince of Wales, dated at Carnarvon, 5 June, in the 33rd year of his principality, granting for life to John de Farendon 10*l.* yearly.
2. Letters patent of the said late king when prince dated at Carnarvon, 26 February, in the first year of his principality, inspecting and confirming the above. By p.s.

July 1. Westminster. Licence, for 20*l.* paid by them in the hanaper, for the prior and convent of Markeby to appropriate in mortmain the mediety of the church of Stykeford which is of their own advowson, provided that a vicar of the mediety be sufficiently endowed and by the advice of the ordinary a sum be distributed yearly among the poor parishioners of the mediety according to the form of the statute.

Mandate to all sheriffs and others to permit the men and tenants of the king's son Henry, prince of Wales and duke of Cornwall, of the castle

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Membrane 5—cont.

and lordship of Mere, co. Wilts, which are of the ancient demesne of the crown, to be quit of toll throughout the realm for one year, according to custom.

July 5. Westminster. Presentation of John Alampton, chaplain, to the church of Norton Comitis, in the diocese of Bath and Wells, void by the resignation of Giles de Kiper and in the king's gift by reason of the temporalities of the bishopric being in his hands.

July 2. Westminster. Pardon to William son and heir of Sir Roger de Ledes, 'chivaler,' for all felonies, ambushes and murders committed by him except treason, rape and common larceny.

MEMBRANES 4—2

April 11. Eltham Manor. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the master or wardens and the chaplains of the under-mentioned college or chantry of the following:—

1. Letters patent of Adam, late bishop, and the chapter of St. Davids founding a chapel or chantry of a master and seven priests in the manner of a college of the patronage of themselves and John, duke of Lancaster, and Blanche his wife in the soil of the sanctuary and cathedral church of St. Davids on the north side on Saturday after St. James, 1365, and afterwards appropriating to them the churches of St. Ismael, Langonor, Malros, Haroldeston and Nevern and making ordinances for their governance. 8 June, 1382. [*Monasticon*, VI. 1388.]
2. Letters patent of the same dated in the chapterhouse of St. Davids, 12 June, 1384, ordaining that the master and priests may demise at farm to any persons, clerks or laymen, the benefices with cures which they possess and all benefices appropriated to themselves or the college and freely dispose of the fruits thereof, that the precentor and chapter and canons and all parsons of the church of St. Davids may demise at farm all their churches and fruits of their benefices within the church or city or diocese and all churches belonging to the said church or to the canons residentiary, and that the master and priests and their servant may buy victuals and other necessaries for their maintenance and the support of the charges of the college throughout the whole lordship of Pebidiauk as do the canons of the church or the citizens or burgesses of the city of St. Davids.
3. Letters patent dated 28 February, 12 Richard II, confirming the foundation of the chantry and the appropriation of the churches of St. Ismael and Neverne.
4. Letters patent dated 20 February, 1 Richard II, granting licence for the appropriation of the churches of Malros and Haroldeston.
5. Letters patent dated 22 February, 13 Richard II. [*Monasticon*, VI. 1390.]
6. Letters patent dated 22 September, 18 Richard II, granting licence for the appropriation of the church of Langonour. By K.

Membrane 2—cont.

July 13. Westminster. Revocation, in accordance with the ordinance in Parliament, 13 Richard II, of the king's letters granting the house or hospital of St. Mark, Bylleswyk by Bristol, *alias* Gauntes by Bristol, to John

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1400. Trowbrygge; as William Lane, preceptor or master of the house, has complained that he was duly elected and instituted and continued his possession for no small time, and the king directed the sheriff of Bristol to summon the said John before him in Chancery to show cause why the letters should not be revoked and the sheriff returned that he had summoned him by John Wroth and Hugh Escit, but the said John did not appear and consequently judgement was given against him.

1399.

Nov. 7. Westminster. Grant for life to Robert Hilton, whom the king has retained for life, of 32*l.* yearly from the custom of wools, hides and wool-fells in the port of Kyngeston-on-Hull. By p.s.

Nov. 8. Westminster. The like to John de Ask, esquire, of 40*l.* By p.s.

MEMBRANE 1.

Nov. 4. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 20 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 16 August 50 Edward III, granting for life to John Wengham 100*s.* yearly. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

1400.

June 25. Westminster. Whereas Thomas Brake, chaplain, parson of the parish church of Oundell, was admitted and instituted duly and John Boor, pretending to have a title to the church by virtue of a presentation by Richard II, expelled him from possession and caused him and certain other persons to be bound by recognizance in Chancery in a certain sum that he would not sue or attempt anything without the realm in prejudice to the said late king; the king grants licence for him to sue for his right in the church against the said John within the realm and without. By p.s.

1399.

Nov. 15. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Mounketon of 6*d.* daily from the issues of the city of York. By p.s.

Nov. 17. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John de Bentele of letters patent dated 11 February, 7 Richard II, granting to him for life 8*d.* daily. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

1400. *Vacated by surrender and cancelled.*

Aug. 1. Newcastle on Tyne. Mandate to H. bishop of Lincoln to admit the king's clerk John Elvet to the prebend of Leghton Bosard in the cathedral church of St. Mary, Lincoln, which the king has granted to him and to cause a stall in the choir and a place in the chapter to be assigned to him. By K.

Mandate in pursuance to the dean and chapter. By K.

MEMBRANE 38d.

May 8. Westminster. Commission to Robert Saperton, serjeant at arms, to receive friar John Ketylby from the prior of the Friars Preachers of Oxford, in whose custody he is, and take him to London and deliver him to the prior provincial of the order or to the prior of the Friars Preachers of London. By K.

MEMBRANE 35d.

May 18. Westminster. Commission to Laurence Dru, Thomas Chalrey, Richard Pavy and John atte Wode, to enquire about certain wastes, destructions and exiles committed within the king's manor, lordship and park of Crokham, co. Berks, and the removal of divers goods and chattels there.

MEMBRANE 33d.

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May 16. Westminster. Commission to Master Adam Moterom, clerk, Master John Chaundeler, clerk, John Lillebon, 'chivaler,' Laurence Drieu, John Gowayn, John Style and John Madyngton to govern the priory of Ambresbury and all its manors, granges, lands, rents and possessions and goods during the dissensions between the prioress and the prior and some of the nuns, to keep the common seal of the priory, to distribute a competent sustenance to the prioress and prior and the brethren, nuns and servants and to support all other charges of the priory and keep the residue of the profits safely.

By K.

MEMBRANE 29d.

May 11. Westminster. Commission to Richard Kays, serjeant at arms, and the mayor and bailiffs of Plymmouth, on information that when certain merchants of the society of the Albertini of Florence lately freighted a ship of theirs, of which James Laurence is master, with oil, wax, salt and other merchandise at Lysbon to take for sale to Flanders the ship and divers merchants of the king's friendship in it were seized by one Richard Spicer of Plymmouth at les Douns and taken by him to Plymmouth and certain of the merchandise was put by him in other little ships and taken to the town of Bordeaux and other foreign parts for sale, to seize the said ship and all the goods seized by the said Richard in it and all goods of the said Richard to the value of the merchandise thus sold by him and to arrest the said Richard and bring him and the merchants captured by him before the king and council. By K. and C.

MEMBRANE 28d.

May 24. Westminster. Commission to John Herle, 'chivaler,' Ralph Botreaux, 'chivaler,' Thomas Arthur, 'chivaler,' James Chuddelegh, 'chivaler,' Thomas Peverell, John Copleston, William Stourton, William Frome, Thomas Lyons, John May, Robert Markeley, sergeant at arms, and the sheriffs of Bristol, Somerset, Devon and Cornwall, to enquire about all concealments of goods late of Richard II, William Lescrope, late earl of Wiltshire, John Bussy, 'chivaler,' and Henry Grene, 'chivaler,' and others who were in the company of the said late king in his last voyage in Ireland and returned by the said counties. By C.

MEMBRANE 26d.

May 20. Westminster. Commission to the mayor and sheriffs of York, Robert Maleverer, Thomas de Quyxley, William de Rillyngton and Henry Wyman to enquire what lands Simon de Quyxley, late citizen of York, deceased, held in the city and suburbs and county of York, and what goods he had and to take the same into the king's hands and value the goods; as he was indebted to Richard II in divers sums of money for the custom and subsidy of wools, hides and wool-fells, as appears by letters obligatory of his in the custody of Thomas de Stanley, clerk, keeper of the rolls of Chancery, and by a recognizance made by him to Robert de Garton, clerk, late one of the collectors of the same custom and subsidy in the port of Kyngeston on Hull, and enrolled on the rolls of Chancery.

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Membrane 26d—cont.

May 24. Westminster. Commission to John May, clerk, and Robert Markele, serjeant at arms, to enquire by oath of good men of the counties of Devon, Cornwall, Somerset, Dorset and Wilts about all goods late of Thomas, late earl of Kent, John, late earl of Huntyngdon, John, late earl of Salisbury, Ralph Lumley, 'chivaler,' Thomas Blount, 'chivaler,' and Benedict Sely, 'chivaler,' and pertaining to the king by their forfeiture, and to take the same into the king's hands and take them to London and deliver them to the treasurer of England with all speed, and to certify thereon to the king in Chancery. By C.

May 24. Westminster. Commission to Thomas Berkeleye of Berkeleye, John Berkeleye, John Cheyne, Henry de la Ryvere, sheriff of Gloucester, Maurice Russell, Robert Whytyngton and Robert Poyns to enquire about all trespasses, extortions, contempts, misprisions, regratings, forestallings and unlawful congregations in the said county. By C.

MEMBRANE 25d.

May 12. Westminster. Commission to Thomas Knappe, mayor of Bristol, Thomas Blount, sheriff of the same town, William Stourton and Simon Olyver to enquire about all treasons, insurrections, rebellions and unlawful congregations within the town.

May 20. Westminster. Commission to the abbot of Leycestre, chancellor of the University of Oxford, to enquire from time to time about divers evildoers who assemble unlawfully within the said town by night and day and assault and ill-treat the king's lieges to their loss and the hindrance of clerks studying there, and to arrest and imprison the offenders. By K.

May 24. Westminster. Commission of oyer and terminer to Thomas Berkeley of Berkeley, John Berkeley, John Cheyne, Henry de la Ryver, sheriff of Gloucester, Maurice Russell, Robert Whytyngton, John Derherst and Robert Poyns touching certain trespasses, extortions, rebellions, insurrections, contempts, misprisions, regratings, forestallings and unlawful congregations in the said county. By C.

MEMBRANE 24d.

June 2. Westminster. Commission to William Hankford, Robert Hull the elder, Robert Pubelewe, Thomas Herlyng, John Estevenes, John Tremayn and Robert Jugler to enquire into the petition of the executors of the will of Richard, late earl of Arundel, deceased, who was condemned in the Parliament of 21 Richard II, that certain goods and chattels of his which have been concealed by divers officers, ministers and persons in the counties of Devon, Sussex, Surrey, Norfolk and Salop may be delivered to them according to the form of the statute in Parliament at Westminster.

MEMBRANE 23d.

June 1. Westminster. Commission to Walter Otteworth, Ralph Hamotesham and the sheriff of Surrey to enquire into the petition of Alesia late the wife of Thomas, earl of Kent, that whereas Joan, late princess of Wales, deceased, by writing granted the manor of Wokkyng, co. Surrey, to them and the heirs of their bodies and they were seised thereof and received the

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Membrane 23*d*—*cont.*

issues during the life of the said Thomas and after his death she received the issues until she was removed from possession by colour of an inquisition taken before John Lokenton and Richard Kays, whom the king appointed to enquire about the lands of the said earl and others in the said county, by which it was found that he held the manor on the day on which he made forfeiture to the king, the manor may be restored to her. By K.

May 20. Westminster. Commission to William Thirnyng, John Hull, William Rickhill, John Markham, William Hankford and John Cokayn to examine at the church of St Martin le Grand, London, the record and process and the judgement of a suit in the court of the Guildhall, London, before the mayor and aldermen between Alice the daughter of Robert Osprenge, late citizen of London, and John Olneye the younger of Weston, Richard Blomville and John Middelton, 'mercer' of London, executors of the will of John Olneye the elder, late citizen and 'wolman' of London, touching a trespass committed against her by them, and to correct any error there may be to the harm of the said Alice and John Middelton.

MEMBRANE 21*d*.

May 28. Westminster. Commission to John Staverton, John Wynter, William Phelip, John Glemham and Richard Bowet, escheator in the county of Suffolk, to enquire about all purprestures within the town of Dunwich and the port of the same and all usurpations upon the king and the burgesses there in the withdrawal of toll, custom and other commodities belonging to the town and burgesses and about the occupation of the marsh called 'le Kyngesholm.' By C.

MEMBRANE 12*d*.

June 1. Westminster Commission to Thomas Camoys, 'chivaler,' John Pelham, 'chivaler,' William Percy, 'chivaler,' Thomas Blast and Hugh Quech to enquire about all trespasses, extortions, misprisions, injuries and grievances committed on the tenants of the king's son Henry, prince of Wales, in the towns of Old Shorham and New Shorham, co. Sussex.

MEMBRANE 11*d*.

June 4. Westminster. Commission to the bishop of Meath, chancellor of Ireland, the abbot of St. Mary's by Dublin, Robert Crull, clerk, Richard Reede, chief baron of the exchequer of Ireland, Thomas Everdon, clerk, and William Boltham to audit the account of the king's clerk Robert de Faryngton, late treasurer of Ireland, for the time when he was in office after the king undertook the governance of the realm. By C.

May 6. Westminster. Commission to the constable of Dover castle and his lieutenant to take men at arms and archers for the custody of the castle and victuals and other necessaries for its garnishing and carriage for the same, as the king wishes all castles and other fortresses along the sea coast and all sea ports to be firmly kept to resist his enemies.

June 9. Westminster. Commission to John Hunteley, Henry Moton and Roger Ploufeld to enquire what lands James Nassh, a bastard, who died without heir, held in the city and county of Hereford and of whom and by what service. By C.

Membrane 11*d*—*cont.*

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June 8. Westminster. Commission to Thomas Herberd and Simon Alderton to arrest brother John Attilburgh, monk, who proposes to go to foreign parts to sue for divers things prejudicial to the king and his crown and the abbey of Bermondeseye, which is of the foundation of the king's progenitors and of the king's patronage, and to bring him before the king and council in Chancery.

MEMBRANE 10*d*.

June 6. Westminster. Commission to William de Beauchamp, 'chivaler,' Ralph Vernon, 'chivaler,' Thomas Rede, William Gwyn and David Perot, esquire, sheriff of Pembroke, to enquire into the petition of Matilda late the wife of David Barr, 'chivaler,' that dower may be assigned to her from the castle and lordship of Maynerber and the manor of Pennalee in Wales in the said county, of which her husband was seised in his demesne as of fee so that she is entitled to dower, as he alienated the same to William de Wyndesore and Alice de Perers and the said Alice after the deaths of the said David and William sold the same to John, late duke of Exeter, so that the said duke and Alice kept her from her dower for eight years.

By K.

June 19. Westminster. Commission to Simon Blakeburn, serjeant at arms, for certain causes on petition to the king and council by Thomas Culverhous, under-bailiff of the hundreds of Elthorn and Spelthorn, co. Middlesex, to arrest Richard Colbroke *alias* Frowyn of Colbroke, co. Buckingham, and William Taillour of the same county and bring them before the king and council. By C.

MEMBRANE 9*d*.

June 14. Westminster. Commission to John Peraunt, serjeant at arms, and the sheriff of Bristol to cause a proclamation to be made in the said county of letters patent appointing John Stodeley ulnager in the said county of all cloths and pieces of cloth for sale, except cloths of 'kersey,' 'kendalcloth,' 'frise' of Coventre, 'coggeware,' strait cloth, parcel of cloth and cloths of Wales of which a dozen do not exceed the value of 13*s*. 4*d*. and to certify thereon to the king in Chancery.

The like to the same in the county of Somerset for letters patent appointing Thomas de Neuton, esquire, ulnager.

June 22. Westminster. Commission of oyer and terminer to John Hull, William Rykhill, William Hankeford, William Brenchesle, Robert Hull and John Prestecote, on complaint by Walter Levenant, clerk, that John Dyneham, 'chivaler,' John Rede, parson of the church of la Pole, John Bole, Henry Andrewe, clerk, Robert Luwer, clerk, and John Loke and others broke his closes and house at Litilham, co. Devon, assaulted him there and at Buystok, Podreham, Kenton, Exmenstre, Alfynton and Exeter, lay in ambush to kill him there, carried off his goods at Litilham, assaulted his servants there and threatened him and them so that they dared not for a great time attend to the cultivation of his land or his other business.

For 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

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MEMBRANE 41.

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June 12. Westminster. Revocation of the protection with clause *volumus*, for one year, lately granted by letters patent to William de Bridlyngton staying on the king's service in the company of the king's kinsman Henry de Percy, earl of Northumberland, keeper of the castle of Berwick on Tweed, on the safe-custody of the same, because he delays in the city of London, as the sheriffs have certified.

June 14. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Fierebras de Vertaing of letters patent dated 7 July, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life 40 marks yearly. By p.s. and for 20*s*. paid in the hanaper.

June 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation, because the abbot has surrendered letters obligatory by which Richard II was bound to him in 40 marks, of letters patent dated 30 August, 21 Richard II, granting licence for the abbot and convent of Woubourn to appropriate the church of Whitchurche, co. Buckingham. By p.s. & by C.

June 12. Westminster. Commission to John Swanne, citizen and 'couper' of London, to take men and servants of his craft for the works of the craft pertaining to the household, the fee of the church and masters of the craft excepted, and carriage for the works. By bill of the steward of the household.

June 11. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant William Grigge, bargeman of the king's barge, in consideration of his good service to the king's progenitors and to the king's grandfather Henry, late duke of Lancaster, and the king and of his great age, and because he has not wherewithal to live, of 2*d*. daily at the hands of the bailiffs of the town of Kyngeston on Thames. By p.s.

Vacated because otherwise in the seventh year.

June 20. Westminster. Grant for life to John de Sutton in Kemsale, chaplain, of the chantry within the king's manor of Clipston with the chapel of St. Edwin within the forest of Shirewode, and also, in aid of the maintenance of divine service there for the good estate of the king and his infants and for their souls after death and the souls of the king's progenitors and all Christians, 100*s*. yearly from the issues of the county of Nottingham, as other chaplains have had. By p.s.

June 16. Westminster. Pardon to John son of Thomas Belewe for all treasons, felonies, confederacies, conspiracies, receivings of felons and Irish enemies, consortings with the Irish and other trespasses, provided that he be faithful to the king and his people. By p.s.

June 25. Westminster. Presentation of Thomas Passeware, vicar of the church of Overstowey, in the diocese of Bath and Wells, to the church of Charles, in the diocese of Exeter, in the king's gift by reason of the minority of the heir of Thomas Ralegh, on an exchange of benefices with John Vele.

Presentation of the said John Vele to the said vicarage of the church of Overstowey, in the king's gift by reason of the temporalities of the bishopric of Bath and Wells being in his hands by the voidance of the see.

Membrane 41—*cont.*

1400.

July 1. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John atte Vise of letters patent under the seal used in Ireland dated at Kilkenny, 8 April, 18 Richard II, inspecting and confirming, provided that no one else holds the office of the king's grant, letters patent dated 1 January, 50 Edward III, granting to him for life the office of chief serjeanty of the county of Kildare.
By p.s.

July 1. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation, with the exception of a certain clause, to Thomas Grene, 'chivaler,' tenant of certain lands and keeper of the forest of Wytlewode, of letters patent dated 14 June, 16 Richard II, inspecting and confirming with the same exception to John Chaumbre, 'chivaler,' then tenant and keeper, letters patent dated 16 June, 6 Richard II, inspecting and confirming with the same exception to Master John Goderych, then tenant and keeper, a charter of Henry II dated at Selveston. For 10 marks paid in the hanaper.

July 5. Westminster. Licence, for 6 marks paid by him to the king, for John Knyghton, chaplain, to grant in mortmain to John Tony, parson of the church of St. John Baptist, Bristol, the reversions of a moiety of a messuage in the suburb of Bristol on the death of Walter Martyn and Ellen his wife and two shops in the said suburb on the death of John London, not held in chief, for the support of certain charges and works of piety.

MEMBRANE 40.

June 26. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the citizens of Lymerick in Ireland of letters patent under the seal used in Ireland, attested by John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland, dated at Dublin, 6 May, 31 Edward I, inspecting a charter dated at Westminster, 4 February, 20 Edward I. [*Charter Roll*, 20 *Edward I, No.* 37.] For 30*s.* paid in the hanaper.

July 1. Westminster. Licence, for 5 marks paid in the hanaper, for John Melton, chaplain, to found a chantry of one chaplain in the parish church of High Melton, co. York, and to grant in mortmain to the chaplain three messuages and 4 acres and one rood of land in the same town and Cateby, not held in chief, in aid of the maintenance of divine service daily at the altar of St. Mary in the said church according to his ordinance.

July 5. Westminster. Pardon to Thomas Classh of his outlawry in the county of Devon for not appearing before William Thirnyng and his fellows, justices of the Bench of Richard II, with Adam Bacon, clerk, to satisfy John Gynnour of 40*s.* which were adjudged to him in the said court as damages for a trespass, he having surrendered to the Flete prison and satisfied the said John, as the said William, now chief justice of the Bench, has certified in Chancery.
The like to the said Adam.

July 8. Westminster. Licence, for 60*s.* paid to the king by the abbot of Athelney, for the abbot of Glastonbury to grant in frank almoin to the abbot and convent of Athelney 24 acres of land and 4 acres of meadow in Langsutton, not held in chief.

July 2. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Henry Sewell of letters patent dated 9 June, 9 Richard II, granting to him for life 15 marks yearly.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

MEMBRANE 39.

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March 4. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 10 October, 9 Richard II, granting for life to John Knotyngley 6*d.* daily. By p.s.

June 24. Westminster. Grant to the bailiffs, citizens and good men of the city of Worcester of murage for two years.

June 21. Westminster. Whereas John Spendloue, 'questour,' in the performance of his office under the king's protection on business of St. Thomas of Rome on Wednesday in Easter week last by the malice of certain enemies of his at Coten by Northampton was seized and despoiled of his goods to the value of 20*l.* and afterwards unjustly imprisoned within the castle of Northampton, from which prison he escaped on Saturday before St. Dunstan, the king pardons his trespass in breaking prison. By p.s.

June 24. Westminster. Revocation of the protection with clause *volumus*, for one year, granted on 13 May last by letters patent to Henry Snep going on the king's service to the parts of Calais in the company of the king's knight Thomas Swynburn, captain of the castle of Hammes in Picardy, on the safe-custody of the castle, because he delays in the city of London, as the sheriffs have certified.

June 24. Westminster. Licence, for 5 marks paid in the hanaper by John Rome, clerk, John Hyde, clerk, Thomas Crewe, Thomas Skynner and William Corley, clerk, for Andrew Neuport and Margaret his wife to enfeoff them of the manor called 'Colvyllesmanere' in Fulbourn, co. Cambridge, with the advowson of the free chapel of St. Edmund there, held in chief.

June 29. Westminster. Whereas Robert Hertrugg, who held the manor of Hertrugg, held in chief, for life with reversion to William Mercer, William Fuller, Richard Henle, John Denford and Robert son of Thomas Lacok now deceased, surrendered his estate in the manor to them without licence; the king, for 6 marks paid in the hanaper by John Outylles, pardons the trespass in this and grants licence for the said William, William, Richard and John to grant the manor to the said John Outylles and Matilda his wife and the heirs of their bodies, with remainders to Philip Popham and Elizabeth his wife and the heirs of their bodies and the right heirs of the said Philip.

June 28. Westminster. Grant, with the assent of the council, to the citizens and commonalty of Lymerick in Ireland of 20 marks yearly for ten years from the issues of 'la Lexwere' by the city to be expended on the repair of the bridges and walls of the city by the supervision and control of John Arthur and Thomas Spicer of the city. By p.s.

July 5. Westminster. Grant during pleasure, for their good service in the capture of the earls of Kent and Salisbury and other rebels, to the men of the town of Circestre of four does yearly in season in the forest of Bradon and a tun of wine yearly in the port of Bristol and to the women of the town six bucks and a tun of wine yearly as above. [*Fœdera.*] By p.s.

1399.

Dec. 5. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Sadeler of letters patent dated 10 August, 18 Richard II, granting to him for life the custody of the wood called 'Chesteynwode' within the lordship of Middelton, co. Kent. By K.

1400.

July 7. Westminster. Writ *de intendendo* directed to the tenants of the honour and lordship of Richemond in the county of Hertford for the king's brother Ralph de Neville, earl of Westmoreland, to whom on 20 October last the king granted the castle, earldom, honour and lordship of Richemond for life.

1400.

MEMBRANE 38.

June 11. Westminster. Revocation of the protection with clause *volumus*, for one year, granted on 24 May last by letters patent to Roger Grymston staying on the king's service in the company of the king's knight John Stanley, lieutenant of Ireland, on the safe-custody of that land, because he delays in the city of London, as the sheriffs have certified.

June 10. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's yeoman Thomas Rede of 4*d.* daily from the issues of the great custom of wools in the port of Suthampton. By p.s. *Vacated because in the ninth year.*

June 12. Westminster. Commission to William Heron and Thomas Pykworth, knights, Master Richard Ronhale and Master Thomas Stowe, doctors of laws, and Master William Stucle, bachelor in laws, of full authority to hear and determine an appeal by John Norton, esquire, against a judgement given in a case lately pending in the court of Admiralty before Richard Cradok, 'chivaler,' and Thomas Organ, clerk, lieutenants of Thomas de Percy earl of Worcester, admiral, between the said John, plaintiff, and Tideman Howessone, master of a ship called *la Katerine* of London, defendant, that the latter should deliver to the said John or his attorney at London certain goods to the value of 40 marks which the said John handed to the said Tideman by the hands of Thomas Bylton and John Cornere of York, merchants, in the parts of Ireland within the jurisdiction of the Admiralty. By K.

June 21. Westminster. Appointment, during good behaviour, of William Fitzhugh as assayer of the mint within the Tower of London and controller of the master of the mint there, receiving the accustomed fees. By bill of the treasurer.

July 2. Westminster. Licence for the alienation in mortmain by John Chaundeler of Salisbury the elder of two messuages, fifteen cottages and 4*s.* rent in Salisbury, not held in chief, worth 67*s.* 4*d.* yearly, as appears by an inquisition taken by John Bernard, escheator in the county of Wilts, to Adam Teffent, mayor of Salisbury, master of the hospital of the Holy Trinity, Salisbury, to the value of 100*s.* in part satisfaction of a licence to the value of 20*l.* by letters patent. (*See p.* 197.)

July 4. Westminster. Ratification of the estate which William Warde has as parson of the church of Llanteylawe in Elvell, in the diocese of St. Davids, provided that he does not hold the church by provision and that no plea is pending in the king's court and that the king has not presented anyone else to it.

MEMBRANE 37.

July 1. Westminster *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the abbot and convent of Malmesbury of letters patent dated 26 March, 8 Richard II, inspecting and confirming the following:—

1. A charter of Edward the Confessor. [*Monasticon*, I. 258.]
2. A charter of Maud, queen of William I.
3. A charter dated at Westminster, 6 September, [1] Richard I.
4. A charter dated at Oxford, 18 July, 17 John. [*Rotuli Cartarum*, *p.* 213.]
5. A charter dated at Woodstock, 8 August, 36 Henry III. [*Charter Roll*, 36 *Henry III*, *m.* 6.] For 6 marks paid in the hanaper.

July 6. Westminster. Exemplification, at the request of the abbot and convent of Westminster, of the tenour of a charter (sent into Chancery by the treasurer and

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chamberlains) of Roger Walden, late archbishop of Canterbury, dated at Stevyngton, 12 April, 22 Richard II, witnessed by William Sturmy, John Roche, 'chivalers,' Laurence Dru, Thomas Chelrey, Edmund Spersholt and others, granting to Richard II and his heirs and assigns the manor of Stevyngton, co. Berks, and the church of Stevyngton with the advowson of the church and the manor of Westbury, co. Wilts, which he and John, late bishop of Salisbury, deceased, had of the grant of Thomas Chalumley, John Briddesmer and Richard Merser, chaplain, who acquired the same from Hugh Calviley, 'chivaler,' deceased, who lately acquired them by licence of the king from the prior and convent of Pré by Rouen, of the order of St. Benedict, in the diocese of Rouen, by confirmation of the abbot and convent of St. Mary, Bec Helwyn, in Normandy, of the said order and diocese, with all liberties, franchises, commons, easements and customs.

July 10. Westminster. Presentation of John de Walkyngton, parson of the church of Segebrok, in the diocese of Lincoln, to the church of Rowley, in the diocese of York, in the king's gift by reason of the forfeiture of Thomas, late earl of Kent, on an exchange of benefices with John de Cullum. By p.s.

MEMBRANES 36 *and* 35.

July 1. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the burgesses of Scardeburgh of letters patent dated 10 December, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Westminster, 17 February, 22 Edward III [*Charter Roll, 22 Edward III, No.* 33], inspecting and confirming a charter dated at York, 14 March, 5 Edward II [*Charter Roll, 5 Edward II, No.* 14], inspecting and confirming the following:—

1. A charter of Henry II dated at York.
2. A charter dated at York, 25 March, 1 John.
3. A charter dated at Windsor, 20 January, 37 Henry III, inspecting and confirming the said charter of Henry II.
4. A charter dated at Windsor, 22 January, 37 Henry III.
5. A charter dated at Rochester, 1 June, 37 Henry III.
6, 7. Two charters dated at Westminster, 25 May, 40 Henry III.

For 10*l.* paid in the hanaper.

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July 5. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the burgesses of Marlebergh of letters patent dated 18 May, 7 Richard II, inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Westminster, 13 March, 10 Edward III [*Charter Roll,* 10 *Edward III, No.* 57], inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Newcastle on Tyne, 15 April, 5 Edward II [*Charter Roll, 5 Edward II, No.* 9], inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Westminster, 13 February, 13 Henry III [*Charter Roll,* 13 *Henry III, m.* 11], inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Winchester, 20 June, 6 John. [*Rotuli Cartarum, p.* 135.] For 4 marks paid in the hanaper.

July 10. Westminster. Licence for the prior and convent of the alien house of Tuttebury, co. Stafford, to grant under the common seal of their house to Master Henry Davy, clerk, an annuity of 52 marks for life from the priory and all their lands in the counties of Derby and Stafford, notwithstanding that the same may be taken into the king's hands in the future and that the priory is of the king's foundation and ordained for divine service. By p.s.

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July 5. Westminster. Licence for the prior and convent of Wyrkesop to appropriate in mortmain the church of Wykersley, in the diocese of York, which is of their own patronage and of the extent of 8 marks, provided that a competent sum of silver be paid yearly by them from the fruits of the church to the poor parishioners and a vicarage be sufficiently endowed according to the ordinance of the diocesan of the place and the form of the statute.
By p.s. and for 25 marks paid in the hanaper.

July 8. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire John de Leek of 10 marks yearly from the issues of the lands late of William Hamsterley in the counties of Lincoln, Nottingham and Leicester. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 34.

July 5. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the prior and convent of Bodmyne, with the exception of a certain clause, of letters patent dated 17 February, 3 Richard II, inspecting and confirming the following with the exception of the said clause:—
1. A charter dated at Vaudreuil, 17 July, [1] John.
2. A charter dated at Westminster, 12 June, 13 Edward I [*Charter Roll, 13 Edward I, No.* 66], inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Vire, 13 December, 1 John. [*Rotuli Chartarum, p.* 63.]
3. A writing of Richard, sometime earl of Poitou and Cornwall.
For 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

July 7. Westminster. Pardon to Thomas Classe of his outlawry in the county of Devon for not appearing before William Rikhill and his fellows, justices of oyer and terminer of Richard II, to answer Giles Esshe touching certain trespasses, he having surrendered to the Marshalsea prison, as Walter de Clopton, chief justice, has certified.

July 9. Westminster. Mandate, for half a year, to all sheriffs and others to permit Richard Cuppere of London to take cups for the household and carriage for the same, as the king has ordered him.
By bill of the steward of the household.

July 1. Westminster. Licence, for five years, for the prior of St. Mary's, Lanthony by Gloucester, to dwell in England for the conservation of his convent and religion and for his proctors in Ireland to dispose of the tenths, portions, fruits and other goods of the prior and convent there, paying subsidies and charges towards the war against the king's rebels there as the other religious men pay, and send them to England in aid of the sustenance of the prior and convent, notwithstanding the ordinance against absence from Ireland.
By p.s.

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Nov. 7. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 4 November, 16 Richard II, granting for life to Joseph atte Haye 2*d.* daily. By K.

1400.
May 30. Westminster. Writ *de intendendo* for the king's esquire John Norbury, to whom on 5 November last the king, with the assent of the council, granted for life the havenries in the counties of Cornwall and Devon with the prise of wines within the same counties and wreck of sea and all other profits and commodities, with the pesage of tin in the county of Cornwall and the custody of the gaol of Lostwythiell, with wages, fees and all other profits.

July 8. Westminster. Pardon to Robert Payn of Newynton son of John Payn, 'carpentre,' for having on Monday before Palm Sunday stolen 4*l.* of Thomas Smyth in money at Newynton. By p.s.

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Membrane 34—*cont.*

July 10. Westminster. Revocation of letters patent dated 4 November granting for life to William Clerk of the county of Devon, esquire, the office of 'la waterbaillif' of the town of Dertemuth; as Richard II by letters patent which the king confirmed on 25 October granted the same for life to William Asshe, and at the suit of the latter the king directed the sheriff of the said county to summon the said William Clerk to appear before him in Chancery at a certain day to show cause why the letters should not be revoked, and the sheriff returned that he had summoned the said William Clerk by Richard Harry, John More, Richard Carpenter and John Bonde, and at the said day the said William Asshe appeared by John Asplion his attorney and the said William Clerk did not appear and judgement was given that the said William Asshe should be restored to possession from the said 25 October.

July 15. Westminster. Appointment, during pleasure, of William Stokes as steward of the manor of Crokam, co. Berks, the manor of Kersyngton, co. Oxford, and the hundred of Assherugge, co. Wilts, receiving the accustomed fees.
By bill of the treasurer.

MEMBRANE 33.

June 1. Westminster *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 31 January, 22 Richard II, inspecting and confirming a composition (*French*) concerning the governance of the town of Shrewsbury made on Monday after the Assumption, 13 Richard II. For 5 marks paid in the hanaper.

July 4. Westminster. Grant to the mayor, burgesses and commons of the town of Norhampton, in aid of the repair of the walls of the town, of 40*l.* yearly for six years from the fee-farm of the town of Kyngesthorpe, co. Northampton. By p.s.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 27 January, in the fifth year the king granted to them 40 marks yearly from Michaelmas then last past from the fee-farm of the town of Norhampton.

July 14. Westminster Presentation of John Stoone, chaplain, to the vicarage of the prebend of Cormayle in the cathedral church of Hereford, of the jurisdiction of the dean and chapter and in the king's gift by reason of the temporalities of the alien abbey of Cormayle being in his hands on account of the war with France.

July 1. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the prioress and convent of St. Mary de Pratis by Derby of the following:—
1. A charter dated at Westminster, 10 October, 13 Henry III. [*Charter Roll, 13 Henry III, m.* 2.]
2. A charter dated at Westminster, 23 October, 19 Henry III. [*Monasticon*, IV. 303]. By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

July 2. Westminster. Grant to the same of 100*s.* yearly from the fee-farm of the town of Notyngham, as Henry III. granted to them in frank almoin by letters patent, since burned by accident, to pray for the soul of his father king John. [*Monasticon*, IV. 303.] By p.s.

MEMBRANE 32.

July 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the burgesses of Liskeret of letters patent dated 4 April, 6 Richard II, inspecting and confirming the following:—

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1. Letters patent dated 10 November, 2 Edward III, inspecting and confirming the following:—
   (1) A charter of Richard, earl of Poitou and Cornwall, dated 5 June, 24 Henry III.
   (2) A charter of Richard, king of the Romans, dated 18 April, 1266.
   (3) A charter of Edmund, earl of Cornwall, dated 11 September, 3 Edward I.
2. Letters patent (*French*) of Edward, prince of Wales, dated at Plympton, 22 August, 29 Edward III.

For 5 marks paid in the hanaper.

July 12. Westminster. Licence for the alienation in mortmain by Richard Baldewyn and Beatrice his wife of 77 acres of land and 18*s.* 9*d.* of rent in Bokeland, Leyston, Wydyhale, Alswyk and Buntyngford, not held in chief, extended at 38*s.* 6*d.* yearly besides the rent, as appears by an inquisition taken before Richard Baynard, escheator in the county of Hertford, to the prior and convent of the Holy Trinity, London, to hold in full satisfaction of 10*l.* of land and rent yearly which they had licence to acquire by letters patent of Edward [II].

July 13. Westminster. Presentation of John Gonne, chaplain, to the church of Axebrugg, in the diocese of Bath and Wells, void by the resignation of John Roude and in the king's gift by reason of the temporalities of the bishopric being in his hands by the voidance of the see.

Notification that the king wishes the following, who receive fees and annuities from him, to stay on the service and about the body of his kinswoman the queen, to be excused from coming to him on his present journey to Scotland, viz. Philip la Vache, 'chivaler,' chamberlain of the queen, John Huse, Richard Walwayn, Richard Raundes, John Stapenill, John Aspell, John Adam, Thomas Abbury, John Pritewelle, Edmund Stokes, Peter Stantor, William Terington, Conand Fitz Henri, Richard Longge, John Wakirle, John Baude, William Hunte, John Waryn, James Misterton, John Semer, Hugh Shadle and William Parker, esquires, Henry Wardrop, John Elys, John Leukenore, John Topclyf, John Morvile, John Wardeboys, Henry Barton, William Couele, and John Wynbussh, yeomen of the chamber, Robert Payn, William Floure, Thomas Elys and Robert Jolyf, grooms of the chamber, Robert Kyndman, John Russell, Roger Halle, Nicholas Kent, William Waryn, Ralph Byflete, John Denford, John Wellam, William Bernard, Thomas Melton, Richard Hert, Richard Yoksale, Thomas Wykkam, John Morvyle, William Leycestre, Thomas Sydenale and William Cosin, yeomen of the offices, William Olton, John Serle, Hugh Pope, Simon Joys and John Hulle, grooms of the offices of the queen. By p.s.

July 15. Westminster. Grant for life to Richard Peek, at the supplication of Elizabeth late the wife of Nicholas Daudeley of Helegh, 'chivaler,' of 6*d.* daily from the issues of the county of Stafford. By p.s.

July 17. Westminster. Revocation of the protection with clause *volumus*, granted on 18 February last by letters patent for one year to John Fort, esquire, staying on the king's service in the company of the king's kinsman Henry de Percy, earl of Northumberland, constable of England and keeper of the castle and town of Berwick on Tweed, on the safe-custody of the same, because he delays in London, as the sheriffs have certified.

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Membrane 32—*cont.*

March 16. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Alan Scalby, 'chaufcire' of Chancery, of 2*d.* daily in the Exchequer beyond the 2*d.* daily which he has in the hanaper by virtue of a grant of Richard II and the king's confirmation thereof, provided that so long as he can labour he shall serve the king well and faithfully in the office. By p.s.

July 17. Westminster. Grant for life, of the king's alms, to John Usflete, parson of the church of Bekyngham, of a tun of wine yearly from the prise of the king's wines in the port of Kyngeston on Hull. By p.s.

May 25. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Ralph, lord of Neville, now earl of Westmoreland, of letters patent dated 24 May, 12 Richard II, granting to him for life the custody of the forest beyond Trent. By p.s.

MEMBRANES 31—29.

June 10. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the king's clerk Master William Waltham, the master, and the brethren of the hospital of St. Leonard, York, of a charter dated at Westminster, 1 December, 1 Richard II [*Charter Roll*, 1 *Richard II*, *No.* 25], inspecting and confirming to Richard de Ravenser, then master, and the brethren, the following:—

1. A charter dated at Woodstock, 17 July, 4 Edward III [*Charter Roll*, 4 *Edward III*, *No.* 38], inspecting and confirming to John Giffard, then master, and the brethren the following:—
   (1) A charter dated at Westminster, 16 June, 22 Edward I, inspecting and confirming to Walter de Langeton, then master, and the brethren charters of Henry son of William, William son of Henry de Beningburgh, Peter de Brus, Bertram de Bolemero, Robert de Neville, Robert de Neville, knight, and Henry de Neville. [*Charter Roll*, 22 *Edward I*, *No.* 17.]
   (2) A charter dated at York, 16 May, 12 Edward II [*Charter Roll*, 12 *Edward II*, *No.* 10], inspecting and confirming the following:—
      a. A charter of Henry II dated at Westminster.
      b. Letters patent dated 7 May, 39 Henry III.
      c. A charter dated at Westminster, 16 June, 22 Edward I. [*Charter Roll*, 22 *Edward I*, *No.* 19.]
2. A charter dated at Walton, 24 June, 12 Edward III. [*Charter Roll*, 12 *Edward III*, *No.* 12.] For 100*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Membrane 29—*cont.*

May 24. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William de Brantyngham of letters patent dated [2]6 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 20 April, 45 Edward III, and 7 June, 51 Edward III. By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

MEMBRANE 28.

July 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Edward Perers of letters patent dated 11 July, 19 Richard II, granting to him for life 40*l.* yearly from the fee-farm of the castle and lordship of Montgomery in Wales and the hundred of Chirbury; and grant to him of arrears from 11 December last. By p.s. and for 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

Membrane 28—*cont.*

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July 10. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the burgesses of the town of Lostwythiell of letters patent dated 20 February, 3 Richard II, inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Cippenham, 30 October, 19 Edward II [*Charter Roll*, 19 *Edward II*, *No.* 24], inspecting and confirming with additions a charter of Richard, earl of Cornwall, king of the Romans.
For 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

July 28. Westminster. Promise to pay to William, bishop of Winchester, in the quinzaine of Easter, 500*l.* which he has lent to the king in his present necessity and journey towards Scotland.
Vacated because the bishop has a tally for the same sum levied in the receipt of the Exchequer.

May 25. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Ralph, earl of Westmoreland, of letters patent dated 15 July, 22 Richard II, granting to him for life the fee-farm of the town of Appelby, co. Westmoreland to the sum of 20 marks yearly; and grant to him of arrears. By p.s.

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Dec. 12. Westminster. Whereas Edward, earl of Rutland, Hugh le Despenser, 'chivaler,' Thomas Shelley, 'chivaler,' John Mulsho, John Verdon, Nicholas Bradshawe, Thomas Wydevylle, Robert Wyntryngham, clerk, and Henry Broun lately acquired the manors of Weldon, Rokyngham and Weston on Welond, co. Northampton, with knights' fees, advowsons, rents, services, reversions and other commodities and profits, held in chief, to themselves and their heirs and assigns from Richard Basset son and heir of Ralph Basset of Weldon, 'chivaler,' without licence; the king pardons the trespass in this and grants licence for them to enfeoff Baldwin Frevyle, 'chivaler,' Thomas Maureward, 'chivaler,' Robert Franceys, 'chivaler,' Master John Oudeby, archdeacon of Derby, Thomas Brake, clerk, Richard Neyrnut, William Vaux, John Walssh of Lynford and William Peere, chaplain, of the same. By p.s.

1400.
Feb. 25. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Joan Canleye of letters patent (*French*) of Thomas, earl Marshal and Nottingham, lord of Moubray and Segrave, dated at London, 26 May, 11 Richard II, granting for life to the said Joan, one of the damsels of his mother, 10 marks yearly from the manor of Wylyngton, co. Bedford, in lieu of a like grant to her by his father from the manor of Melton Moubray, co. Leicester.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Aug. 6. Newcastle on Tyne. Licence for Peter Mauley, 'chivaler,' to enfeoff Robert de Wyclif, parson of the church of Rudby, William Reson, chaplain, and Richard de Feldon, clerk, of the castle and manor of Mulgreve and the manors of Egton, Lokyngton, Brydsale, Doncastre, Rosyngton and Bramham with all towns and hamlets belonging to them and the advowsons of the churches of Bayneton, Lokyngton and Rosyngton, held in chief as of the crown; and for them to re-enfeoff him of the same to hold to himself and the heirs of his body with remainder to his right heirs, or to enfeoff him and Matilda his wife of a parcel of the same to the value of 200 marks yearly with the advowson of the church of Bayneton to hold to them and the heirs of his body with remainder as above. By p.s.

MEMBRANES 27 *and* 26.

April 1. Westminster. Exemplification, at the request of the sovereign and burgesses of the town of New Ros, of letters patent under the great seal of Ireland attested by John de Stanley, justiciary of Ireland, at Kilkenny, 12 December,

1400. *Membranes* 27 *and* 26—*cont.*

13 Richard II, inspecting and confirming a charter of Roger Bigot, earl of Norfolk and marshal of England, granting to them divers liberties, and granting that they shall have certain liberties and customs granted to the burgesses of Kylkenny by William Marshall, earl of Pembroke. [*Chartæ, Privilegia et Immunitates*, Irish Record Commission, *p.* 84.]

1399. *MEMBRANES* 25—22.

Nov. 4. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the abbot and convent of St. Mary Graces by the Tower of London of the following :—

1. Letters patent dated 7 July, 21 Richard II, being an exemplification of letters patent dated 5 October, 50 Edward III.
2. Letters patent dated 9 March, 20 Richard II, being an exemplification of the enrolment of an indenture (*French*) dated the feast of St. George the Martyr, 5 Richard II.
3. Letters patent dated 8 March, 20 Richard II, granting licence for them to grant the manor of Retherhithe to the prior and convent of Bermondeseye.
4. Letters patent dated 12 April, 21 Richard II, inspecting and confirming an indenture dated 6 May, 20 Richard II, between William, then abbot, and the convent of St. Mary Graces and John, then prior, and the convent of St. Saviour, Bermondeseye.
5. Letters patent dated 3 July, 22 Richard II. [*Monasticon*, V. 718.]
6. Letters patent (*French*) of the king's father John, king of Castile and Leon and duke of Lancaster, John, bishop of Lincoln, Henry, bishop of Worcester, John de Ipres, 'chivaler,' and Nicholas Carreu the elder, dated at London, Michaelmas, 10 Richard II, granting to them in frank almoin a messuage by the town of Retherhithe with a dovecote, gardens, meadows and pastures with appurtenances in Bermoundesey, Little Grenewiche and Retherhithe, co. Surrey, which Edward III had of the grant of Walter Forster, formerly citizen of London, and the reversion of the manor of Gomshulf, co. Surrey, on the death of Thomas de Stanes.
7. Letters patent of John de Bokyngham, late bishop of Lincoln, dated at Canterbury in his inn there, 1 March, 22 Richard II, sealed with his seal and also, because that is unknown to many, with the seal of the prior of Christ Church, Canterbury, releasing to them, as the sole survivor of the feoffees appointed by letters patent dated 5 October, 50 Edward III, all his right in the manors of Gravesende, Lenches, Leybourne, Wateryngbury, Gore, Parrok and Bykenore with the advowsons of the churches of Gravesende, Leybourne and Bykenore, co. Kent, the manor of Retherhithe, co. Surrey, with the messuage called 'le Graunge' there late of Walter Forster and the reversion of the manor of Gomshulf, co. Surrey.
8. Letters patent dated 24 May, 21 Richard II, granting to them in frank almoin certain tenements in the parish of St. Botulph in the ward of Byllyngesgate, London, quit of rent.

For 30*s.* paid in the hanaper.

MEMBRANES 22—21.

Nov. 4. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the same of the following :—

1. Letters patent* of Edward III inspecting the following :—
   (1) Letters patent dated 20 March, 24 Edward III. [*Monasticon.*]

* The ending to these letters is omitted on the roll.

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(2) Letters patent dated 8 June, 27 Edward III, granting to them 20 marks yearly rent at the hands of the weavers of London.

(3) Letters patent dated 3 August, 27 Edward III, granting to them certain messuages and lands at Estsmythefeld and la Tourhull, London.

(4) Letters patent dated 5 November, 30 Edward III, granting to them two pipes of red wine yearly.

2. Letters patent dated 3 May, 41 Edward III, granting to them certain rents and the advowsons of the churches of All Hallows, Stanencherche, London, and St. Bartholomew the Less, London.

For 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

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Membrane 21—*cont.*

July 5. Westminster. Licence for the king's tenants of the town of Byngham, co. Nottingham, to acquire in mortmain, after inquisition, lands to the value of 100*s.* yearly, not held in chief, to find a chaplain to celebrate divine service at the altar of St. Mary in the church of Byngham for the good estate of the king and his children and the tenants and for their souls after death and the souls of the king's father and progenitors.

By p.s. and for 10*l.* paid in the hanaper.

May 1. Westminster. Exemplification, at the request of John Wodestok, of the tenour of the enrolment of letters patent dated 6 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 16 March, 35 Edward III, granting to him for life 5 marks yearly. These letters have been accidentally lost, as he has taken oath in Chancery.

July 28. Westminster. Commission to Robert Comnore and Henry Bray to take 200 cartloads of hay for the household of the king's son Henry, prince of Wales, and carriage for the same.

Sept. 14. Westminster. Grant to the king's esquire Janico of Cowle son of Cowle Oneyll, who was put as a hostage for Oneyll and often forfeited in the time of Richard II and afterwards to the king. By p.s.

Vacated because below.

Sept. 15. Westminster. Licence, for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper, for Robert Solers and Elizabeth his wife to enfeoff William Ploufeld of a third part of the manor of Nether Bolyngehope, co. Hereford, held in chief.

At the instance of Master John Profyt.

MEMBRANE 20.

June 10. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation, with certain exceptions, to the burgesses of Lyme, co. Dorset, of a charter dated at Winchester, 20 March, 4 Edward III [*Charter Roll*, 4 *Edward III*, *No.* 72], inspecting and confirming, with the same exceptions, a charter dated at Westminster, 18 February, 14 Edward II [*Charter Roll*, 14 *Edward II*, *No.* 14], inspecting and confirming, with the same exceptions, a charter dated at Bristol, 1 January, 18 Edward I. [*Charter Roll*, 18 *Edward I*, *No.* 186.]

For 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

July 10. Westminster. Pardon to John de Legh del Bothes for all offences committed by him except murders, rapes and common larceny. By p.s.

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July 13. Westminster. Grant to John Littilbury, 'chivaler,' and the king's esquire Robert de Waterton of all swans late of Thomas, late earl of Kent, in the counties of Lincoln, Northampton and Huntingdon and in the king's hands by his forfeiture, to the value of 32*l.*, provided they answer for any surplus. By p.s.

July 15. Westminster. Grant to Ralph Grene, to whom lately the king granted licence to prove his age and afterwards have livery of all lands entailed to Henry Grene his father, deceased, and his heirs and the lands which the said Henry held by law of the inheritance of the mother of Ralph, which could not be done before Midsummer without excessive costs, of the rent of all lands late of his father for Midsummer term with the issues of the same for the same term, because he has not wherewithal to maintain the estate of himself and his brothers. By p.s.

July 12. Westminster. Grant for life to Roger Walden, clerk, of two tuns of wine of Gascony yearly from the king's wines at the city of London. By p.s.

July 26. Westminster. Presentation of William Alkebarowe, chaplain, to the chantry at the altar of St. Mary in the church of Ponynges, in the diocese of Chichester, in the king's gift by reason of the minority of the son and heir of Thomas de Ponynges, 'chivaler.'

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Nov. 22. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Robert Bolthorpe of letters patent dated 20 November, 14 Richard II, granting to him for life 100s. yearly. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

1400.
July 27. Westminster. Presentation of Thomas Bowet, chaplain of the chantry of St. Thomas in the chapel of St. Mary, Barton on Humbre, in the diocese of Lincoln, to the church of Croxby, in the same diocese, in the king's gift by reason of the temporalities of the abbey of Waltham being in his hands, on an exchange of benefices with Roger Grethed.

MEMBRANE 19.

July 6. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Bozard, the prior, and the convent of Christ Church, Twynham, of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 23 June, 4 Richard II, inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Westminster, 27 November, 7 Edward II [*Charter Roll*, 7 *Edward II*, *No.* 17], inspecting and confirming the following:—
   (1) A charter of William II dated at Winchester.
   (2) A charter of Stephen dated Winchester, 1150.
   (3) A charter of Henry II dated at Salisbury.
   (4) A charter of Richard I dated at Westminster, 8 October.
   (5) A charter dated at Christchurch, 31 January, 16 John. [*Rotuli Chartarum*, *p.* 205.
   (6) A charter dated at Winchester, 7 October, 13 Edward I. [*Charter Roll*, 13 *Edward I*, *No.* 5.]
   (7) A charter dated at Westminster, 23 July, 25 Edward I [*Charter Roll*, 25 *Edward I*, *No.* 7], inspecting and confirming a writing of Isabel de Fortibus, countess of Albemarle and Devon and lady of the Isle, dated London, the quinzaine of Michaelmas, 1274.
2. A charter dated at Sheen Manor, 16 December, 8 Richard II. [*Charter Roll*, 7 *and* 8 *Richard II*, *No.* 6.]

For 6½ marks paid in the hanaper.

Membrane 19—*cont.*

1400.
May 8. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's clerk Thomas Herdewyk, for his good service to the king's father, deceased, and the king for a long time, of a tun of wine yearly from the king's wines in the port of Bristol, and a livery yearly at Christmas at the hands of the keeper of the great wardrobe as the clerks of Chancery have. By p.s.

MEMBRANES 18 *and* 17.

July 25. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the abbot and convent of Wynchecombe of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 8 February, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming the following:—
   (1) Letters patent dated 18 June, 22 Edward III, inspecting and confirming the following:—
      a. A charter of Henry II.
      b. A charter dated at Westminster, 14 May, 35 Henry III. [*Charter Roll*, 35 *Henry III*, *m.* 7.]
   (2) Letters patent dated 12 June, 4 Edward I (*rectius* II).
   (3) Letters patent dated 16 June, 35 Edward I.
2. A charter dated at Westminster, 11 June, 14 Richard II. [*Charter Roll*, 14 *Richard II*, *No.* 7.]

For 10 marks paid in the hanaper.

Inspeximus and confirmation to the abbot and convent of the place of St. Edward, now called Lettele, of letters patent dated 20 February, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Winchester, 20 March, 4 Edward III [*Charter Roll*, 4 *Edward III*, *No.* 89], inspecting and confirming the following:—

1. A charter dated at Westminster, 28 February, 24 Henry III. [*Charter Roll*, 24 *Henry III*, *m.* 3.]
2. A charter dated at Lyndhurst, 1 September, 18 Edward I [*Charter Roll*, 18 *Edward I*, *No.* 18], inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Westminster, 7 March, 35 Henry III. [*Monasticon*, V. 696.]
3. Grants by John de Warenna, earl of Surrey, Robert de Veer, earl of Oxford, and Edmund, earl of Cornwall.

For 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

Membrane 17—*cont.*

Sept. 23. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Walter Skynner of letters patent dated 18 April, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life certain lands.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

May 25. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Ralph de Nevylle, earl of Westmoreland, of a charter dated at Westminster, 29 September, 21 Richard II [*Charter Roll*, 21-23 *Richard II*, *No.* 21], creating him earl of Westmoreland with a grant of 20*l.* yearly; and grant to him of all arrears. By p.s.

1399.
Nov. 7. Westminster. Licence for the alienation in mortmain to the prior and convent of St. Oswald's, Nostell, by Robert de Derfeld of five messuages, a toft, 16 acres of land, 2½ acres of meadow, and 2*s.* 6*d.* rent in Folby, Crofton, Sharneston, Ryle, Mylnethorpe, Westherdewyk, Wragby and Westardeslowe, by John Amyas of Shitlyngton of a messuage, a toft and 14 acres of land in Sharneston and Middelton by Rothewell, by Thomas de Harlyngton

1399. *Membrane* 17—*cont.*

of two messuages and 15 acres of land in Wylsyk and by the said Robert of the reversion of a messuage and 26 acres of land in Cotheworth on the death of Richard Addy and Joan his wife, who hold the same for life of his demise, not held in chief, worth 15*s.* yearly besides rents and services, as appears by an inquisition taken by John de Routhe, escheator of Richard II in the county of York, to hold to the value of 100*s.* in part satisfaction of a licence by letters patent of Richard II.

1400.
Jan. 21. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight Walter Blount of an inn called 'the Belle of the Hope' in Frydaystrete, London, and other tenements and possessions late of Thomas, lord le Despenser, deceased, in the same street and in Watlyngstrete in the parish of St. John the Evangelist to the value of 16 marks yearly, in the king's hands by the forfeiture of the same Thomas, and the reversion of the third part which the lady le Despenser, mother of the same Thomas, holds in dower in the same; notwithstanding that he has for life of the grant of the king's father the offices of constable of the castle of Tuttebury and master forester of Nedewode, worth 13 marks yearly, 70*l.* yearly at the hands of the receiver of the said castle and 100 marks yearly from the manor of Hertyngdon in the Peak, which grants the king has confirmed, and the same manor and the lordship of the same of the king's grant to the additional value of 56 marks. By p.s.

1399.
Nov. 25. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Otteley of 6*d.* daily from the custom of wools, hides and wool-fells in the port of Kyngeston on Hull. By p.s.

MEMBRANES 16 *and* 15.

1400.
Sept. 18. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the citizens of Cork of letters patent dated 12 February, 5 Richard II, confirming a charter dated at Woodstock, 15 July, 4 Edward III [*Charter Roll*, 4 *Edward III*, *No.* 59], inspecting and confirming with additions a charter dated at Northampton, 20 July, 12 Edward II, inspecting and confirming with additions a charter dated at Norham, 12 June, 19 Edward I [*Charter Roll*, 19 *Edward I*, *No.* 33], inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Westminster, 2 January, 26 Henry III. [*Charter Roll*, 26 *Henry III*, *m.* 5.] For 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Membrane 15—*cont.*

Sept. 14. Westminster. Grant to the king's esquire Janico of Cowle son of Cowle Oneyll, who was put as a hostage for Oneyll and often forfeited in the time of Richard II and afterwards to the king. By p.s.

May 12. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent (*French*) of Thomas, duke of Norfolk, earl of Nottingham, marshal of England, lord of Moubray, Segrave, Gower and Lewez, dated at London, 6 November, 21 Richard II, granting for life to his esquire William Nowell an annuity of 10*l.* from his manor of Hawnes, co. Bedford.
By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

May 25. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Henry Fouler, serjeant of the king's larder, of 12*d.* daily from the petty custom in the port of London.
By p.s.

1400. *Membrane* 15—*cont.*

Inspeximus and confirmation to Ralph, earl of Westmoreland, and Joan his wife and the heirs male of their bodies of letters patent dated 7 October, 21 Richard II, granting to them the manors and towns of Penreth and Soureby with the hamlets of Langwathby, Scouteby and Carleton and a rent of 120*l.* yearly in the port of Newcastle on Tyne; and grant to them of arrears. By p.s.

May 25. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Ralph de Neville, earl of Westmoreland, kinsman and heir of the under-mentioned Ralph, and his heirs of letters patent dated 15 July, 26 Edward III, granting to Ralph de Neville and his heirs certain rents; and grant to him of arrears. By p.s.

1399.
Nov. 2. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Joan Elkyn of letters patent dated 22 March, 15 Richard II, granting to her for life 10*l.* yearly. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

1400.
Aug. 8. Newcastle on Tyne. Grant for life to the king's knight Gerard Heron, whom the king has retained for life, of 20*l.* yearly from the custom and subsidy of wools, hides and wool-fells in the port of Newcastle on Tyne. By p.s.
Vacated because in the third year.

MEMBRANE 14.

1399.
Nov. 6. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Hauley of letters patent dated 16 May, 18 Richard II, granting to him for life 40 marks yearly. By p.s. and for 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

1400.
June 28. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Charnels, esquire, of Bedeworth of a writing (*French*) of Roger de Charyngdon, 'chivaler,' dated Monday after the Purification, 3 Richard II, granting to him a yearly rent of 100*l.* at the Exchequer which the said Roger has of the grant of Edward III; and grant to him, on the surrender of the letters patent of Edward III and Richard II to the said Roger concerning the annuity, that he shall have the said 100*l.* yearly for life at the Exchequer. By p.s.

July 25. Westminster. Presentation of John More, chaplain, to the church of Bokelond, in the diocese of Canterbury, in the king's gift by reason of the minority of the son and heir of John Frogenale.

Aug. 2. Newcastle on Tyne. Grant to the king's niece Constance the wife of Thomas Moubray son of Thomas, late duke of Norfolk, of 200*l.* yearly at the Exchequer during the minority of the said Thomas. By p.s.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 20 December, in the second year, the king granted to her certain manors in the county of Norfolk, a moiety of the hundred of Ersham, co. Norfolk, and a rent of Cratfeld, Stowepark and Berewyk, co. Suffolk, to that value.

Aug. 4. Westminster. Grant to the king's knight Robert Fraunceys of the custody of all lands and other possessions late of Thomas son of Thomas de Cherlton and Ellen his sister in the county of Salop during the minority of Thomas son of William de Knyghtley their kinsman and heir; so that he find a competent sustenance for the heir, keep the messuages, buildings, woods, enclosures and gardens without waste and support the services and other charges. By p.s.

Aug. 17. Westminster. Mandate to the escheator in the counties of Warwick and Leicester for the restitution of the temporalities of the priory of Kelyngworth to Walter

1400. *Membrane* 14—*cont.*

Braylis, canon of the house, whose election as prior John, bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, has confirmed and whose fealty the king has taken. By p.s.

The like to the escheators in the following counties :—
Buckingham.
Oxford.
Rutland.

Writ *de intendendo* in pursuance to the tenants. By the same writ.

July 2. Westminster. Presentation of Robert Watton to the church of Melsamby, in the diocese of York, of the immediate jurisdiction of the archdeacon of Richemund.

Aug. 20. Westminster. Licence for the prior and convent of Muchelneye to elect an abbot in the place of Nicholas Strotton, deceased.

Aug. 6. Newcastle on Tyne. Grant for life to Isabel de Fletham of a tun of wine of Gascony yearly from the prises of the king's wines in the port of Kyngeston on Hull. By p.s.

Aug. 6. Newcastle on Tyne. Licence for the king's brother Ralph, earl of Westmoreland, to enfeoff certain persons to be named by him in fee simple of the manor of Stiford, co. Northumberland, of the value of 40*l.* yearly, held in chief as of the crown, and other lands, rents and services in the county of York to the value of 40*l.* yearly, held of others, to enfeoff of the said manor and a parcel of the said other lands to the value of 300 marks yearly Ralph his younger son and the heirs male of his body with remainder to the right heirs of the earl and from the residue of the lands to pay his debts and marry his unmarried daughters and do other things for the relief of his soul. By p.s.

Aug. 23. Westminster. Presentation of Thomas Kent, parson of the church of Lodyngton, in the diocese of Lincoln, to the church of Baldok, in the same diocese, on an exchange of benefices with John Grenelane.

Aug. 26. Westminster. Presentation of William Wryght, vicar of the church of Yellyng, in the diocese of London, to the church of Horspath, in the diocese of Lincoln, on an exchange of benefices with John Duffeld.

Sept. 1. Westminster. Presentation of William Tuppyn, chaplain, to the vicarage of the church of Est Dene, in the diocese of Chichester.

Sept. 5. Westminster. Presentation of Walter Aumeney, prebendary of Llannerghaeron in the collegiate church of Llaundewybrevy, in the diocese of St. Davids, to the church of Eton, in the diocese of Lincoln, on an exchange of benefices with William Dole.

Sept. 10. Westminster. Presentation of Edmund Cook, vicar of the church of Newenham, in the diocese of Lincoln, to the vicarage of the church of Little Caumpes, in the diocese of Ely, on an exchange of benefices with William Maunby.

Sept. 2. Newcastle on Tyne. Pardon to Reginald Holand, burgess of Hardelagh in North Wales, for all treasons and felonies committed by him, except murders and rapes, all escapes of felons and fugitives and all trespasses, extortions, oppressions, rebellions and misprisions. By p.s.

The like to the following burgesses :—
John Holand.
Robert Holand the younger.

Membrane 14—*cont.*

1400.

Sept. 8. Newcastle on Tyne. Mandate to the escheator in the counties of Essex and Hertford for the restitution of the temporalities of the monastery of Waltham Holy Cross to William Harleton, canon of the monastery, elected abbot on the death of William, last abbot, as in accordance with an indult of the apostolic see, granted at the supplication of Richard II, no confirmation is required. [*Fœdera.*] By p.s.

The like to the escheators in the following counties :—

Bedford.
Cambridge.
Lincoln.
Norfolk and Suffolk.
Berks.
Surrey.

The like to Thomas Knolles, mayor of London and escheator in that city.

Writ *de intendendo* in pursuance to the tenants.

Sept. 10. Pontefract Castle. Grant to the king's clerk John de Elvet of the custody of all manors, lands and other possessions late of Robert de Wesenham, tenant in chief, in the county of Huntingdon and elsewhere, with a moiety of the advowson of the church of Conyngton, co. Huntingdon, during the minority of his son and heir with the marriage of the latter without disparagement and so from heir to heir, provided that he find a competent sustenance for the heir, maintain the houses, buildings, enclosures and woods without waste and support the services and other charges. By p.s.

Sept. 17. Westminster] Presentation of John Whityng, chaplain of the chantry of Wroxale, in the diocese of Salisbury, to the church of Lassyndon, of the immediate jurisdiction of Chirchesdon of R. archbishop of York and in the diocese of Hereford, in the king's gift by reason of the minority of Thomas son and heir of Thomas Rale, deceased, tenant in chief, on an exchange of benefices with Thomas Silvester.

Sept. 16. Westminster. Grant for life to Maurice Abbergeveny of the office of ranger of the forest of Waltham with the accustomed wages at the hands of the sheriff of Essex as Thomas de Croydon, deceased, had. By p.s.

Sept. 18. Westminster. Presentation of Roger Ferrour, chaplain, to the vicarage of the church of Ilmynstre, in the diocese of Bath and Wells, in the king's gift by reason of the temporalities of the abbey of Muchelneye being lately in his hands.

MEMBRANE 13.

Sept. 2. Westminster. Pardon, for 5 marks paid in the hanaper, to Thomas Lancastre, John Forestere of Whitefelde and John Celere, vicar of the church of Whitefelde, of their trespasses in acquiring to themselves and their heirs from Thomas Imworth of Whitefelde by Brakle the manor of Whitefeld, co. Northampton, held in chief, and entering therein without licence.

Sept. 13. Westminster. Mandate to the escheator in the county of Somerset for the restitution of the temporalities of the abbey of Muchelnye to John Bruton, monk of the house, whose election as abbot John Maydenhith and Gilbert de Stone, guardians of the spirituality of the bishopric of Bath and Wells, have confirmed and whose fealty the king has taken.

Writ *de intendendo* in pursuance to the tenants.

1400. *Membrane* 18—*cont.*

Sept. 16. Westminster. Presentation of William Wright, parson of the church of Shathewell, in the diocese of Lincoln, to the church of Gahyrst, in the same diocese, in the king's gift by reason of the minority of the son and heir of John Nowers, knight, deceased, on an exchange of benefices with Richard de Aston.

May 24. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Wodestok of letters patent dated 1 May, 1 Henry IV (*see p.* 327), being an exemplification of the tenour of the enrolment of letters patent dated 6 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 16 March, 35 Edward III.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Sept. 13. Westminster. Presentation of John Clerk of Codeford, chaplain, to the church of Querleye, in the diocese of Winchester, in the king's gift by reason of the alien priory of Okeburn being in his hands on account of the war with France.

Sept. 18. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the burgesses of Duneheved of letters patent dated 2 May, 6 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent of Richard, earl of Poitou and Cornwall.
For 5½ marks paid in the hanaper.

Sept. 18. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the priors and Friars Preachers of Dublin, Waterford, Cork, Lymerik and Droghda in Ireland of letters patent dated 22 February, 18 Richard II, granting to them 35 marks yearly at the exchequer in Ireland.
By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Sept. 21. Westminster. Presentation of John Saundres, chaplain, to the vicarage of the prebend of Cormayle in the cathedral church of Hereford, he having been nominated by the dean and chapter for presentation to them by the king by reason of the temporalities of the alien abbey of Cormeilles being in the king's hands on account of the war with France.

Sept. 16. Westminster. Writ of aid for the abbot of Wardon, whom John, late bishop of Lincoln, and Henry, bishop of Lincoln, respectively appointed to collect the tenths granted to Richard II by the clergy of the province of Canterbury in the year 18 Richard II in the archdeaconries of Bedeford and Buckingham and in the year 21 Richard II in the archdeaconries of Bedeford and Huntyngdon, as certain persons refuse to pay.

Sept. 22. Westminster. Grant to the mayor, sheriff and commonalty of the town of Newcastle on Tyne of pontage for three years.

Sept. 22. Westminster. Grant for life to Richard Lyes of the office of under-rider of the chace of Alderwychay, co. Stafford, with the accustomed wages, fees and profits.
By p.s.

Sept. 22. Westminster. Grant to John Wodecok, to whom Thomas, late earl of Kent, who made forfeiture to the king, was indebted in 419*l.* 15*s.* 3*d.*, as appears by a bill under his seal, of that sum within three years at the hands of the treasurer and chamberlains of the Exchequer for his remuneration and the exoneration of the soul of the earl. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 12.

Feb. 18. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Prentis *alias* Prentice of letters patent dated 17 March, 1 Richard II, granting to him for life 100*s.* yearly.
By p.s. and for God because he is poor.

Membrane 12—*cont.*

1400.

July 22. Westminster. Licence for the sub-prior and convent of Kenilleworth to elect a prior in the place of Thomas Mershton, deceased. By p.s.

July 25. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Hawlay of Dertmouth of letters patent (*French*) of Thomas, earl of Nottingham, marshal of England, lord of Moubray and Segrave, dated at Dover, 23 August, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life an annuity of 10*l.* at the hands of the receiver of the castle of Brembre, co. Sussex. For 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Aug. 2. Westminster. Signification to J. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield of the royal assent to the election of Walter Brayles, sub-prior of the house of Kenelworth, as prior of that place. By p.s.

July 25. Westminster. Licence for the prior and convent of Holy Cross, Waltham, to elect an abbot in the place of William, last abbot, deceased. By p.s.

July 28. Newcastle on Tyne. Pardon to John Dousyng of Snaynton *alias* John de Snaynton for having on Friday before the Nativity of St. Mary, 23 Richard II, broken the house of William Leek, vicar of the church of Wharrome Percy, at Sledmere and stolen from him 12 silver spoons worth 24*s*, a napkin worth 40*d.* and a towel worth 20*d*, and for having on the vigil of All Saints last in the fields of Great Buskby stolen seven cows of John Nesham of Buskby and Thomas Stokeslay and others worth 5 marks. By p.s.

Aug. 27. Westminster. Commission, by the advice of the council, to Baldwin Bereford, 'chivaler,' to take as many bucks of the present season in the forests of Groveley, Bukholt, Bradon, Gilyngham and Whichewod, the parks of Gildeford, Henley, Fremantell, Mere, Kyngesclere and Whaddon and the chaces of Whaddon and Cranburn for the expenses of the household by the assent, aid and supervision of the keepers and foresters and parkers from time to time as can be taken without waste. By C.

The like to Philip la Vache, 'chivaler,' in the forest of Stowod, the parks of Bekle, Shottoure and Cornbury by Wodstok and the chace of Ixhull. By C.

Sept. 1. Westminster. Presentation of John Clerk of Codford, chaplain, to the church of Querleye, in the diocese of Winchester.

Sept. 1. Westminster. Signification to the guardian of the spirituality of the bishopric of Bath and Wells, the see being vacant, of the royal assent to the election of John Bruton, monk of the house of Muchelnye, as abbot of that place.

Sept. 1. Westminster Protection, until Michaelmas, for John Brampton of Wyndesore, whom by the advice of the council the king has sent to do certain business in the city of London and elsewhere within the realm, and his men, lands and possessions. By C.

Sept. 11. Westminster. Elizabeth late the wife of Philip Darcy, 'chivaler,' staying in England, has letters nominating John Darcy, esquire, and John Wodehous her attorneys in Ireland for one year.

Thomas Stanley, clerk, received the attorneys.

Sept. 6. York. Grant to the king's esquire Ralph Grene of all issues from the death of Henry Grene his father from the lands which the latter held in fee tail or of the inheritance of Matilda his wife, mother of the said Ralph, notwithstanding any forfeiture of the said Henry or judgment rendered against him. By p.s.

1400. *Membrane* 12—*cont.*

Sept. 13. Westminster. Protection, for one year, for the abbot of Quarr in the Isle of Wight, of the Cistercian order, who is going to visit the abbeys of Bokelond, co. Devon, and Stanleye, co. Wilts, which are cells of the abbey of Quarr and of the same order and within which he and his predecessors have always had jurisdiction of visitation, and for the monks, men, clerks and servants in his company and their goods, horses and harness.

Sept. 16. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Ralph Ramesey and Alice his wife of two tuns of wine of Gascony yearly from the prise of the king's wines in the port of Great Jernemuth. By p.s.

Sept. 22. Westminster. Presentation of Roger Redburne to the church of Waltham in Lyndesheymerssh, in the diocese of Lincoln. By p.s.

Sept. 16. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Thomas Sprotley of letters patent (*French*) of Thomas le Despenser, lord of Glamorgan and Morganno, sealed with the seal of his chancery of Kerdyf, 21 October, 19 Richard II, granting for life to the said Thomas the office of the constableship of his castle of Kenefeg, receiving 100*s.* yearly at the exchequer of Kerdyf with the accustomed fees and other profits. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Sept. 22. Westminster. Pardon to John Catell of Countesthorpe, co. Leicester, for all felonies and trespasses committed by him except treasons, murders, common larceny and rapes. By p.s.

June 10. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Driffeld of letters patent dated 22 September, 22 Richard II, granting to him for life 2*d.* daily. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 11.

Sept. 21. Westminster. Licence for the prior and convent of Certeseye to elect an abbot in the place of John, last abbot, deceased. By p.s.

Sept. 22. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Fairchild of Altrincham of the duchy of Chester of letters patent dated 2 October, 21 Richard II, granting to him for life 2*d.* daily at the exchequer of Chester. By p.s.

Sept. 25. Westminster. Pardon to John Taillour of Wrastlyngworth, rector of the church of Hungry Hattele, for having on Tuesday before St. Andrew, 22 Richard II, at Hungry Hattele ravished Joan the sister of John Clopton, chaplain. By p.s.

1399.

Dec. 21. Westminster. Writ of aid for John Norbury, keeper of the privy wardrobe within the Tower of London, whom the king has appointed to take armourers, 'flecchers,' smiths and other workmen for the works of armour, bows, arrows and arrow-heads and other works touching his office in the city of London and elsewhere within the realm and put them to the said works in the Tower of London and elsewhere, and to take timber and wood for the arrows and carriage for the same. By bill of the treasurer.

1400.

Sept. 15. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's yeoman Roger Wyse of the county of Surrey of the office of chief ranger of the forest of Wolmer and Aliceholt, co. Southampton, with the accustomed wages, fees and profits, if the office is at present vacant. By p.s.

Vacated because in the ninth year.

Sept. 8. Pontefract Castle. Grant for life to the king's knight John Cornewaill of the manor of Carsyngton, co. Oxford, late of John, late earl of Salisbury, to the value of 12*l.* yearly, provided that he answer for any surplus. By p.s.

Membrane 11—*cont.*

1400.
Sept. 25. Westminster. Grant to John Wylue of Repyngdon in recompense of his many labours in the king's service, of all goods and chattels late of Robert Vyrly in the county of Derby and forfeited to the king by the felony of the latter, to the value of 6*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.*, so that he answer for any surplus. By p.s.

Sept. 19. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight George Felbrigg of a tun of wine of Gascony yearly in the port of Ipswich. By p.s.
Vacated by surrender.

1399.
Oct. 9. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Morker of letters patent dated 10 March, 17 Richard II, granting to him for life the office of spigurnel of Chancery. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

1400.
July 4. Westminster. Pardon to Henry Weyptoft for all treasons, insurrections, rebellions and felonies committed by him before the Purification last, except murders and rapes, and all trespasses, contempts, extortions and oppressions committed by him before that date, provided that he is not an approver nor charged with the death of a man nor taken with booty nor has broken a royal prison and was not at the murder of the king's uncle Thomas, late duke of Gloucester. By p.s.

1399.
Dec. 14. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the master, brethren and sisters of the hospital of St. Katharine by the Tower of London of letters patent dated 25 February, 15 Richard II, granting licence for them to acquire in mortmain certain possessions. For 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 20. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Pritewell of letters patent dated 1 July, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life 40 marks yearly. By p.s. and for 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

1400.
May 27. Westminster. Grant for life to Walter Tamworth of 10 marks yearly from the great custom in the port of London. By p.s.

1399.
Nov. 15. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Parys of letters patent dated 26 August, 13 Richard II, granting to him for life the office of keeping the lesser piece of the seal for the recognisances of debts in the city of London. By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 18. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Walter Beccles of letters patent dated 1 July, 18 Richard II, granting to him for life 5 marks yearly. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

1400.
Aug. 4. Newcastle on Tyne. Ratification of the estate which John Holdenvelt has as parson of the parish church of Eston, in the diocese of St. Asaph, which was formerly called the portion of Master David. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 10.

Sept. 22. Westminster. Grant for life to William de Burgh, 'chivaler,' of 16*l.* 21*d.* yearly from the issues of the county of Leicester and to him and Marjory his wife of 20*l.* yearly from the issues of the counties of Leicester and Warwick, as granted to them by letters patent of Richard II; because the king has granted to his esquire Hugh Norburgh the manor of Lye and the bailiwick of keeping the forest of Roteland, which were of the said William and of the value of 40 marks yearly and more and the substance of his livelihood, and in which bailiwick the said Marjory had a joint estate. By p.s.

Membrane 10—*cont.*

1400.

Sept. 24. Westminster. Grant for life to William Savage of 5 marks yearly from the 6*l.* 15*s.* yearly which Christopher Holywod renders at the exchequer of Ireland for certain lands which he holds in Kyllenyn, Brune, Staghnawayne, Lesnekelle, Staghcony, Kyllowane and Bothurcolyng in the marches of the county of Dublin, at the hands of the said Christopher or the tenants. By p.s.

Sept. 26. Westminster. Mandate in pursuance to the tenants.

Sept. 17. Westminster. Presentation of Henry Rodeman, chaplain, to a mediety of the churches of Middelton and Colyntre, in the diocese of Lincoln, void by the resignation of Laurence Haukyn.

Sept. 20. Westminster. Presentation of Richard Teukesbury, chaplain, king's clerk, to the vicarage of the church of Somerton, in the diocese of Bath and Wells. The letters are directed to the guardian of the spirituality of the bishopric, the see being vacant.

Sept. 8. Pontefract Castle. Grant to Simon Felbrigg, in furtherance of a grant to him by letters patent of Richard II, confirmed by the king on 7 November last (*see p.* 64), of the custody of the manors of Ledecoumbe Regis, co. Berks, Offord Clugny, co. Huntingdon, and Manton and Tykesore, co. Rutland, with their members etc. from Michaelmas last so long as they remain in the king's hands without rendering anything to the king. By p.s.

1399.

Dec. 10. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the master, brethren and sisters of the hospital of St. Katharine by the Tower of London of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 28 April, 51 Edward III, granting to John de Hermestorp, then warden, and the brethren and sisters a piece of land adjoining the garden of the hospital.
2. Letters patent dated 8 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 20 September, 50 Edward III.

By p.s. and for 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

1400.

June 21. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Thomas Naret of letters patent (*French*) of Thomas, duke of Gloucester, earl of Essex and Buckingham and constable of England, his godfather, dated at Dover, 16 March, 16 Richard II, granting to him for life a yearly rent of 4*l.* from the manor of Kirtelyngton, co. Oxford.

By p.s. and for 6*s.* 8*d.* paid in the hanaper.

July 28. Newcastle on Tyne. Grant, during his minority, to John, lord of Latymer, whom the king has retained, of the custody of the manors of Skamston and Teryngton, co. York. By p.s.

1399.

Nov. 12. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant William Laudesdale of 6*d.* daily from the custom and subsidy of wools, hides and wool-fells in the port of Kyngeston on Hull, in lieu of a like grant from the custom of the town by letters patent, surrendered. By p.s.

1400.

Sept. 21. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight John del Bolde, whom the king has retained for life, of 20*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 12 *November in the sixth year, by letters patent under the seal of the duchy of Lancaster, the king granted the same to him from the rents and other profits of the town of Appulton, co. Lancaster.*

MEMBRANE 9.

1400.
Feb. 21. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 23 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 28 September, 50 Edward III, granting in mortmain 40*s.* yearly to Thomas de Appelby, parson of the church of St. Andrew, Baynardescastell, London.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

1399.
Dec. 5. Westminster. Grant, from Easter last, to Michael de la Pole, earl of Suffolk, and his heirs during the life of Isabel, countess of Suffolk, of the manor of Hesilbere, co. Somerset, 29*l.* from the fee-farm of the city of Winchester and 47*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* from the farm of 120 marks yearly from the issues of the castle of Rokyngham and the stewardship of the forests and hundred between the bridges of Oxford and Stamford, as granted to his father Michael, late earl of Suffolk, by Richard II, and also to him and the heirs male of his body of 123*l.* 7*s.* 9¾*d.* yearly from the hanaper of Chancery, as granted to him by letters patent of Richard II.
By K. and for 100*s.* paid in the hanaper.

1400.
Sept. 15. Westminster. Grant for life, in aid of her maintenance, to the king's kinswoman Joan, late the wife of Thomas, last earl of Kent, all of whose manors, lordships and lands were taken into the king's hands by his forfeiture, of the manor of Asshford, co. Derby, the manor of Allerton in Shirwode, co. Nottingham, the fee-farm of Chichestre, co. Sussex, the manor of Sutton, co. Surrey, the manor of Thorley, co. Lincoln, and the manor of Depynge, co. Lincoln, to the values of 80*l.*, 20*l.*, 86*l.*, 20*l.*, 48*s.* and 264*l.* 15*s.* 1½*d.* respectively, notwithstanding that she has livery of all her lands and rents to the value of 200*l.* yearly of which she was enfeoffed jointly with her husband by a fine levied in the court of Edward III.
By K. and by p.s.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 14 *December in the third year she had new letters patent for the manor of Depynge and in recompense of the remainder the king granted to her for life* 158*l.* 8*s.* *yearly at the Exchequer.*

1399.
Nov. 17. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Nicholas Spaldyng of letters patent dated 5 November, 6 Richard II, granting to him for life the office of bailiff of the hundred of Wyston, co. Gloucester.
Vacated by surrender. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

1400.
July 14. Westminster. Licence for Thomas de Hordewyk, clerk, Thomas de Annesley of Kynnalton, Thomas Hunt of Lyndeby, Thomas de Kyrkeby, chaplain, and John Clerc of Hukenale Torkard to found a perpetual chantry of one chaplain to celebrate divine service daily at the altar of St. Mary in the parish church of Bolton on Dyrne, co. York, for the good estate of the king and for his soul after death and the souls of his consort, deceased, and Hugh de Annesley, John Belewe the son of John Belewe, Cecily Rosselyne and William Michell and their ancestors and benefactors, and to grant in mortmain to the said chaplain a messuage called 'Hermytmanplace' and a garden in the said town of Bolton and 5*l.* yearly rent from seven messuages, 100 acres of land and 20 acres of meadow in Bolton and Golthope, co. York.
By p.s.

March 20. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 30 December, 21 Richard II, granting for life to John Gardener the custody of the garden within the king's manor of Eltham.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Membrane 9—*cont.*

1399. Oct. 2. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire William Hoghwyk of the hundred of Gertre, co. Leicester, with all farms, rents, suits of court and other profits and commodities. By p.s.

Dec. 3. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Deth of letters patent dated 2 March, 15 Richard II, granting to him for life the custody of the bailiwick called 'Batailles Ballie' in the forest of Wyndesore. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Dec. 9. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 17 October, 21 Richard II, granting for life to John Hiwet that he shall be one of the king's thirty serjeants at arms. By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

1400. June 28. Westminster. Presentation of John Walker, canon of Wormesley, to the priory of Flaunesford, in the diocese of Hereford.

1399. Nov. 14. Westminster. Grant for life to John Wylton of 6*d.* daily from the custom of wools, hides and wool-fells in the port of Lenne, in lieu of a like grant from the custom of Lynne by letters patent, which are invalid. By p.s.

1400. *MEMBRANES* 8—6.

April 3. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the prioress and convent of SS. Mary and Sexburga, Sheppey, of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 8 May, 4 Richard II, inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Westminster, 24 May, 17 Edward III [*Charter Roll*, 17 *Edward III*, *No.* 17], inspecting and confirming with additions a charter dated at Eltham, 15 May, 3 Edward III [*Charter Roll*, 3 *Edward III*, *No.* 88], inspecting and confirming with additions a charter dated at Rochester, 7 April, 18 Henry III [*Monasticon*, II. 50], and confirming the tenour of a charter (undated) of Henry [III].
2. Letters patent of William, archbishop of Canterbury, dated at the manor of Maydeston, 5 January, 1395-6, inspecting letters patent, shown to him at his late visitation of the priory, of John de Strattefordia, archbishop of Canterbury, dated at Canterbury, 5 Id. December, 1340, confirming the judgement of his commissary that they held appropriated the parish churches of Mynstre in Sheppey and Bobbing with their chapels, in the diocese of Canterbury, and Gillingham with the chapel of Grean, of his immediate jurisdiction of Shorham, as they showed for the church of Mynstre letters of John de Peccham, archbishop of Canterbury, mentioning that he had inspected letters and muniments of William and Theobald, archbishops of Canterbury, by which these confirmed to the nuns of Sheppey the church of St. Mary and St. Sexburga in Sheppey with all its chapels and appendages, for the church of Bobbyng the grant of Richard and John, kings of England, and for the church of Gillingham with the chapel of Grean the grant of Richard, elect of Canterbury, under the seal of himself and the church of Canterbury. The said archbishop William confirms the above to them, and as he has found from documents that by the foundation of the priory there should be a prioress and a certain number of canonesses professing the order of St. Augustine, but

1400. *Membranes* 8—6—*cont.*

the prioress and sisters live under the habit and rule of St. Benedict without professing that order, he restores them to the habit and rule of St. Augustine and receives the profession of the order from them. By p.s.

Membrane 6—*cont.*

Sept. 25. Westminster. Presentation of John de Spryngthorpe, king's clerk, to the church of Ippelpenne, in the diocese of Exeter.

Aug. 8. Newcastle on Tyne. Grant to John Conyers and his heirs of the reversions of certain lands in the towns of Northotryngton, Northaluerton and Warlaweby which William de Overswale and Joan his wife hold for her life with remainder to Alice the wife of Richard Menyll for life and certain other lands which the said Richard and Alice hold for her life in the same, not exceeding the value of 12 marks yearly, which reversions belong to the king by reason of the forfeiture of Thomas de Otryngton, esquire, an adherent of Thomas, late earl of Kent, who was killed for his treason. By p.s.

1399.

Nov. 5. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Griffin Percival of letters patent dated 20 December, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life 6*d.* daily. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

1400.

May 5. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Launde of letters patent dated 23 October, 15 Richard II, granting to him for life 10 marks yearly. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

July 4. Westminster. Grant in mortmain to the dean and canons of the new collegiate church of St. Mary, Leycestre, of the advowson of the church of Preston in Amondernesse, co. Lancaster, in the diocese of York; and licence for them to appropriate the church in mortmain, provided that a vicarage be sufficiently endowed and a competent sum of money be distributed yearly among the poor parishioners of the church at the ordinance of the diocesan of the place from the issues of the church, according to the form of the statute. By K. and by p.s.

1399.

Oct. 30. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Fekenham, usher of the chamber of Richard II, of letters patent under the great seal of Ireland, dated at Kilkenny, 10 April, 18 Richard II, granting to him for life all lands, rents and services with wards, marriages, fees, advowsons of churches, escheats, forfeitures, wreck of sea and other appurtenances in Ballybrigyn, Ballythormot, Molaragh, Ballyrothy and Steveneston and in Doulagh in the barony of Ballyrothy, co. Dublin, with licence to dwell in England without restriction. By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 26. Westminster. Commission, during good behaviour, to Walter Merwe of the office of the exchange in the city of London, so that all gold from it be taken to the Tower of London for making money and that he answer at the Exchequer for a moiety of the lucre. By p.s.

1400. *Vacated by surrender.*

Aug. 8. Newcastle on Tyne. Pardon to Maurice Savage for the death of Walter Gyselay at Newcastle on Tyne on the vigil of St. Andrew, 19 Richard II. By p.s.

Pardon to Roger Kunclyf for all treasons, felonies, insurrections and rebellions committed by him. By p.s.

Membrane 6—*cont.*

1400.
May 27. Westminster. Grant to William la Zouche of Toteneys, knight, and his heirs of the hundred of Calne with a water-mill in Calne, co. Wilts, rendering at the Exchequer a farm of 15*l.* yearly, as he and his ancestors have long been in possession of the same. By p.s.

May 25. Westminster. Grant for life to Aymer de Athelles, 'chivaler,' of 100 marks yearly from the customs and the subsidies of wools, hides and wool-fells and the petty custom in the port of Newcastle on Tyne, in lieu of a like grant at the Exchequer by letters patent of Edward III, confirmed by letters patent of Richard II, surrendered. By p.s.

April 19. Westminster. Grant for life to John Wallepole, 'taillour,' of 5 marks yearly from the customs and subsidy of wools, hides and wool-fells in the port of Boston. By K.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 4 April in the second year the king granted the same to him at the Exchequer.

1399.
Nov. 20. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Thomas Ryngwode of 20 marks yearly from the custom of wools, hides and wool-fells in the port of Suthampton. By p.s.

Nov. 12. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Robert Kyngman of the following :—

1. Letters patent dated 21 October, 8 Richard II, granting to him for life certain lands.
2. Letters patent dated 18 November, 14 Richard II, granting to him for life the custody of certain tithings.
3. Letters patent dated 15 October, 22 Richard II, exemplifying letters patent dated 23 April, 17 Richard II.

By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

1400.
Jan. 18. Westminster. Grant for life to John Parys of the office of clerk of the statute merchant of Norwich, on the surrender of the same by the king's clerk William de Bool. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because with his assent on 25 June in the twelfth year the king granted the same for life to Robert Castell of the county of Norfolk.

MEMBRANES 5 *and* 4.

Feb. 14. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the abbot and convent of St. Mary Graces by the Tower of London of letters patent dated 24 February, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent of the following dates :—

10 June, 40 Edward III.
5 November, 40 Edward III.
15 December, 40 Edward III.
8 May, 41 Edward III.
29 October, 43 Edward III.
6 May, 45 Edward III.
15 October, 47 Edward III.
26 February, 51 Edward III.
31 May, 50 Edward III.

For 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

Jan. 18. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's clerk William de Bool of the office of clerk of the statute merchant of London, on the surrender of the same by John Parys. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 8.

1399. Dec. 16. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Hert of letters patent dated 30 January, 7 Richard II, granting to him for life 10*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s. and for 6*s.* 8*d.* paid in the hanaper.

1400. June 18. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Henry Cambrygg, citizen and fishmonger of London, of the following:—

1. An indenture of Tidiman, bishop of Worcester, dated at Hillyngdon, 4 April, 21 Richard II, granting for life to the said Henry the custody of his mansion without the gate of the New Temple, London, with the easements of all houses between the great gate of the mansion and le Savoye annexed to the mansion, and also a vacant soil between the said gate and le Savoye, containing 30 feet in length and 18 in breadth, with all issues from gardens and stanks within the mansion, rendering yearly a pound of pepper at Michaelmas. The said Henry in the mean time shall build on the said soil and maintain it with the said houses and shall find easement of herbs in the said gardens for the household of the bishop whenever he shall dwell in the mansion.
2. Letters of John, the prior, and the convent of the cathedral church of Worcester dated in their chapter-house, 1 May, 21 Richard II, inspecting and confirming the above.

For ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Sept. 8. Pontefract Castle. *Inspeximus* and confirmation for life of letters patent (*French*) of the king's kinsman Henry de Percy, earl of Northumberland, constable of England, dated at London, 22 May, 1 Henry IV, granting to Richard Hamme and John Wynbussh the offices of the keeping of the manor and warren of Haveryng atte Boure with the supervision of the park of Haveryng, receiving 2*d.* daily for the keeping of the manor and 2*d.* daily for the keeping of the warren from the issues of the manor during his life. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

1399. Nov. 19. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Thomas Melton of letters patent dated 30 July, 19 Richard II, granting to him for life 5 marks yearly. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

1400. March 4. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Coterell of letters patent dated 25 August, 17 Richard II, granting to him for life 10*l.* yearly. By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

1399. Dec. 10. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Perant of letters patent dated 5 September, 10 Richard II, granting to him for life 12*d.* daily and a robe yearly. By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 25. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 20 November, 14 Richard II, granting for life to Nicholas Lillyng, 'chivaler,' the office of parker of the park of Molton, co. Northampton. By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

1400. Sept. 16. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Thomas Talbot, knight, of letters patent dated 20 September, 16 Richard II, granting to him for life 40 marks yearly. By p.s. and for 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

Sept. 16. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Henry Talbot of letters patent dated 15 October, 22 Richard II, granting to him for life 20 marks yearly. By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because the treasurer by advice of the council of the present king paid to him a sum of money, 100 *marks.*

Membrane 8—*cont.*

1400.
May 20. Westminster. Grant for life to John Somer, of the order of Friars Minor, of 8 ells of russet and 8 ells of blanket for his vesture yearly at Christmas at the great wardrobe. By K.

1399.
Nov. 19. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Sutbury of Crowemere of 4*d.* daily from the issues of the petty custom in the port of Great Jernemuth. By p.s.

Oct. 31. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Robert de Westende of letters patent dated 11 August, 18 Richard II, granting to him for life 40*s.* yearly. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

1400.
June 8. Westminster. Pardon to John, bishop of Ely, for the escape from his prison at Ely of Nicholas Tailour and Nicholas Yakesle, convicted clerks. By p.s.

Jan. 19. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquires Roland Leynthale and John Merbury of 40*l.* yearly from the fee-farm of the city of Hereford. By K. and by p.s.

MEMBRANE 2.

1399.
Dec. 20. Westminster. Licence, in consideration of a like licence by letters patent of Richard II, not executed, for Richard Lescrope of Bolton to make the parish church of the Holy Trinity, Wenslawe, of his own patronage, into a college of one master or warden (a chaplain) and as many fellows (chaplains) and other ministers as may seem expedient to him, to be called the college of the Holy Trinity, Wenslawe, and to grant in mortmain to them the advowson of the said church and the chapels annexed to it and an acre of land in Wenslawe, not held in chief, for the habitation of as many poor people as he may ordain, and for them to appropriate the church with the chapels annexed, and for him also to grant to them in mortmain, after inquisition, lands, rents and services, not held in chief, to the value of 150*l.* yearly, to hold in aid of the sustenance of themselves and the other ministers and the said poor people and to find a chaplain in the chapel of St. Anne within the castle of Bolton and another in the chapel of St. Oswald in Bolton to celebrate divine service daily according to his ordinance. By K.

Nov. 3. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Lorchon of letters patent dated 20 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 15 July, 50 Edward III, granting to him for life 100*s.* yearly. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

1400.
March 16. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Robert Payn and Agnes Lavender, because the king has engaged the latter to stay with him, of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 8 July, 18 Richard II, granting to him for life 40*s.* yearly.
2. Letters patent dated 6 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 6 September, 48 Edward III, granting to her for life 100*s.* yearly.

By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

May 10. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Cousyn of letters patent dated 8 August, 8 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 26 April, 39 Edward III, granting to him for life 100*s.* yearly. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Membrane 2—*cont.*

1400. Feb. 22. Westminster. Grant to the king's son John of 60*l.* yearly from the farm which Constance late the wife of Thomas, lord le Despenser, is bound to render at the Exchequer for certain lands late of the said Thomas during the minority of his heir. By p.s.

Mandate in pursuance to the said Constance.

Jan. 1. Westminster. Grant to the king's knight John de Stanley and the heirs male of his body of 4*l.* rent in Neston, Raby, Lodesham, Molynton Torot, Cestre, Claverton, Netherbebynton and Lee by Berterton, with the homages and services of the persons paying the same, in the king's hands by the forfeiture of John, late earl of Salisbury, and the reversion of the manor of Neston and the advowson of the church of the Holy Trinity, Cestre, on the death of Elizabeth, countess of Salisbury, the manor and rent not exceeding the value of 24*l.* yearly, provided that he answer for any surplus at the Exchequer. By p.s.

1399. Nov. 20. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight Walter Clopton of the county of Suffolk of 40*l.* yearly from the issues of the counties of Norfolk and Suffolk. By p.s.

1400. Feb. 16. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Thomas Denton of the 12*l.* yearly which the prior of Huntyngdon renders for the town and mills of Hereford by Huntyngdon and which William Gambon had of the grant of Edward III. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 1.

1399. Dec. 2. Westminster. Grant, during pleasure, to the king's son Humphrey that in the manors of Cokham and Bray, co. Berks, and the manor of Middelton, and hundreds of Middelton and Merden, co. Kent, lately granted to him and the heirs of his body by letters patent, he shall have wards, marriages and escheats with forests, chaces, parks, woods, warrens, fairs, markets, waters, ways, fisheries, commons, assarts, wastes and purprestures, courts, views of frank-pledge, hundreds, wapentakes, wreck and waif, royal liberties and free customs, and all fines, ransoms, amercements, forfeited issues, all that pertains to the king from year, day, waste, forfeitures and murders, chattels of felons and fugitives, returns of writs and summons, the nomination of justices in eyre of the forest and all fines, issues, amercements, forfeitures and profits from such eyre. By p.s.

1400. April 12. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Henry Botquenezlle of Brittany, whom the king has retained for life, of 40*l.* yearly from the issues of the petty custom in the port of London, in lieu of grants of 10*l.* yearly by letters patent of the king's father John, late duke of Lancaster, confirmed by the king when duke of Hereford, and 10*l.* yearly by letters patent of the king when duke of Hereford, surrendered. By K.

Sept. 15. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's kinswoman Joan late the wife of Thomas, last earl of Kent, of the manor of Depyng, co. Lincoln, to the value of 264*l.* 15*s.* 1½*d.*, notwithstanding that she has had livery of all her lands and rents to the value of 200*l.* yearly in which she was enfeoffed jointly with her husband by a fine levied in the court of Richard II. By K.

1399. Nov. 15. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 6 July, 19 Richard II, granting for life to John Fraunceys 44*s.* yearly.

1400.

MEMBRANE 39d.

May 12. Westminster. Commission to Robert Echyngham, Robert Oxenbrigg, Henry Horne and William Bertyn to survey the port of Wynchelse from a place called Camer to Bodyham and appoint certain convenient places where stones, sand and other ballast may be shot and to proclaim that such shall not be shot in the channel, which has in this manner been filled up and blocked, and to certify thereon to the king.

MEMBRANE 38d.

June 17. Westminster. Commission to Thomas Foliambe, John Pavy, Robert Tame and the sheriff of Derby to enquire into the petition of Joan the daughter of Hugh, late earl of Stafford, late the wife of Thomas, last earl of Kent, son of Thomas de Holand, late earl of Kent, that whereas her husband on the day of his forfeiture held enfeoffed jointly with her the manor of Chestrefeld, co. Derby, of the grant of the said late earl and Alesia his wife to them and the heirs of their bodies by a fine levied in the court of Richard II before Robert de Charleton and his fellows, late justices of the Bench, and the manor was taken into the king's hands on account of the said forfeiture the king will remove his hands from it and restore to her the issues of the same from the death of her husband.

By K.

June 16. Westminster. The like to John Rippynghale, John Pavy, Robert Thame and the sheriff of Lincoln to enquire into a like petition of the said Joan touching the manor of Brunne and 80*l.* rent in Skeldynghope, co. Lincoln, except 700 acres of wood in the manor, granted to them and the heirs of their bodies, and the said wood granted to them and the heirs of the said Thomas of her body. By K. & C.

The like to Nicholas Caldecote, John Pavy, Robert Thame and the sheriff of Rutland to enquire into a like petition of the said Joan touching the manor of Wyssenden, co. Rutland. By K. & C.

July 7. Westminster. Commission to Philip Holgot, Roger Partrych, Henry Moton, John Gomond and the sheriff of Hereford to take into the king's hands all lands of which Alice, deceased, tenant in chief, late the wife of Maculin de la Mare, was seised in the said county and to enquire what lands she held in the county, what they are worth, on what day she died and who is her heir and of what age.

MEMBRANE 28d.

July 2. Westminster. Commission to Henry Fitz Hugh, 'chivaler,' Ralph de Euer, 'chivaler,' Robert Wiclif, clerk, and William Lambard to enquire whether two parts of the manor of Brerden, a moiety of the town of Hartelawe and a toft and 10 acres of land in Caldestrother, co. Northumberland, wherof Gilbert de Middelton, deceased, was seised in his demesne as of fee, and the reversion of the third part of the same which Juliana his mother held in dower of his inheritance in the time of Edward II were held of John de Clyfford as of the barony of Gange by knight-service and by him of the said king by the same service or whether the said Gilbert held them immediately of the said king; whether the same by the forfeiture of the said Gilbert for high treason were taken into the hands of the said king and the said king by letters patent granted them to Thomas de

1400. *Membrane 28d—cont.*

Heton, 'chivaler,' and the heirs male of his body and Edward III by letters patent confirmed these letters to the said Thomas and his heirs in fee; whether the said Thomas afterwards on the death of the said Juliana entered on the third part and granted the whole to Thomas his bastard son and his heirs and assigns and died without lawful issue; and if in the time of a livery of the said moiety and other lands sued from Edward III by Henry the brother and heir of Thomas son of Thomas the bastard, who died a minor and without issue, or before, anyone who held the said manor or moiety was seised of the manor of Cheuelyngham, co. Northumberland, or this last manor on the death of anyone by reason of the custody of the said lands was taken into the hands of any of the king's progenitors or of the king before the taking of an inquisition on the death of the said Henry, and the said moiety or town of Hertlawe and manor of Brerden were held of the king or his progenitors and others according to the said letters of Edward II and Edward III and by the forfeiture of the said John of the said barony and not otherwise nor in chief, as was found by the said inquisition and another inquisition taken on the death of the said Thomas the bastard and accepted by the said Henry at the time of his suit for the said livery. By K.

July 15. Westminster. Commission to Roger Wolfreston, William Rokwode, William Clopton and John Deynes, serjeant at arms, to arrest John Mersey, monk of the abbey of St. John, Colcestre, which is of the king's patronage, whom the abbot and convent sent to the priory of Snapes, co. Suffolk, a cell of the abbey, to celebrate divine service there and govern the cell in the absence of the abbot according to their ordinance, and who scheming to separate the priory from the abbey has obtained divers bulls, exemptions and privileges in the court of Rome and proposes to go to foreign parts for more to the disherison of the abbey, and bring him with the bulls, exemptions and privileges before the king and council.

July 1. Westminster. Commission to John Joce, 'chivaler,' William Gwyn and Stephen White to examine the record and process of a suit before John Penros, late justice of South Wales, at Haverford between Richard II and David Flemyng, now deceased, and Warin Archedekne and Robert Verney and Eleanor his wife touching the manors of Roche and Pill within the lordship of Haverford and to make execution of their judgement. Richard II, learning that there was an error to the loss of the said Warin, Robert and Eleanor, by letters patent appointed the said commissioners and Maurice Gwyn, now deceased, to examine the record and process and correct any errors and do justice, and after examining the record and process and warning the said David they quashed the judgement of the said John Penros, but their power ceased by the deposition of the said king before execution of their judgement was made. By p.s.

July 18. Westminster. Commission to William Loueney, keeper of the great wardrobe, to take horses for the carriage of divers things concerning his office in the king's presence to Scotland. By C.

MEMBRANE 15d.

Sept. 18. Westminster. Commission to the mayor of Hereford and Philip Holgot, citizen of the city, to enquire into divers extortions, oppressions, trespasses and injuries committed by Thomas Byton of the said city against the king's clerk Master John Profyt, dean of the cathedral church of Hereford, who is one

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of the king's council and intent on the king's service, and his ministers and servants dwelling in the city and occupied about his business in his absence, and other lieges of the king of the city and the suburbs of the same, as appears in a bill exhibited to the king and council, which the king is sending to them. By C.

MEMBRANE 14*d*.

July 30. Westminster. Commission to Robert Whytynton, Thomas Walweyn of Mychelmarcle, Henry Moton, John Willym and the escheator and sheriff in the county of Gloucester to enquire what lands Richard Talbot, 'chivaler,' deceased, held of Richard II and others in the said county, what they are worth, on what day he died and who is his heir and who has occupied the lands since his death. By C.

Aug. 3. Westminster. Commission to John Hervy, John Reyner and the escheator and sheriff in the county of Bedford to enquire into the petition of the king's sister Elizabeth de Lancastre late the wife of John de Holand, late earl of Huntyngdon, that as she long before his death held jointly enfeoffed with him the manor of Stevyngton, co. Bedford, which was taken into the king's hands by his forfeiture, the king shall remove his hands from the manor with the issues thereof from the death of the said earl.

The like to Edmund Spersholt, William Staverton and the escheator and sheriff in the county of Berks to enquire into a like petition of the said Elizabeth touching the manor of Ardyngton.

Aug. 24. Westminster. Commission to Philip de Courtenay, 'chivaler,' John Sanford and Robert Markele, serjeant at arms, to enquire into the concealment of certain sums of money due to the king from the ulnage of cloths within the county of Devon. By C.

Commission to Hugh Courtenay, 'chivaler,' Thomas Brook, 'chivaler,' James Chuddelegh, 'chivaler,' John Herle, 'chivaler,' Martin Ferrers, John Copleston, Mark Mokelstowe, John Prestcote and Robert Markele, serjeant at arms, to enquire into certain wastes, dilapidations and destructions committed in the king's lordships within the counties of Devon and Cornwall, all concealments within the counties and the taking to foreign parts from the said counties of tin not coined or customed. By C.

Aug. 6. Westminster. Commission to William Gascoigne, John Conyers, William Lodyngton, John Pokelyngton, Thomas Bridsale and the escheator and sheriff in the county of York to enquire into the petition of Warin Waldegrave that whereas he and Richard Abberbury, knight, John Waltham, clerk, and Edmund Giffard were lately seised in their demesne as of fee of the manor of Langeton, co. York, with knights' fees and advowsons of churches and other appurtenances of the grant of John, late earl of Huntyngdon, by the name of John Holand, 'chivaler,' as appears by his charter dated 14 July, 9 Richard II, enrolled on the rolls of Chancery, and continued their estate therein and the said Richard, John and Edmund died and the said Warin was seised alone and continued his estate therein until he was unjustly removed by colour of an inquisition taken before John Asplion and other commissioners, by which it was found that the said earl held the manor on the day on which he made forfeiture, the king will deliver the same to him again. By p.s.

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Sept. 6. Westminster. Mandate to all sheriffs and others at the information of John Brampton of Wyndesore, whom the king has appointed to search out all spies within the realm, to arrest all such and bring them before the king and council with all speed. By C.

MEMBRANE 13*d*.

Aug. 27. Westminster. Commission to Martin Ferers, Ralph Chalons, Robert Markeley, serjeant at arms, John Scarburgh, John Bitham, serjeant at arms, and John Brakle to arrest William Benteleye, mayor of Plymmouth, and bring him before the king and council and to seize all goods of him and of Richard Spycer of Plymmouth which have come into his hands and keep them in safe custody; as in the acts of the court of Admiralty of England it was found that he acknowledged himself to be answerable for the sum of 2,000 and nearly 3,000 marks for goods captured for the said Richard at sea, as appears by a certificate of Thomas Percy, earl of Worcester, admiral of England and Ireland, sent into Chancery, and he lately confessed verbally before the king and council that he had in his custody of the goods so captured chattels to the value of 2,000 marks, and now the king understands that he intends to flee to foreign parts and dissipate the said goods and chattels. By C.

Sept. 4. Westminster. Commission *de walliis et fossatis* to John Colepepir, William Makenade, Stephen Batenham, John Martyn, and John Neweport along the coast of the Thames in the marshes of Derteford and Stone, co. Kent.

Sept. 6. Westminster. Commission to Hugh de Waterton, 'chivaler,' John Chaundos, 'chivaler,' Roger Partrich, Philip Holcote, John Gomond and the sheriff of Hereford, as the king understands that a fine was levied at Westminster, on the morrow of All Saints, 6 Richard II, before Robert Bealknap and his fellows, justices of the Bench, between Maculin de la Mare and Alice his wife, plaintiffs, and Roger Nassh, clerk, Robert Bourne, clerk, Nicholas Baker, clerk, and Robert Herle, deforciants, touching the manors of Little Hereford and Yatton, co. Hereford except 7 messuages and 8½ virgates of land in the said manor of Little Hereford, by which the latter granted the reversion of the manors on the death of Peter de la Mare, who held them for life of their inheritance, to the said Maculin and Alice and the heirs of their bodies with remainder to Thomas de la Mare and the heirs of his body, and the said Maculin and Alice have died without heir of their bodies and the said Peter and Thomas have died and the manor of Little Hereford is held in chief by knight-service and so should be taken into the king's hands by reason of the minority of Joan the daughter and heiress of the said Thomas, to whom the premises remain, to enquire of whom the manors are held and by what service, what they are worth, whether they should remain to the said Joan and of what age she is, and to take the premises into the king's hands if they find that she is a minor and the manor of Little Hereford is held in chief. By C.

MEMBRANE 12*d*.

Aug. 22. Westminster. Whereas the barons of the Cinque Ports and the good men of other ports in the north by the king's command and of their own free will have sent by sea to Scotland ships, barges, balingers and other vessels well

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arrayed with armed men and archers and laden with victuals for the king and his army, and the king has now at last entered Scotland with his army and has directed the mayors, bailiffs and other good men of divers cities and towns in the west and the wardens of the ports of the same to array their ships and send them with all speed by the Irish sea to Scotland and wishes that they shall have to the use of themselves and the said armed men and archers all that they may take from the king's enemies, provided that no injury be done to the king's friends or other allies of the king's kinsman of France except those of Scotland and Frisland; the king has appointed Philip Courtenay and Robert Markeley, serjeants at arms, and John Scardeburgh, esquire, to the governance of the said ships and the armed men, archers and mariners in them by the advice of the masters. By C.

MEMBRANE 11*d*.

Sept. 25. Westminster. Commission to William Reuere, John Roo and Henry Roberd, servants of the sheriffs of London, to arrest Nicholas Shawe, John Samme, John Fechedum, John Chadworth, Alexander Coterell, Thomas Brewester, William Fissher, Thomas Draper, one Gregory and others of their society, who are notorious robbers and go about the realm killing and robbing and committing other crimes, and take them to Neugate gaol and deliver them to the said sheriffs.

By C. by testimony of William Hyde, one of the sheriffs of London.

MEMBRANE 2*d*.

Feb. 18. Westminster. Commission to William Nevyll, 'chivaler,' William de Rempston, William de Leek and William Jorse to enquire into the capture of salmon and fry in the river Trent in the county of Lincoln contrary to the statute of Westminster the second and the statute of 18 Richard II, and to punish the offenders according to the statutes.

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Aug. 6. Newcastle on Tyne. Request to the king of the Scots to do homage and fealty to the king on Monday, 23 August, at Edenburgh as his predecessors have done to the kings of England and especially William to Henry II and John, Alexander to Henry III and Edward I, John de Baliolo to Edward I and Edward son of the said John de Baliolo to Edward III, and to cause all prelates and magnates of Scotland also to come. [*Fœdera.*] By K. & C.

Aug. 7. Newcastle on Tyne. Request to all dukes, earls and other magnates of Scotland to induce the king of the Scots to do homage and fealty as above and, if he will not assent, to do homage and fealty themselves at the said day and place. [*Fœdera.*] By K. & C.

Aug. 7. Newcastle on Tyne. Mandate to William Fulthorpe, Thomas Picworth and Gerard Heron, knights, John Curson, John Mitford and Edward Ildirton, esquires, to read the above letters to the king, prelates and magnates of Scotland in person if possible and, if not, in Kelcowe, Dryburgh, Gedworth, Melros and Edenburgh and other public places in Scotland and to certify to the king. [*Fœdera.*] By K. & C.

Aug. 21. Leith. Renewal of the preceding request to the king of the Scots, to which David, duke of Rothesay, his firstborn and lieutenant, wrote letters in which he called the king his adversary of England, falsely charged him with seeking the riches of Scotland, and, though wishing like the king to avoid the shedding of Christian blood, offered to fight him with 300, 200 or 100 nobles, as though the blood of nobles were not Christian. [*Fœdera.*] By K.

Aug. 6. Newcastle on Tyne. Mandate to the king's clerk Robert Claydon, keeper of the hanaper of Chancery, to deliver without fee certain letters patent in his custody (*see p.* 355) granting pardon to Bernard Brabaner, 'webster.' By K.

Aug. 6. Newcastle on Tyne. Commission to William Jonesson, owner of a balinger called *la George* of Newcastle on Tyne and another balinger called *la Vaucoun* of Newcastle on Tyne, and William Bigge, master of the first, to take mariners called 'lodesmen' for the governance and guidance of the king's great ship called *la Trinite*, of which John Mayhewe is master, and other mariners for the balingers. By K.

July 27. Newcastle on Tyne. Grant to John Bathe of the prebend of Wyvelescombe in the cathedral church of Wells, in the king's gift by reason of the temporalities of the bishopric of Bath and Wells being in his hands through voidance. By K.

Mandate in pursuance to the guardian of the spirituality of the bishopric. By K.

Mandate in pursuance to the dean and chapter.

Aug. 1. Newcastle on Tyne. Grant to the king's clerk John Elvet of the prebend of Leghton Bosard in the cathedral church of St. Mary, Lincoln. By K.

Mandate in pursuance to H. bishop of Lincoln. By K.

Mandate in pursuance to the dean and chapter. By K.

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June 26. York. Mandate to the mayor of Kyngeston on Hull and William Berton of the same town, merchant, to deliver to William Pietru of Brittany, merchant, a barge laden with 85 pipes of wine and 12 dozen lampreys which he had freighted in the port of Nantes in Brittany to take to the port of Lesclus in Flanders and which when sailing at sea was seized by the men of the said William Berton and taken to the port of Kyngeston. By K.

MEMBRANE 35.

June 21. Pontefract Castle. Licence for John Tuttebury of Hull, merchant, owner of two balingers and a ship called *le Petre* of Hull and another called *le Gabriel* of Hull, to take mariners, men at arms and archers for the governance and defence of the same to go to sea to fight against the king's enemies of Scotland and Frysland; grant that of all that he may gain from these enemies of the king he may have one moiety for himself and his balingers and ships and the other moiety for the mariners, men at arms and archers; and grant that if any person of the said town of Hull has harness for one man at arms or armed man and does not wish to go to sea as above the said John may take the harness for the defence of the balingers and ships, provided that he find security for the harness or the value of the same and find victuals for the mariners, men at arms and archers. By K.

The like for William Terry of Hull, merchant, owner of a balinger and a ship called *le George* of Hull. By K.

July 30. Newcastle on Tyne. The like for John Leget of Whitby, owner of a ship called *le George* of Whitby, omitting the clause about harness. By K.

June 21. Pontefract Castle. Safe-conduct, until Michaelmas, for the king's kinsman, George Dunbarre, earl of March of Scotland, coming within the realm for a colloquy with the king, and his men to the number of 50. By K.

July 2. York. The like, for 10 weeks, for Master John de Merton, archdeacon of Tevidale, and Adam Forster, esquire, of Scotland, who have come to treat with the king or his commissaries on the part of Robert, the king's adversary of Scotland, concerning peace or a truce and propose to return to their own parts and thence to come back to the king in person, and their men to the number of 25. By K.

July 7. York. The like, until the last day of August, for John Swynton of Scotland, 'chivaler,' who proposes to come within the realm to the king in person, and his men to the number of 20. By K.

Aug. 2. Newcastle on Tyne. The like, until Martinmas, for the king's kinsman George de Dunbarre, earl of March of Scotland, and Cristiana his wife, George de Dunbarre the younger, Gaweyn de Dunbarre, Columba de Dunbarre, Paton de Dunbarre, John de Dunbarre and David de Dunbarre, his sons, and Elizabeth his daughter, coming within the realm, with his servants and other persons to the number of 80. By K.

The like for Alexander Gourley of Scotland, esquire, coming within the realm with three persons in his company. By K.

July 16. York. Commission to Richard Lancastre king of arms, and John Orwell, serjeant at arms, to go with and conduct Karl de Savoisy, knight of the power of France, and others of his company, knights and esquires, coming within the realm to do certain feats of arms in the king's presence. [*Fœdera.*] By K.

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July 18. York. Protection with clause *volumus*, for one year, for Edward Charleton, knight, going on the king's service and in his company to Scotland. By K.

July 26. Newcastle on Tyne. The like for John de Pylkyngton, 'chivaler,' going on the king's service to Scotland. By K.

July 27. Newcastle on Tyne. The like for John Tourney also going. By K.

June 27. Pontefract Castle. The like for William Snayth, going on the king's service to the Isle of Man. By K.

June 26. York. Appointment of the king's clerk Master Alan Newerk and the king's esquire John Mitford as the king's commissaries to treat with the commissaries of Robert, his adversary of Scotland, concerning peace or a truce. By K.

July 8. York. The like of Ralph de Euere, 'chivaler,' and the said Alan and John. By K.

Aug. 6. Newcastle on Tyne. Mandate to the king's clerk Robert Claydon, keeper of the hanaper of Chancery, to deliver to the king's kinswoman queen Isabel or her attorney 400*l.* from the issues of the hanaper for the expenses of her household. By K.

Order to the captain of the town of Berwick on Tweed and his lieutenant to command all soldiers there not to leave the castle and town but to stay there for the defence of the same.

The like to the captain of the castle of Rokesbergh and his lieutenant.

Aug. 4. Newcastle on Tyne. Grant for life to the king's knight Thomas Rempston, steward of the household, of the custody of the king's castle of Notyngham with the supervision of the forest of Shirwode and the parks of Beskwode and Clypston within the forest with wages, fees, meadows, feedings, pastures, mills and other profits and commodities as William Arundell or John Golafre or William de Neville or anyone else had. By K.

Aug. 1. Newcastle on Tyne. Safe-conduct, until Easter, for Ector de Pontbreant of the power of France, esquire, and his men to the number of 15 persons. By K.

July 8. York. Mandate to the king's clerk Robert Claydon, keeper of the hanaper of Chancery, to deliver without fee certain letters patent in his custody (*see p.* 352) granting safe-conduct to George Dunbarre, earl of March of Scotland, and Master John Merton, archdeacon of Tevydale, and Adam Forster. By K.

MEMBRANE 34.

Aug. 4. Newcastle on Tyne. Acquittance of the king's clerk John Elvet of certain sums of money lent to the king which he has received at the king's command, viz. 200*l.* from the mayor and burgesses of Kyngeston on Hull, 100*l.* from William Rolleston, William Ythome and Stephen Coppandale of Beverley, 100*l.* from John Kelk and William Byrde of Beverley, 100*l.* from John Grene of Grantham, 300*l.* from the mayor and good men of Coventre and 20*l.* from William Spenser of Leycestre, and which at the king's command he has delivered to the king's esquire John Curson for the payment of the wages of the king's soldiers on his present journey to Scotland. By K.

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Aug. 5. Newcastle on Tyne. Prohibition to the prior and brethren of the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England from going to any foreign parts without the king's special licence and from suing anything in the court of Rome or elsewhere without the realm to the king's prejudice. [*Fœdera.*] *Et erat patens.* By K.

The like to the prior and brethren of the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in Ireland. *Et erat patens.* By K.

July 17. York. Grant, in furtherance of earlier grants, to the king's uncle Edmund, duke of York, and the heirs male of his body of the park of Reileygh and the hundred of Rocheford, co. Essex, which Aubrey de Veer, 'chivaler,' held for life, with all profits and commodities from the death of the latter without rendering anything to the king, so that after the death of the duke the value of the park and hundred shall be deducted from the 1,000*l.* yearly granted to him and his heirs by Richard II, provided that if the premises or any parcel are recovered against them they shall have allowance; and grant to him for life of the castle and lordship of Hadleygh, co. Essex, which the said Aubrey likewise held for life, with parks, warrens, mills, waters, fisheries, moors, marshes, knights' fees, advowsons, wards, marriages, courts, views of frank-pledge, liberties, franchises, members, profits and commodities from the death of the said Aubrey, with remainder to his son Edward, earl of Rutland, for life; with enjoyment of all other possessions granted to him and his heirs by Edward III, Richard II and the king, provided that they maintain the castle and lordship and their members without waste and support all charges. By K.

Aug. 1. Newcastle on Tyne. Grant to Henry Coton, clerk, in repayment of 40 marks lent by him to the king for his expenses in his present journey to Scotland and delivered to the king's clerk William Hyde, of 40 marks from the customs and subsidies of wools, hides and wool-fells in the port of Boston at Easter next. By K.

July 8. York. Pardon to John Burghull, bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, of all sums of money due from him to the king for the escape from his prison of Eccleshale of John Davy, John Wetenhull *alias* de Prees, William Osebarne and John Mountford, clerks convicted or attainted delivered to his custody according to privilege of clergy. By K.

Commission, until St. Laurence, to the king's esquire Arnald Buada to take horses for divers businesses of the king to be done by him. By K.

The like to Thomas Haselden, esquire.

July 25. Newcastle on Tyne. Grant for life to the king's esquire Janico Dartasso of 100*l.* yearly from the custom and subsidy of wools, hides and wool-fells in the port of Boston. By K.

July 18. York. Grant to the mayor and citizens of York, in repayment of 500 marks lent by them to the king and delivered to him in person in his necessity before he undertook the governance of the realm and 1,000 marks lent by them to him for the expenses of his household in his present journey to Scotland and delivered to the king's clerk John Legbourne, that they shall have payment of the same from the customs and subsidy of wools, hides and wool-fells shipped in their names in the port of Kyngeston on Hull. [*Fœdera.*] By K.

The like to the mayor and burgesses of Kyngeston on Hull for 100*l.* and 200*l.* lent by them as above and delivered to the king in person. [*Fœdera.*] By K.

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Aug. 6. Newcastle on Tyne. Commission to William Repyngton, Walter Drury and John Kirkeby to take carriage and horses for carrying the king's jewels. By K.

MEMBRANE 33.

July 6. York. Commission, during the king's present journey to Scotland, to John Feriby and John Brian to take ships for the carriage of wheat, wine, ale, peas, beans and other victuals for the expenses of the king's household on his journey and the lords and others in his company, and men at arms or armed men, archers and mariners for the same. By K.

July 27. Newcastle on Tyne. Grant to the mayor, bailiffs and good men of Hertilpole of murage for ten years. By K.

Presentation of Robert Tunstall, king's clerk, to the church of Great Dunmowe, in the diocese of London. By K.

Aug. 4. Newcastle on Tyne. Mandate to the king's clerk Robert Claydon, keeper of the hanaper of Chancery, to deliver without fee certain letters patent in his custody (*see pp.* 352, 353) granting safe-conduct to Ector de Pontbreant, George de Dunberre and his family and Alexander Gourley. By K.

Protection with clause *volumus*, for one year, for John Stafford, esquire, going on the king's service and in his company to Scotland. By K.

Aug. 2. Newcastle on Tyne. Protection, for one year, for Francis de Florencia, of the order of Friars Minor, who has entered the realm to prosecute certain business of his concerning the superior of his order and to attend the schools in the University of Oxford. By K.

Aug. 5. Newcastle on Tyne. Pardon to Bernard Brabaner, 'webster,' for all offences committed by him before the Purification except murders and rapes, provided that he be not a common thief or approver, charged with the death of a man or taken with booty, has not broken prison and was not at the murder of the king's uncle the duke of Gloucester. By K.

July 18. York. Grant to William Rolleston, William Ythome and Stephen Coppandale of Beverley, in repayment of 100*l.* lent by them to the king for the expenses of his household in his present journey to Scotland and delivered to him in person, that they shall have payment of the same from the customs and subsidy of wools, hides and wool-fells shipped in their names in the port of Kyngeston on Hull.

The like for the following:—

John Kelk and William Byrde of Beverley for 100*l.* in the said port. By K.

July 26. Newcastle on Tyne. John Grene of Grantham for 100*l.* in the port of Boston. By K.

Aug. 1. Newcastle on Tyne. The mayor, bailiffs and good men of Coventre for 300*l.* in the port of London. By K.

Aug. 8. Newcastle on Tyne. William Spencer of Leycestre for 20*l.* in the port of London. By K.

Aug. 4. Newcastle on Tyne. Pardon to John Edysdon, charged with having with others on Monday before the Exaltation of the Cross, 21 Richard II, stolen a mare (*jumentum*) worth 18*s.* 4*d.* of the goods of William Haron at Denilston and with

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having with others on Tuesday before All Saints, 21 Richard II, stolen a mare worth 8*s.* of the goods of Nicholas Triggall in the field of Denilston. By K.

July 16. York. Grant to the prior and convent of Bridlyngton of 110 marks yearly from the parish church of Scardeburgh, at present demised at farm at that sum, so long as it remains in the king's hands on account of the war with France. By K.

July 17. York. Mandate to the keepers of the passage in the port of Dover or Sandwich to permit Karl de Savoisy, knight, of the power of France, and other knights and esquires and his men and servants to the number of 100 persons, going to their own parts by the king's licence, to cross in either port with their horses, goods and harness and money for their expenses, provided that they do not bear bows or arrows by colour of this present licence. By K.

July 20. York. Commission to Richard, archbishop of York, the abbot of St. Mary's, York, William Frost, mayor of York, and Thomas Graa, the king having asked divers prelates and other lieges to lend him divers sums of money for his expenses in his present journey to Scotland and to send them to York, to receive all such sums and treat about their repayment and bring them to the king in person. [*Fœdera.*] By K.

Sept. 12. Doncaster. Grant for life to the king's servant Henry Longdon of the manors of Tremworth and Fannes, co. Kent, worth 20*l.* yearly, with all profits and commodities as Henry Yevele, late citizen of London, deceased, had. By K.

Sept. 9. Pontefract. Grant to the king's clerk Robert Gowe of the prebend which Richard Postell, deceased, had in the king's free chapel or college of Wyndesore. By K.

Mandate in pursuance to the dean of the chapel. By K.

MEMBRANE 32.

July 5. York. Writ of aid, until Candlemas, for John Barkere, whom the king has appointed to buy hay, oats, litter and all other things pertaining to the office of the avenary of the household and carriage for the same in accordance with the statute at Westminster, 36 Edward III. *French.*

The like for the following, appointed to buy various victuals and things:—

John Tannere.
William Harpeden.
William Rye.

July 4. York. John Thorne.

July 5. York. Henry Fylungley, serjeant of the scullery. By bill of the steward of the household.

John Bartelat. By bill etc.

July 3. York. Robert Huwet. By bill etc.

Thomas Issynden. By bill etc.

July 4. York. Richard Alcote. By bill etc.

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Sept. 5. Northallerton. Grant for life, or until the king shall make other ordinance for his estate, to Lypolt Kekeretz, knight, of 40*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By K.

Grant for life to Beatrice de Ros that when she passes any of the king's parks and forests she may enter and hunt therein with her servants and take one or two deer. [*Fœdera.*] By K.

The like to Elizabeth de Clifford. By K.

Sept. 8. Pontefract. Grant for life, or until the king shall make other ordinance for his estate, to William Palmere of 10*l.* yearly from the issues of the great custom of Newcastle on Tyne. By K.

July 18. York. Grant to the mayor and citizens of York, in repayment of 500 marks lent by them to the king in his necessity before he undertook the governance of the realm and received by him in person and 1,000 marks lent by them to him for the expenses of his household in his present journey to Scotland and received by the king's clerk Thomas Tutbury, treasurer of the household, at the hands of John Legburne, clerk, that they shall have payment of the same from the customs and subsidy of wools, hides and wool-fells shipped in their names in the port of Kyngeston on Hull. By K.

Sept. 19. Northampton. Commission, for one month, to John Hampton, esquire, to take horses for divers businesses of the king to be done by him. By K.

The like to Roger Acton, esquire. By K.

Sept. 22. Coventry. Mandate to the king's clerk Robert Claydon, keeper of the hanaper of Chancery, to deliver without fee certain letters patent in his custody (*see p.* 356) granting to Henry Longdon the manors of Trenworth and Fannes, co. Kent, for life. By K.

Sept. 4. Durham. Grant for life to the king's knight Richard de Arundell of the office of constable of the castle of Rochester with the profits and commodities pertaining to it as William de Arundell, knight, deceased, his brother, had. By K.

Sept. 22. Coventry. Presentation of the king's clerk Thomas Tuttebury to the church of Aston Clynton, in the diocese of Lincoln. By K.

MEMBRANE 31.

Sept. 19. Northampton. Order to the sheriff of Warwick and Leicester to cause a proclamation to be made requiring all fencible men, knights, esquires, archers and others, to come with all speed to the king's person, as divers men in North Wales have risen in insurrection, taken divers castles and fortresses in those parts and the marches and killed, imprisoned and despoiled certain of the king's lieges, and the king intends to go to those parts in person to resist them and to pass the night at Coventre on Monday next. [*Fœdera.*] By K.

The like to the sheriffs in the following counties:—

Nottingham and Derby.	Gloucester.
Worcester.	Hereford.
Salop.	Northampton.
Stafford.	

1400. *Membrane* 31—*cont.*

Aug. 8. Felton. Licence for Roger Thornton, William de Esyngton, Robert Gobesore, William Langton, and William Midelton, merchants of Newcastle on Tyne, and their fellows and Nicholas de Blakbourn of Rychemond to buy wools, hides and wool-fells to the sum of 2,000 sacks of wool of the growth of England, counting one last of hides for two sacks of wool and 240 wool-fells for one sack of wool, and take them to the said town of Newcastle on Tyne and ship them in the port of the same to Flanders or other foreign parts of the king's friendship, paying the customs and subsidies due in England and the moneys accustomed to be paid at Calais. By K.

Sept. 11. Doncaster. Mandate to the bailiffs of the town of Scardeburgh and the keepers of the passage in the port of the same to set free divers ships of Holand, Seland and Flanders and the merchants and mariners of the same, lately seized by them in pursuance of a general mandate of the king, after taking oath and security from the lords masters of the ships that they will not take any victuals to Scotland and provided that they are not of the allegiance of Scotland or Friesland. By K.

The like to the bailiffs of the town of Great Jernemuth and the keepers of the passage in the port. By K.

Sept. 19. Northampton. Order to the sheriff of York to be ready with all fencible men of the county, whom he was lately appointed by letters patent to array, to go with the king's kinsmen Henry, earl of Northumberland, warden of the marches of England towards Scotland in the parts of la Westmarche, and Henry de Percy 'le fitz,' warden in the parts of la Estmarche, for the defence of the realm when required by them. By K.

The like to the sheriffs in the following counties:—
Cumberland.
Northumberland.
Westmoreland.

July 7. York. Safe-conduct, until the last day of August, for John Swynton of Scotland, 'chivaler,' coming within the realm to the king's person, and his men to the number of 20. [*Fœdera.*] By K.

Sept. 3. Durham. Protection, for one year, for the abbot and monks of Jedeworth and the abbey and their men and possessions, provided that they do not do anything to the king's prejudice. By K.

Sept. 4. Durham. Grant for life, or until the king shall make other ordinance for his estate, to John Kerre, esquire, of 10*l.* yearly from the custom in the town of Newcastle on Tyne. By K.

Sept. 3. Durham. The like to Robert Swynhowe, esquire, of 20 marks yearly at the hands of the customers of the said town. By K.

Aug. 6. Newcastle on Tyne. Licence for the king's kinsman Henry de Percy, earl of Northumberland, constable of England, to grant the castle and manor of Werkeworth, co. Northumberland, and the manors of Lekyngfiede, Catton, Spofford, Topcliff, Cletop, Stauerbotill and Bukden, co. York, held in chief, to the king's kinsman Thomas de Percy, earl of Worcester, his brother, William de Stirkeland, bishop of Carlisle, Thomas de Anlaby, clerk, William de Neusome, esquire, Thomas de Watton, esquire, and John de Mitford, esquire, to hold with knights' fees, advowsons of churches, wards, marriages, reliefs and escheats for sixteen years. By K.

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MEMBRANE 30.

Sept. 22. Coventry. Writ of aid, until Easter, for William Rokkesley, whom the king has appointed to buy capons, eggs, hens, pullets and other things for the office of the poultry of the household and carriage for the same in accordance with the statute at Westminster, 36 Edward III. *French.* By bill of the steward of the household.

The like for the following :—

July 5. York. John Blakesley, until Candlemas. By bill etc.

Sept. 9. Pontefract. John Chapman, until the Annunciation. By bill etc.

John Herfeld. *French.* By bill etc.

Sept. 9. Pontefract. The like, until the Annunciation, for Robert Bedford, the king's ferreter, appointed to buy rabbits and fowls. *French.* By bill etc.

Sept. 10. Pontefract. Protection with clause *volumus*, for one year, for Poncius, lord of Castelhon, going on the king's service to Aquitaine. By K.

Sept. 4. Durham. Grant, during pleasure, to the prioress and nuns of Halystan of 8 marks yearly from the farm of the town of Berwick on Tweed. By K.

Sept. 23. Lichfield. Thomas Ryngwode is sent to the abbot and convent of Abbotesbury, co. Dorset, to receive such sustenance in their house as Thomas Stanes, deceased, had. By K.

Sept. 19. Northampton. Mandate to the bailiffs and good men of Shrewsbury to take security from all Welshmen residing within the town that they will be faithful to the king and to arrest and imprison all who will not find security and to keep the town safely against the invasion of the rebels until the king's arrival. [*Fœdera.*] By K.

MEMBRANE 29.

Sept. 26. Shrewsbury. Order to the sheriff of Bristol to receive one quarter of Grenowe ap Tuder of Wales, who lately rose in insurrection against the king, and place it upon the gates of the town of Bristol opening towards Wales to remain there as long as it can. By K.

The like to the following :—

The bailiffs of Ludlowe.

The mayor and bailiffs of Hereford.

Sept. 26. Shrewsbury. Like order, under the privy seal, to the mayor and bailiffs of Chester. *French.*

Sept. 26. Shrewsbury. Order to the sheriff of Salop to cause a proclamation to be made requiring all victuallers to come with all their victuals to the king and his army, going to Wales to resist the traitors. By K.

Sept. 3. Durham. Grant for life to John Fox of 20*l.* yearly from the custom and subsidy of wools, hides and wool-fells in the port of Newcastle on Tyne. By K.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because the king on 10 *February in the seventh year granted the same to him from the issues of the county of Cumberland.*

Pardon to John Wallyngford of Southwerk, 'barbour,' for all treasons, felonies and trespasses committed by him except murders and rapes.

Order to the sheriff of Warwick and Leicester to pay to William Byspham the 12*d.* daily granted to him for life on 18 November last from the issues of the said counties, with all arrears. *Et erat patens.*

1400. *Membrane* 29—*cont.*

Sept. 6. Northallerton. Whereas John de Castell, 'souter,' was lately taken with certain booty and before William Gascoigne and his fellows, justices of the peace in the West Riding in the county of York, at Pontefract, acknowledged the felony and sought the coroner and was committed to prison and had a day of appeal but said nothing and the sheriff was ordered to have his body before the said justices at the said town at a certain day to hear judgement, and at that day he was brought before them but they could not proceed to judgement because the coroner with his records was not present, and he was sent back to prison and he and Robert de Cot of Wenslawe, charged with felony, escaped from the gaol of the castle of York out of the custody of Henry Mauncell, keeper of the gaol, the king pardons to the said Henry all that pertains to him in this. By K.

June 21. Pontefract Castle. Licence for John Tuttebury of Hull, merchant, to go to sea to fight against the king's enemies of Scotland and Frisland (*as on p.* 352). By K.

The like to William Terry, merchant of Hull.

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MEMBRANE 40.

1400.

Oct. 8. Westminster. Pardon to Nicholas de Holand for all offences committed by him except rapes of women and common larceny. By p.s.

Oct. 5. Westminster. Presentation of John Wilkynson, chaplain, to the chantry which John de Ratheby, chaplain, lately had in the church of Kirkeby within the soke of Bolyngbrok, in the diocese of Lincoln. By p.s.

Oct. 19. Westminster. Exemplification, at the request of the wardens of the fabric of the church of All Hallows on the Cellar, of the tenour of the enrolment of letters patent dated 5 June, 45 Edward III, granting to them 5½ marks rent.

Oct. 30. Westminster. Ismania late the wife of Robert Euere, staying in Ireland, has letters nominating John Hikilton and Robert Barry her attorneys in England for one year.

Alexander, bishop of Meath, received the attorneys by writ.

Sept. 30. Westminster. Nicholas Haytale and Eleanor his wife, staying in England, have letters nominating John Cruce, 'chivaler,' and Walter Plonket their attorneys in Ireland for one year.

John de Drax, serjeant at arms, received the attorneys by writ until the advent of the nominators to Ireland.

Oct. 1. Westminster. Elizabeth the wife of Richard Rede, staying in England, has letters nominating John Herberd and William Tynbegh her attorneys in Ireland for one year.

John Wakeryng received the attorneys until her return to Ireland.

Oct. 8. Westminster. Grant to the burgesses and good men of the town of Norhampton of murage for two years.

Oct. 4. Westminster. Licence, for 5 marks paid in the hanaper by the prior and convent of the Holy Trinity, London, for the alienation in mortmain to them by Thomas Dofhous, citizen and fishmonger of London, and Avice his wife of 2 marks yearly quit rent from a tenement of the prior and convent in the parish of St. Mary atte Hill in the ward of Billyngisgate, London, held of the king in free burgage, now held and inhabited by John Chaundeler, 'coteler,' situated on the quay of Billyngisgate between the tenement and land sometime of Nigel de Haukeney on the south, the tenement sometime of John Louekyn on the north, the tenement sometime of John Mockyng on the west and the quay sometime of William Jordan towards the water of Billyngesgate on the east.

Oct. 6. Westminster. Grant to Stephen Lote, 'maceon,' of the office of disposer of the king's works of masonry at Westminster and the Tower of London with 12*d.* daily during the works at the hand of the clerk of the works and afterwards for life at the Exchequer with a winter robe yearly at Christmas of the suit of esquires of the household or a sum for it at the hands of the keeper of the great wardrobe, as Henry Yevele, mason, deceased, had of the grant of Edward III and confirmation of Richard II. By p.s.

1400. *Membrane* 40—*cont.*

Oct. 8. Westminster. Pardon to Thomas Russell of Lincoln, for 26*s.* 8*d.* paid by him in the hanaper, of his trespass in selling bread, ale, fish and other victuals in gross and retail while he was one of the bailiffs of the said city.

Oct. 12. Westminster. Presentation of Andrew Swyneford, chaplain, to the church of St. John, Devyses, with the church of St. Mary in the same town annexed to it, in the diocese of Salisbury, void by the resignation of John Wyther.

Oct. 12. Westminster. Revocation of the protection with clause *volumus*, for one year, lately granted by letters patent to Thomas Kyngesford of Newenton by Hethe, one of the victuallers of the castle of Calais, staying on the king's service in the company of the king's knight John Dabrichecourte, captain of the castle, because he delays in the city of London, as appears by certificate of the sheriffs.

Oct. 12. Westminster. Licence, for 4*l.* paid in the hanaper by the king's clerk, Thomas de Stanley, dean of the king's free chapel of St. Martin le Grand, London, and parson of the church of St. Botolph without Aldrichegate, London, annexed to the deanery, for him and John Brademore and Richard Gaynesburgh, wardens of the fabric of the said church, to grant in mortmain a messuage without Aldrichegate, in the parish of the said church, late of John Bathe, late citizen of London, held of the king in free burgage, to a chaplain to celebrate divine service daily for the soul of the said John Bathe and his father and mother and Christina his wife and his children and benefactors and for the support of other charges according to their ordinance.

Oct. 15. Westminster. Presentation of Richard de Dadyngton to the church of Overourton, in the diocese of Lincoln, in the king's gift by reason of the minority of William Botreaux, son and heir of William Botreaux, knight, deceased.

Oct. 4. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Parker of 3*d.* daily at the hands of the collectors of the petty custom in the city of London. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 39.

Oct. 6. Westminster. Presentation of John Gerveys, parson of the church of Burstowe, in the diocese of Winchester, to the church of Busshey, in the diocese of Lincoln, of the immediate jurisdiction of the abbot of St. Albans, on an exchange of benefices with John Balsham.

Oct. 8. Westminster. Presentation of John Benet, parson of the church of Rademeld, in the diocese of Chichester, to the church of Sutton, in the diocese of Winchester, in the king's gift by reason of the temporalities of the abbey of Cherterseye being in his hands, on an exchange of benefices with Robert Peke.

Oct. 7. Westminster. Ratification of the estate which Robert Blundell has as parson of the parish church of Bisschopisburne, in the diocese of Canterbury. By p.s.

The like for the following:—

Nov. 6. Westminster. John Swyft, parson of the parish church of Dychesyate, in the diocese of Bath and Wells. By p.s.

Nov. 9. Westminster. Richard Shawe, prebendary of a prebend in the king's free chapel of Wyndesore. By p.s.

Master Thomas Stowe, dean of the cathedral church of St. Paul, London. By p.s.

Membrane 39—*cont.*

1400.
Nov. 18. Westminster. Griffith Yonge, prebendary of the prebend which Thomas Llyn lately had in the cathedral church of Bangor. By K.

Nov. 30. Westminster. John de Karlell, parson of the church of Kyrkeland, in the diocese of Carlisle.

Dec. 14. Westminster. William Galaundre, parson of the church of Craunfeld, in the diocese of Lincoln, and prebendary of a prebend in the king's free chapel of Westminster. By p.s.

Dec. 20. Westminster. John de Wendlyngburgh, prebendary of the prebend of the altar of St. Mary in the collegiate church of St. John, Beverley, in the diocese of York, and warden of the free chapel of St. John Baptist, Melton Moubray, in the diocese of Lincoln. By K.

1401.
Jan. 6. Westminster. John Doneys, chaplain, prebendary of Sydelisham in the cathedral church of Chichester. By p.s.

Jan. 7. Westminster. Walter Cook, prebendary of Faryndon in the cathedral church of Salisbury. By p.s.

1400.
Aug. 4. Newcastle on Tyne. John Holdenvelt, parson of the parish church of Eston, in the diocese of St. Asaph, which was lately called the portion of Master David in the same. By p.s.
Vacated because in the first year.

1401.
Jan. 22. Westminster. Nicholas Mockyng, prebendary of Llannewennok in the collegiate church of Llandewybreuy, in the diocese of St. Davids, and master or warden of the chapel or college of St. Mary, Byggyng, in the diocese of London. By p.s.

Feb. 11. Westminster. Thomas Bache, archdeacon of Meath and parson of the church of St. Columba, Kenles, in Ireland, united and annexed to the archdeaconry. By p.s.

Feb. 17. Westminster. John Banbury, parson of the church of Hoghham, in the diocese of Lincoln. By p.s.

Feb. 9. Westminster. Henry Chichele, parson of the church of Sherston, in the diocese of Salisbury, and prebendary of Nant Gwyly in the collegiate church of Aber Gwyly in Wales. By p.s.

Feb. 23. Westminster. Thomas Pattesle, parson of the church of Walpole, in the diocese of Norwich. By p.s.

Feb. 25. Westminster. Thomas Harlyng, prebendary of Fytelworth in the cathedral church of Chichester. By p.s.

March 3. Westminster. Robert Bush, canon in the cathedral church of Salisbury and prebendary of Yatesbury in the same. By p.s.

March 10. Westminster. William Hyde, parson of the church of Great Toryton, in the diocese of Exeter. By p.s.

March 18. Westminster. Robert Tanner, vicar of the church of Wedmore, in the diocese of Bath and Wells.

March 21. Westminster. Alan de Newerk, warden or master of the free chapel of Norton. By p.s.

April 8. Westminster. James Muchery, parson of the church of Chynnore, in the diocese of Lincoln.

Membrane 39—*cont.*

1401.
April 12. Westminster. Richard Hopere, parson of the church of Teynton, in the diocese of Lincoln.

April 12. Westminster. Master Robert Hallum, archdeacon of Canterbury.

April 11. Westminster. John Lynton, parson of the church of St. Dunstan in le Est, London.

April 26. Westminster. John Taaf, prebendary of Houth in the metropolitan church of St. Patrick, Dublin, in Ireland. By p.s.

Richard Petir, parson of the church of St. Patrick, Trym, in the diocese of Meath, in Ireland. By p.s.

1400.
Oct. 7. Westminster. Restoration of the priory of Wotton, in the diocese of Worcester, to John Seurayn. (*See p.* 70.) By K.

1401.
June 20. Westminster. The like of the priory of Lodres, in the diocese of Salisbury, to William Burnell, monk of the monastery of St. Mary, Montebourg, of the order of St. Benedict, in the diocese of Coutances. By K.

MEMBRANE 38.

1400.
Oct. 12. Westminster. Presentation of William Beaupas to the church of Llannaber, in the diocese of Bangor.

Oct. 16. Westminster. Presentation of Simon Farwell, vicar of the church of Little Abiton in the diocese of Ely, to the church of Great Blakenham, in the diocese of Norwich, in the king's gift by reason of the alien priory of Okeburn being in his hands on account of the war with France; on an exchange of benefices with David Usk.

Oct. 14. Westminster. Commission to Thomas Abberbury and John Burgh to take horses for the use of the king's kinswoman Isabel, queen of England, going to France with her household. [*Fœdera.*] By C.

Oct. 16. Westminster. Pardon, for 18*s.* 4*d.* paid by them in the hanaper, to Nicholas atte Launde of Tybenham and Thomas Herberd of New Bokenham of their trespass in acquiring to themselves and their heirs from Joan Harolf two messuages, 18½ acres of land and 2 acres of meadow in Bokenham, held in chief, and entering therein without licence; and licence for them to enfeoff Robert Hanne, John Parker and Thomas Smyth of Bokynham and their heirs of the same.

Oct. 12. Westminster. Writ de *intendendo* for Richard Cliderowe, whom the king's servant John Payn, chief butler, has appointed as his deputy in the ports of Newcastle on Tyne, Scarburgh, Whitby and Hertilpole during the king's pleasure. By bill of the butler.

1401.
The like for the following:—
Jan. 6. Westminster. Robert Calch in the ports of Weymuth and Lyme. By bill of the butler.

March 22. Westminster. John de Burnham, clerk, in the ports of Newcastle on Tyne, Scarburgh, Whitby and Hertilpole. By bill of the butler.

1400.
Oct. 22. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the burgesses of the town of Maudon of letters patent dated 10 January, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Westminster, 6 December, 4 Edward III [*Charter Roll,*

1400. *Membrane* 38—*cont.*

4 *Edward III, No.* 24], inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Westminster, 6 June, 18 Edward I [*Charter Roll*, 18 *Edward I, No.* 56], inspecting and confirming a charter of Henry II dated at Pembroke, 7 October. For 60*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Grant to the king's knight Ralph Rocheford of the custody of all lands late of Robert Coyne, deceased, in the counties of Stafford and Salop during the minority of his son and heir with the marriage of the latter without disparagement, and so from heir to heir, provided that he find a competent sustenance for the heir, maintain the houses, buildings, woods, enclosures and gardens without waste and support all other charges. By p.s.

Presentation of William Langeton, prebendary of Appeldurham in the king's free chapel of Boseham, in the diocese of Chichester, to the church of Warbelton, in the same diocese, on an exchange of benefices with Richard Hals.

Oct. 24. Windsor. Signification to W. bishop of Winchester of the royal assent to the election of Thomas Culverdon, monk of the house of Certeseye, as abbot of that place. By K.

Oct. 25. Windsor Castle. Pardon to John Mede of Gloucestre for all felonies committed by him except murder and rapes of women. By p.s.

Oct. 29. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's yeoman Richard Fayremayden of the office of 'rydingforster' within the forest of Wyndesore, with 3*d.* daily for his wages at the hands of the constable of Wyndesore and all other profits and commodities as John Corbette, deceased, had. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 37.

Oct. 21. Westminster. Whereas Robert Cook, parson of the church of Little Shelford, Walter Sterne, Henry Webbe, parson of the church of Seinte Marie atte Hill, London, and Peter Pirly lately acquired to themselves and their heirs from Thomas Frevyle the third part of the manor of Little Shelford, and the advowson of the church of Little Shelford, co. Cambridge, held in chief, and entered on the said third part, and the said Thomas granted to them the reversion of the manor of Caxton and certain lands, rents and services in Wrottyng, co. Cambridge, held in chief, which William Rys and Agnes his wife hold for her life, on her death, without licence; the king with the assent of the council and for 100*l.* paid by the said Robert, Walter, Henry and Peter in the hanaper pardons the trespasses in this.

Oct. 30. Westminster. Grant to the bailiffs and good men of the town of Wych of pavage for two years.

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Feb. 8. Westminster. The like to the bailiffs and good men of the town of Scardeburgh of pavage for three years.

1400.

Oct. 22. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Nicholas Saule of letters patent dated 2 July, 14 Richard II, granting to him for life 6*d.* daily. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 25. Windsor Castle. Grant for life to the king's esquire Richard Boyton of two tuns of wine of Gascony yearly from the king's prise of wines in in the port of Briggewater, co. Somerset. By p.s.

Membrane 37—*cont.*

1400.

Oct. 27. Windsor Castle. Grant for life to the king's esquire William Bowes of 20*l.* yearly from the custom and subsidy of wools, hides and wool-fells in the port of Newcastle on Tyne. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 27 *January, in the third year, the king granted the same to him at the Exchequer.*

Nov. 7. Westminster. Grant to the king's esquire William Loueney of the reversion of all lands, rents, services and reversions which Edward III had of the grant of William Eyston of Istelworth in the towns of Worton, Istelworth, Heston and Houndeslowe, co. Middlesex, and which Alice Fauconer holds for life of his grant, worth 9 marks yearly, to hold for life on her death to that value, provided that he answer for any surplus, notwithstanding that he has for life of the king's grant the manors called Silkeby and Dembleby, co. Lincoln, worth 15*l.* yearly. By p.s.

Nov. 15. Westminster. Appointment, during pleasure, of John Cokayn as chief baron of the Exchequer, receiving the accustomed fee. By K.

Mandate in pursuance to the treasurer and barons of the Exchequer.

MEMBRANE 36.

Oct. 16. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the abbot and monks of Clive of letters patent dated 8 November, 10 Richard II, inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Westminster, 27 October, 14 Edward II [*Charter Roll, 14 Edward II, No.* 30], inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Hereford, 20 August, 12 Henry III. [*Charter Roll,* 12 *Henry III, m.* 1.]

For 5 marks paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 29. Westminster. Presentation of John Hawe, chaplain, to the church of Harnhull, in the diocese of Worcester, void by the resignation of John Oulepenne.

Oct. 20. Westminster. Whereas Master Robert Braybrok, bishop of London, Master Edmund Stafford, bishop of Exeter, Thomas Percy, earl of Worcester, Thomas Stanley, clerk of the rolls of Chancery, Nicholas Myles, clerk, John de Boys, Nicholas Bradshawe, Thomas Charleton, John Durward, Ralph Chaumberleyn and John Lyghtfote lately acquired to themselves and their heirs from Eleanor de Bohun, late duchess of Gloucester, a moiety of the manor of Wetheresfeld and the advowson of the church of the manor, co. Essex, and two parts of the manor of Arnhale, co. Nottingham, held in chief, and the reversion of the third part of the manor of Arnhale which Joan, countess of Hereford, holds in dower after the death of her husband Humphrey de Bohun, late earl of Hereford, and entered therein without licence; the king, for 10*l.* paid to him by the said bishop of London, pardons the trespass in this and grants licence for them to grant the said two parts and reversion of the third part to Sybil Beauchamp for life.

Oct. 26. Windsor. Grant that on the death of the king's kinsman Edward, earl of Rutland, his wife Philippa shall have for life the castle and lordship of Caresbrok in the Isle of Wight, except the constableship of the castle, and the custody of the New Forest with knights' fees and advowsons of churches and other profits and commodities as granted to him by letters patent of Richard II, confirmed by the king. By K.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because Henry V on 10 *December, in his third year, by letters patent granted to her the said Isle and castle and all lordships pertaining to them, except the constableship of the castle.*

1400. *Membrane 36—cont.*

Oct. 24. Windsor. Grant for life to the king's esquire William Yerde of 10*l.* yearly from the issues of the manor of Wynkley Tracy, co. Devon. By K.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because the king granted the same to him on 4 January in the present year.

Oct. 30. Westminster. Grant, during good behaviour, to John Beauchamp of London, 'plomer,' of the office of plumber of the king's works, receiving 12*d.* daily for his wages at the hands of the clerk of the works during the works and afterwards at the Exchequer and a winter robe yearly at Christmas of the suit of esquires of the household, or such sum for this at the hands of the keeper of the great wardrobe as Master William Roberd had. By p.s.

Oct. 28. Westminster. Ratification of the estate which Griffin Yonge, parson of the church of Llannynys, in the diocese of Bangor, has in the said church and chapel of Kyffylyog annexed to it, provided that no plea be pending in the king's court.

The like for the following:—

Nov. 8. Westminster. Thomas Fulmere, parson of the church of Lammerssh, in the diocese of London.

Nov. 4. Westminster. William Bonyngton, master of the house or hospital of St. Thomas of Acres, London. By p.s.

Nov. 10. Westminster. Walter Bullok, chancellor of the cathedral church of Lichefeld and prebendary of the prebend of Alrewas annexed to the chancellorship. By p.s.

William Aumenet, canon of the cathedral church of Lichefeld and prebendary of the prebend of Longedon in the same. By p.s.

Dec. 16. Westminster. William Pountfreyt, parson of the church of Plukle, in the diocese of Canterbury.

Nov. 26. Westminster. Edmund de Marsco, parson of the church of Melsamby, in the diocese of York.

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Jan. 27. Westminster. Henry Bakere, parson of the church of Langle by Maydenston, in the diocese of Canterbury.

Feb. 14. Westminster. John Hody, parson of the church of Wotton Courtenay, in the diocese of Bath and Wells.

March 10. Westminster. John de Shaftesbury, vicar of the church of Lodre, in the diocese of Salisbury.

March 11. Westminster. William Pritewell, chaplain of the chantry in the church of St. Stephen, Colmanstrete, London, founded by Stephen de Fraunsard and John Essex, late citizens of London.

Feb. 10. Westminster. Thomas Welyn, parson of the church of Stoke in Clymeslond, in the diocese of Exeter.

April 16. Westminster. Richard Rodyngton, parson of the church of Llanpadarn in Melenyth, in the diocese of St. Davids.

April 20. Westminster. Thomas Chernok, prebendary of Tassagard in the cathedral church of St. Patrick, Dublin, Ireland. By p.s.

April 24. Westminster. Robert Ragenhill, parson of the church of Whiston, in the diocese of York.

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1401.
May 6. Westminster. John Graunt, vicar of the church of Enford, in the diocese of Salisbury.

May 5. Westminster. Nicholas Couer, parson of the church of Chilmark, in the diocese of Salisbury.

1400.

MEMBRANE 35.

Oct. 22. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Nicholas Langeford of a writing of Walter, the abbot, and the convent of Middelton dated at Middelton in their chapter-house on Thursday, the Conversion of St. Paul, 9 Richard II, receiving him into their confraternity, so that he shall participate in all the spiritual benefits of their order and monastery and after his decease his name shall be sent in their letters with the names of their dead monks throughout all England, and granting to him for life a corrody of bread and ale, viz. seven monk's loaves and seven jousts of conventual ale weekly, a robe yearly with fur of the suit of their esquires and a good chamber within the abbey with litter and fuel, a stable for his horse with sustenance for the same and a yearly rent of 40*s.* from the monastery. He shall help their business with his counsel, and while so doing shall have sustenance in food and drink besides his corrody, and when from debility and infirmity he can no longer labour he shall have recreation in flesh and fish daily from the abbot's kitchen at his chamber as two esquires are served at the abbot's table.
For 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 15. Westminster. Pardon to Richard Sturdy and Richard Marschal of the town of Coventre of the escapes of Thomas Diconson, Robert Sowe, Richard Watour and Thomas Walker, committed to the gaol of the town for divers felonies. By p.s.

Oct. 21. Westminster. Presentation of John Prest, chaplain, to the vicarage of the church of Rislepe, in the diocese of London, in the king's gift by reason of the temporalities of the alien priory of Okeburn being in his hands on account of the war with France.

Oct. 23. Westminster. Restoration, with the assent of the council in Parliament, to the abbot and convent of St. Stephen, Caen, in Normandy, of the power of France, of the advowsons of all their priories, conventual and others, in England and elsewhere within the king's power, in the king's hands on account of the war with France, provided that they present suitable persons to the priories at their voidances, and saving to the king and his heirs and the chief lords the accustomed services. By K.

Nov. 3. Westminster. Presentation of Master Richard Derham to the church of Middelton Chenduyt, in the diocese of Lincoln. By K.

Oct. 28. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Philip Baynard, now tenant of the undermentioned manors, of a charter dated at Gateshead, 8 January, 28 Edward I [*Charter Roll*, 28 *Edward I*, *No.* 40], granting to John Bluet and his heirs a fair at their manor of Helmerton and free warren in their demesne lands of that manor and of Lakham, co. Wilts.
For 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 26. Windsor Castle. Grant for life to the king's esquire William Stathum of 20*l.* yearly from the issues of the manor and lordship of Fremyngton, co. Devon.
By p.s.

1400. *Membrane 35—cont.*

Nov. 2. Westminster. Presentation of John Salman, chaplain, to the church of Gillyngham, in the diocese of Norwich.

Oct. 30. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Thomas Luttelton of 12*l.* yearly from the issues of the county of Worcester. By p.s.
Vacated because in the third year.

Nov. 5. Westminster. Licence for the prior and convent of Burton on Trent to elect an abbot on the cession of Thomas Southam. By K.

Nov. 3. Westminster. Grant for life to Eleanor late the wife of Ralph Lumley, 'chivaler,' of 20*l.* yearly from the customs of the town of Kyngeston on Hull. By p.s.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 1 *January, in the fifth year, the king granted the same to her from the said* 8 *November from the customs of wools, hides and wool-fells in the said port.*

Nov. 1. Westminster. Grant to the king's clerk John Draper of the 10*l.* due to Richard Maudeleyn, clerk, deceased, who made forfeiture to the king, from the yearly pension which he used to receive from the prior and convent of St. Andrew's, Norhampton. By p.s.

Nov. 3. Westminster. Grant to the king's esquires Richard Mawardyn and John Golafre of the custody of all lands late of Thomas Poour, 'chivaler,' deceased, tenant in chief, during the minority of Thomas his son and heir with the marriage of the latter without disparagement, and so from heir to heir, provided that they find a competent sustenance for the heir, maintain the houses, buildings, woods, enclosures and gardens without waste, and support all other charges. By p.s.

Nov. 4. Westminster. Licence for Nicholas Fitz Symond, vicar of the church of St. Patrick, Donaghmore, in the diocese of Meath, in Ireland, to stay in the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge for his learning for five years and receive all profits of his vicarage; and pardon to him of all profits thus received by him from Michaelmas, 22 Richard II. By p.s.

Nov. 5. Westminster. Licence for Hugh Fitz Owyn, parson of the church of Rathcomarthy, in the diocese of Meath, in Ireland, to absent himself from Ireland for three years and continue for his learning at the University of Oxford or Cambridge and in the mean time to receive all profits of his church. By p.s.

Oct. 31. Westminster. Grant to the king's clerk John Eston of the prebend of Houth in the metropolitan church of St. Patrick, Dublin, in Ireland, in the king's gift by reason of the temporalities of the archbishopric of Dublin being lately in the hands of Richard II. By p.s.
Mandate in pursuance to Th. archbishop of Dublin. By the same writ.
Mandate in pursuance to the dean and chapter. By the same writ.

Nov. 6. Westminster. Protection with clause *volumus*, for one year for John Glede, going on the king's service to Ireland, in the company of John de Stanley, lieutenant of Ireland.
Vacated because in the first year.

Nov. 5. Westminster. General pardon to John Cokke of Banbury, co. Oxford. By p.s.

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Oct. 29. Westminster. Grant to the king's clerk John Prentys of the wardenship of the king's free chapel of St. Mary within the castle of Trematon, co. Cornwall. By p.s.

Nov. 4. Westminster. Grant for life to John Passavant of 20*l.* yearly from the issues of all lands and rents late of Griffith Hannemere within the county of Flynt in North Wales, forfeited to the king on account of the rebellion of the latter, and grant to him of all goods forfeited as above to the value of 40 marks. By K.

May 5. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Henry Fouler, serjeant of the larder, of 12*d.* daily from the petty custom in the port of London. By p.s.
Vacated because in the first year.

Nov. 8. Westminster. Pardon to John Thomson Wilkoc for the death of John Dew of Thorne, killed at Thorne on Wednesday before the Purification, 21 Richard II. By p.s.

Oct. 22. Westminster. Grant to the king's knight Hugh Browe and his heirs of all lands, rents and services late of Robert de Pulesdon in the counties of Chester and Salop, in the county of Flynt, in Wales and elsewhere in Wales, forfeited to the kingon account of the treason of the latter with Owyn de Glyndordo in Wales, to hold to the value of 30*l.* yearly so that he answer for any surplus, notwithstanding that by other letters patent the king has granted to him for life 40*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Nov. 4. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's serjeant at arms John Multon of three tuns of wine yearly from the king's prise of wines in the port of Sandwich. By p.s.

Nov. 6. Westminster. Revocation of the protection lately granted to John Glede (*see p.* 369), because he delays in the county of Devon, as John Keynes, sheriff, has certified.

May 27. Westminster. Grant to William la Zouche of Toteneys, knight, and his heirs of the hundred of Calne with a water-mill in Calne, co. Wilts, rendering at the Exchequer a farm of 15*l.* yearly, as he and his ancestors have long been in possession of the same. By p.s.
Vacated because in the first year.

Nov. 7. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight John de Burton of 20*l.* yearly from the issues of the counties of Nottingham and Derby. By p.s

Nov. 4. Westminster. Whereas Richard II by letters patent granted to Julian late the wife of William Garde of the county of Kent, outlawed on a plea of debt, all the goods of the said William in aid of the payment of the debt, and the king by letters patent granted licence for her as executrix of his will to recover the same, but these letters are invalid because mention is not made in them of his goods and debts as well in action as in possession and otherwise, the king hereby grants that she may recover all such. By p.s.

Nov. 11. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Katharine de Meryngton, now tenant of the under-mentioned lands, of a charter dated at Conway, 26 March, 11 Edward I [*Charter Roll*, 11 *Edward I, No.* 37], granting to Robert de Nunewyk that he and his heirs shall have free warren in their demesne lands of Nunewyk, co. York. For ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 18. Westminster. Licence for the prioress and convent of Pollesworthe to elect an abbess in the place of Matilda Butword, resigned.

Membrane 34—*cont.*

1401.
July 4. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 7 September, 16 Richard II, granting licence for the foundation of a chantry of four chaplains in the church of St. Martin, Leycestre; that they may pray also for the good estate of the king and his sons Henry, prince of Wales, Thomas, steward of England, John and Humphrey and his daughters Blanche and Philippa, and Richard Grey of Codenore, 'chivaler,' Henry de Bello Monte, 'chivaler,' William Ferrers of Groby, 'chivaler,' Thomas Rempston, 'chivaler,' Thomas Langley, clerk, John Elvet, clerk, Richard Elvet, archdeacon of Leicester, Simon Bache, clerk, John Yerdeburgh, clerk, John Neuton, clerk, William Wynsseby, clerk, Richard Kirkdone, clerk, William Decon, clerk, William Smyth, clerk, Ralph Skefyngton, John Cook and Alice his wife, John Lofeday and Agnes his wife, Thomas Wakefeld and Amice his wife, Richard Knyghton, Roger Humberston and Margaret his wife, John Chirche and Katharine his wife, Richard Braunpston and Agnes his wife, Nicholas Barbour, John London and Elizabeth his wife, Robert Skilyngton and Joan his wife, Adam Cook and Amice his wife, Thomas atte Halle and Agnes his wife, John Flekeney and Margaret his wife, Richard Thryngston and Joan his wife, John Monke and Margaret his wife, William Maltby and Margaret his wife, Richard Chaloner and Emma his wife, William Turnour, Margaret Chapman, Emma Humberston, Cecily Sproddeburgh, John Barbour, Isabel Broun, John Freman, Amice Barewell, Ellen Clipston, Amice Fissher, William Dalby, Matilda Nicholl, Ralph Hurleman, Thomas Wenger, Thomas Denton and Agnes his wife, John Northburgh and the masters, brethren and sisters of the fraternity and gilds of Corpus Christi and St. Mary in the said church, and for their souls after death. By p.s. and for 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

MEMBRANE 33.

1400.
Nov. 4. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the abbot and convent of St. Stephen, Caen, of letters patent dated 1 April, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 2 December, 48 Edward III, exemplifying a charter dated at Westminster, 8 September, 6 Edward III [*Charter Roll*, 6 *Edward III*, *No.* 25], inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Rouen, 20 March, 1 Richard I. For 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 4. Westminster. Grant to Richard Ogle, esquire, lately captured by the Scots and ransomed, of 100 marks from the customs and subsidy of wools in the port of Newcastle on Tyne, in aid of the payment of his ransom. By p.s.

Nov. 8. Westminster. Grant to the king's esquires Richard Mawardyn and John Golafre (*as on p.* 369). By p.s.

Nov. 8. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire John Fekenham and Joan his wife of the manor of Worldham *alias* Estworldham with all profits, emoluments, and commodities and the custody of the park of Worldham with the fees, wages and profits belonging to it; in furtherance of like grants to the said John by letters patent of Richard II, confirmed by letters patent of the king. By p.s.

Nov. 8. Westminster. Presentation of John Sparowe, chaplain, to the vicarage of the church of Bondeby, in the diocese of Lincoln, in the king's gift by reason of the temporalities of the alien priory of Bondeby being in his hands on account of the war with France.

1400. *Membrane* 38—*cont.*

Presentation of Robert Bush, parson of the church of St. Stephen, Walbrok, London, in the diocese of London, to the church of Gussych St. Michael, in the diocese of Salisbury, in the king's gift by reason of the temporalities of the alien abbey of Lire being in his hands on account of the war with France, on an exchange of benefices with John Bechefont.

Nov. 6. Westminster. Whereas John James of Watton was lately outlawed at the suit of Robert Marny, 'chivaler,' father of William Marny, 'chivaler,' on a plea of debt and caused to be forged a false obligation of 600 marks sealed with a counterfeit of the seal of the said Robert, and by pretext of the outlawry and of an inquisition taken *ex-officio* before the escheator of Richard II by enemies of Robert, the said escheator certified to the Exchequer that the said sum was due to the said king, and subsequently the said Robert was admitted to traverse the inquisition and after the process was continued in the Exchequer at length it was found by an inquisition maliciously procured by the lady of Molyns and other enemies of the said Robert proposing to have the sum of the grant of the said king that the obligation was made by the said Robert and judgement was given against him that the sum should be paid by instalments, and 100 marks remain unpaid; the king grants the said 100 marks to Elizabeth the wife of the said William. By K.

Nov. 5. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Thomas Dalowe of 10*l.* yearly from the issues of the petty custom in the port of London. By p.s.

Nov. 13. Westminster. Commission to Robert Compnore and Henry Bray to take 400 quarters of oats for the use of the king's son the prince and take them to Kenyngton.

Nov. 10. Westminster. Licence for Walter Romeseye, 'chivaler,' to enfeoff John Dekene, John Fauntleroy, John Top, chaplain, and John Ropere, chaplain, of the manor of Rokebourn, held in chief, except an acre of land in it, and for these to regrant the same to him and Alice his wife for life with remainders to John de Popham, 'chivaler,' and Isabel his wife, daughter of the said Walter, and the heirs of their bodies, and to the right heirs of Walter. By K. & by p.s.

Nov. 6. Westminster. Grant to the mayor, bailiffs and commonalty of Dublin in Ireland, in consideration of their great burdens, that for two years they shall be quit of 100 marks from the 200 marks which they are bound to render yearly for the farm of the city at the exchequer of Ireland. By p.s.

Nov. 11. Westminster. Grant, with the assent of the council, to the king's esquire John Doreward and his heirs and assigns of the advowson and patronage of the chapel or hospital of Crowechirche in Colcestre, co. Essex, forfeited to the king for certain causes, which used to pertain to his manor of Staneway and does not exceed the value of 100*s.* yearly, notwithstanding that he has for life of the king's grant 35*l.* from the fee-farm of the town of Colcestre. By p.s.

Nov. 1. Westminster. Licence, for his good service in Scotland and elsewhere, for Peter Holt, prior of the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in Ireland, to stay in England or elsewhere on the business of himself and the king until the feast of SS. Philip and James next and have to his own use all manors, lands, rents, services, possessions and advowsons with all profits and goods pertaining to the hospital; and pardon to him of all issues of two parts of the premises received by him and pertaining to the king by his absence from the feast of St. Katharine the Virgin, 20 Richard II, until the present. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 32.

1400.
Nov. 7. Westminster. Ratification of the estate which John Sowy has as warden of the chantry of St. Michael, Bradeston, in the diocese of Worcester, provided that no plea is pending in the king's court and the king has not presented anyone to the same.

The like for the following :—

Nov. 26. Westminster. Edmund de Marsco, parson of the church of Melsamby, in the diocese of York.
Vacated because above.

1401.
Jan. 12. Westminster. John Barwell, parson of the church of Wynandermere, in the diocese of York.

Jan. 13. Westminster. Walter Hoton, parson of the church of Gresmere, in the diocese of York.

May 11. Westminster. Nicholas Rede, parson of the church of Kylwelagh in Ireland.

1400.
Oct. 16. Westminster. Licence, for 18 marks paid in the hanaper by John Sifrewast, esquire, for Katharine late the wife of John Sifrewast, 'chivaler,' to surrender to him all her estate in the third part of the manor of Cleware and the advowson of the church of the manor, held in chief, which she holds in dower of his inheritance, and for him to grant the said third part and advowson and two parts of the manor, held in chief, to William Staverton, John Fouler, and Robert Potenham and their heirs and for these to grant the manor and advowson to him and Elizabeth his wife and the heirs male of his body with remainder to female heirs of their bodies and final remainder to his right heirs.

Oct. 27. Windsor Castle. Grant for life to the king's esquire Nicholas Talebot of 20*l.* yearly from the issues of the county of Essex from 15 January last. By p.s.
Vacated because in the ninth year.

Nov. 9. Westminster. Grant to the king's son the prince, in furtherance of letters patent dated 8 November, 1 Henry IV, which are not effective, of all debts, rents, farms, fines, issues, amercements, arrears, woods, marriages, reliefs, wrecks, waifs and other profits due to the king and in arrear within the principality of Wales, the duchy and county of Cornwall and the county of Chester, which have not been granted to other persons before that date. By p.s.

Nov. 7. Westminster. Whereas Reginald Lucy, 'chivaler,' lately in the King's Bench sued John Cheyn of Aylesbury and John Smyth of Aylesbury and others touching a trespass and a writ was directed to the sheriff of Buckingham to cause them to appear before the king at the quinzaine of Michaelmas last and William Waldern and William Rendre of London made mainprise under a penalty of 40*l.* for their appearance but they did not appear, the king pardons the penalty to the said William and William. By p.s.

Nov. 10. Westminster. Grant to the king's servants John Belle and Matthew Swetenham of the 41*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* due to the king in the Exchequer from John Mulsho, late sheriff of Northampton, for the escapes from the prison of Northampton of the following, viz. 10 marks for Roger Tanner of Passenham, approver, and 100*s.* each for Richard Berynger, Richard Toucestre, Nicholas Wode of Wotton, John de Shalston, John William, Thomas Letys and William Hervy. By p.s.

1400. *Membrane* 32—*cont.*

Nov. 7. Westminster. Grant for life to Nicholas de Skelton, serjeant at arms, of 12*d.* daily. from the issues of the county of York, in lieu of a like grant to him at the Exchequer by letters patent of Richard II, confirmed by letters patent of the king, surrendered. By p.s.

Nov. 12. Westminster. Grant to Robert Urswyk, 'chivaler,' Ralph de Langeton and Roger Draner of Walton in le Dale of pontage for three years for the repair of the bridge of Ribell by Preston, which has been broken by water and ice.

Nov. 5. Westminster. Grant to the prioress and convent of white nuns of the order of St. Benedict by the city of Worcester of 10*l.* yearly from the issues of the county of Worcester.

Nov. 1. Westminster. Letters of denization for Angelo Cristofre, born in the city of Luca in Tuscany, and the heirs of his body.
By K. & by p.s. and because he had like letters from Richard II.

Nov. 13. Westminster Grant for life to Christina late the wife of William Berland, 'chivaler,' of a tun of red wine of Gascony yearly at Christmas in the port of London. By K. & by p.s.

Nov. 4. Westminster. Grant for life to William Wythyford son of Hugh Wythyford, in consideration of the great losses which he has sustained by the insurrection of the rebels of North Wales and his great labours when he was the king's guide in those parts, of 10 marks yearly from the issues of the county of Salop. By p.s.

Nov. 15. Westminster. Grant to William Gascoigne, chief justice, for the better maintenance of his estate and his expenses in office, of 180 marks yearly at the Exchequer and two robes yearly, one with skin at Christmas and one with lining at Whitsuntide, beyond the accustomed fee. By K.

Oct. 3. Westminster. Grant for life to Matthew Swetenham of 80*l.* yearly from the issues of the county of Northampton, in lieu of grants to him for life of 20*l.* yearly and the avowries of the county of Chester, worth 10*l.* yearly, by letters patent of Richard II, confirmed by letters patent of the king, surrendered. By K.

MEMBRANE 31.

Nov. 13. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William, the prior, and the convent of St. Julian and St. Botolph, Colchester, of the following:—

1. A charter of Henry II dated at St. Edmunds. [*Printed in Calendar of Patent Rolls*, 1422-1429, *p.* 416.]
2. A charter of Richard I as follows:—

Ricardus Dei gratia rex Anglorum, dux Normannorum, Aquitanorum et comes Andegavorum, archiepiscopis, episcopis, abbatibus, comitibus, baronibus, justiciariis, vicecomitibus, ministris et omnibus fidelibus suis Francigenis et Anglicis salutem. Sciatis nos concessisse et presenti carta confirmasse Deo et ecclesie Sancti Botulfi de Colecestria et canonicis ibidem Deo servientibus omnes elemosinas, decimas et possessiones quas habent de feudo Willelmi filii Roberti de Hastinges et de feudo de Sakevill et de hamiessocna et tertiam partem molendini quod dicitur Middelmelns cum omnibus pertinentiis suis et omnes alias terras et possessiones, decimas et elemosinas, quas predicti canonici habent in Colecestria et in hundredo Colecestrie in ecclesiis, in decimis, in elemosinis et in aliis tenementis apud Londonias, omnes terras quas Edwardus Kyng et Jordanus

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Spirling tenuerunt de predictis canonicis in Londoniis et in parochia Sancti Botulfi juxta Billingesgate; de feudo Bolonie ecclesiam de Gamelegaia cum omnibus pertinentiis suis, et omnes terras quas habent apud Colun et apud Legram et quas Willelmus miles filius Galfridi et Adam filius Roberti tenuerunt de eis in Colun vel in Legra, et totam quartam partem ville que appellatur Grenestede cum omnibus pertinentiis suis infra burgum Colecestrie et extra, et totam terram Gillemeri apud Legram quam ipsi emerunt de predicto Gillemero et uxore ejus Rosce; de feudo Hugonis filii Stephani ecclesiam de Legra cum omnibus pertinentiis suis, et omnes terras quas Willelmus nepos prioris et Adam filius Roberti apud Legram et Willelmus de Holla et Sawala et Radulfus Mol et alii in hundredo de Tendring et Paganus de Grepping in hundredo de Lexeden tenuerunt de eis de feudo predicti Hugonis filii Stephani; de feudo de Mandevill ecclesiam de Theie cum omnibus pertinentiis suis, et tres waras terre apud Reindonam et omnes alias terras, decimas et possessiones quas habent de feudo Thome de Mandevill; apud Suthberi omnes terras quas Adam filius Sadrethe de eis tenuit; in Cantuaria totam terram quam Livene et post eam Ordgarus Sleppekaie de eis tenuit. Concedimus eciam et confirmamus predictis canonicis campum quem habent in Theia qui vulgo dicitur Pirefeld; de feudo Roberti de Sakevill totam terram quam habent apud Fordham quam prius tenuit Ranulfus presbiter, in parrochia de Widermundeford totam terram quam Willelmus de Bilestune de eis tenuit; de feudo Ernaldi de Curtun totam terram quam habent apud Duniland de donatione ipsius Ernaldi, in parochia de Ardleia omnes terras et elemosinas quas habent de feudo Roberti Britonis et de feudo Radulfi Martel et de feudo Ricardi de Bovill et de feudo Baldewini Wischard et de feudo Alicie filie Roberti filii Gosceline, et totam terram quam habent de sochna de Dedham; de feudo Ricardi de Rennes totam terram quam tenuit Radulfus King cum mansura pro una acra cum omnibus pertinentiis suis quam terram habent in villa de Reines, et omnes alias elemosinas, decimas et possessiones quas habent de feudo Roberti de Rennes in Hathfeldia nostra de elemosina Henrici regis avi patris nostri, omnes decimas plenarie de toto dominio nostro ejusdem ville de bosco et de plano et de pascuo quicumque inde aliquid teneat vel colat et de pathnagio de porcellis, vitulis, agnis, caseis et de omnibus essartis factis et faciendis de bosco et de plano et predicta villa de Hathfeld et garbas vel ad horreum vel in campo prout ipsi canonici elegerunt recipiant. Concedimus etiam et confirmamus predictis canonicis illam acram terre quam tenuit Wlfricus Gambun in predicta villa de Hethfeld ubi et ipsi canonici bladum suum congregare solent. Quare volumus et firmiter precipimus quod predicta ecclesia Sancti Botulfi de Colecestria et canonici ibidem Deo servientes omnes predictas terras, decimas, possessiones, elemosinas et omnes alias terras et possessiones suas habeant et teneant cum soca et saca et thol et theam et infangenetheof, mundbriche, burgbriche, meskenninge, schepinge, hlestinge, fridesocna, flemenfirmden, yargylpeof, utleap, forfeng, theofeng, searwite, fighwite, weirdyite, hengwite, hamsocna, forsteal, cum omnibus aliis legibus, libertatibus et consuetudinibus qualiumcumque causarum que ad nos pertinent in urbe et extra, in domo et extra, in soca et saca, in theoloneo, in furis apprehensione et emissione, in sanguinis effusione et in omnibus aliis rebus et cum omnibus aliis liberatibus et liberis consuetudinibus et quietanciis suis in bosco et plano, in pratis et pascuis, in aquis et molendinis, in viis et semitis, in stagnis et vivariis et mariscis et piscariis et grangiis et virgultis infra burgum et extra in omnibus temporibus et in omnibus locis

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et in omnibus rebus liberas et quietas de sectis, scyris et hundredis et placitis et querelis et de pecunia danda pro forisfacto, de murdre et de wapentachiis et scutagiis et geldis et denegeldis et walgavel et stalgavel et hidagiis et assisis et de operationibus castellorum et parcorum et pontium et calcearum et de ferdwita et de hengewita et de flemenefremthe et de hamsocha et de warpeni et de averpeni et de blodwita et de fichtwita et de leirwita et de hundredpeni et de thiethingpeni, et sint quieti de omni theoloneo et passagio et pontagio et lestagio et stallagio et de omni seculari servicio et opere servili et exactione et omnibus occasionibus aliis et consuetudinibus secularibus, et prohibemus ne aliquis averia eorum seu quaslibet possessiones eorum capiat pro aliquo debito dominorum suorum sive pro defectu servicii quod ad dominos eorum pertinet quia nolumus ut aliquis hominum nec Francigenus nec Anglicus inde se intromittat nisi ipsi et ministri eorum quibus ipsi committere voluerint. Concedimus eciam eis libertatem de placitis foreste et plenariam potestatem cariandi ligna ad focum suum de bosco suo similiter si quis eis dederit vel vendiderit ligna ad focum suum. Et servientes predicte ecclesie sint quieti ab omnibus geldis et auxiliis et ab omni exactione seculari. Et prohibemus ne predicti canonici de aliquo dominico tenemento suo quod teneant ponantur in placitum per nos nec eos in placitum ab aliquo poni permittatis nisi coram nobis vel coram capitali justiciario nostro. Et si quis eis super hoc in aliquo forisfacere presumpserit plenariam eis inde sine dilatione justiciam fieri faciatis. Has igitur omnes predictas terras, ecclesias, decimas, possessiones et omnes alias terras, elemosinas et possessiones quas sepedicti canonici tenent et que sub ipsis tenentur et unde ipsi cartas vel cyrographa habent et que rationabiliter adquirere poterint et has omnes libertates et leges et consuetudines concedimus et confirmamus Deo et ecclesie Sancti Botulfi de Colecestria et canonicis ibidem Deo servientibus imperpetuum possidere in perpetuam elemosinam. Hanc concessionem et confirmationem fecimus pro Dei amore et pro salute nostra et pro anima H. regis illustris patris nostri et pro animabus omnium antecessorum et successorum nostrorum nec ullus super hoc in aliquo predictis canonicis injuriam vel contumeliam super x librarum forisfactura faciat. Testibus B. archiepiscopo Cantuariensi, H. de Dunolmia, G. Wentoniensi, H. Covintrensi, H. Sorum episcopis, Willelmo de Sancto Johanne, Johanne Marescallo, Willelmo Marescallo, Hugone Bardulf, Galfrido filio Petri. Datum per manum Willelmi de Longo Campo, cancellarii nostri, Eliensis electi, apud Cantuariam, quarto die Decembris, anno primo regni nostri.

3. Letters patent dated 16 February, 11 Edward III, granting licence for them to acquire in mortmain lands in Grenstede and Ardelegh.
4. Letters patent dated 15 October, 26 Edward III, granting licence for them to acquire in mortmain lands in Leyre del Hay, Colecestre and Teye Maundevyle, co. Essex.
5. Letters patent dated 16 February, 35 Edward III, granting licence for them to acquire in mortmain lands in Reydon, co. Suffolk, and Gransete, co. Essex.
6. Letters patent dated 20 June, 22 Richard II, granting licence for them to acquire in mortmain lands in Peldon, Adburton, Leyre del Hay and Colchester, co. Essex. For 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

MEMBRANES 30 *and* 29.

Nov. 10. Westminster. Licence, for 6*s.* 8*d.* paid in the hanaper by the prior and friars of the order of St. Mary of Mount Carmel of Boston, for the alienation in

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mortmain to them by Ralph de Cromwell, 'chivaler,' of 5 acres of land in Skyrbek adjoining their manse, held of Ralph, earl of Westmoreland, as of the honour of Richemond, for the enlargement of the manse.

Nov. 7. Westminster. Pardon to Gilbert Purveys for all treasons and felonies committed by him against the king's royal person of which he was convicted in the king's court. By p.s.

Nov. 10. Westminster. Whereas John Mountagu, late earl of Salisbury, enfeoffed John Brokeman and others of the manor of Aston Clynton with the advowson of the church of the manor, co. Buckingham, held in chief, and the latter afterwards enfeoffed Thomas Montagu, son of the earl, and Eleanor his wife of the same to hold to themselves and the heirs of their bodies with remainder to the right heirs of the earl, without licence; the king pardons the trespasses in this. By p.s.

Nov. 13. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Thomas Moruth, whom the king has retained for life, of 40 marks yearly from the issues of the hanaper of Chancery. By p.s.

Vacated because otherwise in this year.

Nov. 12. Westminster. Whereas Thomas Arthur has begged the king to grant to him the township called Wynford, co. Somerset, in the king's hands on account of a certain forfeiture, to the value of 20 marks yearly; the king grants to him 20 marks yearly from the issue of the said county so long as the said township is in his hands. By p.s.

Oct. 1. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the prior and convent of Witteham of a charter dated at Westminster, 12 January, 1 Richard II [*Charter Roll, 1 Richard II, No.* 19], inspecting and confirming the following:—

1. A charter dated at Westminster, 5 May, 17 Edward III [*Charter Roll, 17 Edward III, No.* 23], inspecting and confirming the following:—
   - (1.) A charter of Henry II dated at Marlborough. [*Monasticon.*]
   - (2.) A charter dated at Westminster, 26 February, 14 Edward I [*Charter Roll, 14 Edward I, No.* 31], inspecting and confirming a charter of Edmund, earl of Cornwall, dated at Berkhampstead, Thursday after the translation of St. Thomas the Martyr, 13 Edward I.
   - (3.) A charter dated at Berwick on Tweed, 25 August, 24 Edward I [*Charter Roll, 24 Edward I, No.* 2].
   - (4.) Letters patent dated 8 February, 3 Edward II.
   - (5.) Letters patent dated 20 July, 12 Edward II.
2. Letters patent dated 14 April, 32 Edward III.
3. Letters patent dated 12 March, 49 Henry III.
4. Letters patent dated 28 August, 11 Edward I.
5. Letters patent dated 20 May, 11 Edward II.
6. A charter dated at Westminster, 26 October, 19 Edward III [*Charter Roll, 19 Edward III, No.* 4], inspecting and confirming with additions the said charter of Henry II.
7. Letters patent dated 20 October, 36 Edward III.
8. Letters patent dated 2 November, 37 Edward III.

For 5 marks paid in the hanaper.

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Nov. 17. Westminster. Whereas the king's esquire Henry Maunsell, keeper of the king's gaol within the castle of York, has informed the king that the gaol is ruinous

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in timber, walls and roof, and lacking in manacles, fetters and other bonds of iron, so that felons and other evil doers often escape; the king has appointed the sheriff of York to make good the defects. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 28.

Nov. 10. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Alexander Bouer of 2*d.* daily from the issues of the manor of Dertyngton, co. Devon, in the king's hands by the forfeiture of John Holand, late earl of Huntingdon, as granted to him by the said earl. By p.s.

Nov. 11. Westminster. Grant to the king's servants William Morys and John Petyt, yeomen of the king's armour, of 9*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* current in demand at the Exchequer, viz. 100*s.* from Hugh Dalby, late escheator of the county of Warwick, from the chattels of John Pardoner of Bynley, a fugitive, 53*s.* 4*d.* from the town of Little Petlyng from the chattels of John Herthenen, a fugitive, servant of John atte Persones of Little Petlyng, and 40*s.* from the town of Barwe on Sore from the chattels of Richard Rolston, a fugitive, servant of Richard Freman. By p.s.

Nov. 13. Westminster. Presentation of William de Astill, king's clerk, to the church of Pappeworth Everard, in the diocese of Ely.

Nov. 13. Westminster. Licence, for 60*s.* paid in the hanaper by the prior of the church of St. Botolph, Colchester, for the alienation in mortmain to the prior and convent by John son of William Doreward of Bockyng of 3½ acres of meadow in Colcestre, held of the king in free burgage, and two messuages, 122 acres of land, 5 acres of meadow, 12 acres of pasture, 5 acres of wood and 16*d.* rent in Great Teye, of which one messuage, 80 acres of land, 12 acres of pasture, 5 acres of wood and 16*d.* rent are held of the king as of the honour of Boulogne, for the sustenance of a chaplain to celebrate divine service daily in the church of the priory for the good estate of the king and the said John and for their souls after death. By K.

Nov. 15. Westminster. Pardon to John Leek, sheriff of Nottingham and Derby, who in his account for the last year is charged at the Exchequer with divers great sums of money which he has not been able to levy on account of his divers rides and other duties in the king's service from the time of the coronation, of 110 marks from the sum thus due from him. By K.

Nov. 16. Westminster. Presentation of John Frank, king's clerk, to the church of Lutton, in the diocese of Salisbury.

Nov. 13. Westminster. General pardon to David Bikeley of the county of Chester. By p.s.

Nov. 15. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight John Lisle of Woditon, for his good service to the king's father, deceased, and to the king, of 40*l.* yearly from the petty custom in the port of Suthampton. By p.s.

Nov. 9. Westminster. Grant to Laurence Merbury, 'chivaler,' who has an annuity of 20*l.* for life from the king from the customs and cokets of Droghda in Ireland, that his attorneys may receive the same and send it to him in England. By p.s.

Nov. 11. Westminster. Grant for life to William Welles of certain tenements in the city of London which should pertain to the king by the death of Nicholas de Berkynge, who died in the time of Edward III, and which have been

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concealed for eighteen years and still are concealed, as he has given the king to understand, to hold to the value of 20*l.* yearly, provided that he answer for any surplus and sue for their recovery into the king's hands at his own cost. By p.s.

Nov. 18. Westminster. Pardon to the king's esquire Henry Maunsell, keeper of the king's gaol within the castle of York, of the escapes from the same of William Watson, 'smyth,' of Marton, Roger Flecher of Sutton by Auston, John Coke, chaplain, John Chaundons, John de Salton of Sproxton and John Dousyng of Sledmere, felons in his custody there. By p.s.

Vacated because otherwise in this year.

Nov. 10. Westminster. Whereas Richard II by letters patent dated 20 June, 19 Richard II, granted to William de Arundell, 'chivaler,' now deceased, and John Pygot, clerk, the elder, the custody of the alien priory of Tywardrath, co. Cornwall, during the war, rendering 116*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* yearly at the Exchequer, and the king on 19 March last by letters patent granted restoration of the priory to John Maslyn, monk, and afterwards John Arundell, 'chivaler,' then sheriff of the county, was charged on his account with levying 83*l.* 6*s.* 7*d.* from the said farm before the said 19 March from John Herle of the said county, 'chivaler,' Alan Waldyeve of the county of Warwick, Thomas Newentone of the county of Essex and John Warrewyk of the county of Northampton, mainpernors of the said William and John; the king at the supplication of Agnes, late the wife of the said William and executrix of his will, pardons to the said William and John and their heirs, executors, tenants and mainpernors the said sum of 83*l.* 6*s.* 7*d.* in aid of the papment of 88*l.* in which the said William bound himself to Laurence atte Wode, Geoffrey Dune and John Westecote of Maideston, stone-cutters, for the making of a parcel of a wall around the town of Rochester beyond the moneys given by the said late king and the king's father and certain other lords for the same, which parcel the said William made by command of the said king and the king's father. By p.s.

Nov. 13. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight Nicholas Ryvenys and Anne his wife of 100*l.* yearly from the great custom of wools and wool-fells in the port of London; in recompense of annuities of 20*l.*, 20 marks and 50 marks granted to them by Anne, late queen of England, confirmed by letters patent of Richard II, surrendered. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 10 *March, in the tenth year, the king with the assent of the said Nicholas granted the same to John his son from Michaelmas last.*

Nov. 14. Westminster. Grant for life to Robert Lye of 3*d.* daily from the issues of the county of Stafford. By p.s.

Nov. 16. Westminster. Whereas Anne, late queen of England, by letters patent granted to Andrew Somerelle, then in great age, 1*d.* daily from the issues of the manor of Hamstede Marchall, and he is now in greater age and debility and has lost these letters, the king grants to him for life 2*d.* daily from the issues of the manor. By p.s.

Nov. 12. Westminster. Pardon to Peter de Bukton, knight, and his heirs and executors of all debts, accounts and arrears due from him to the king. By K.

Nov. 10. Westminster. Revocation of the protection with clause *volumus*, for one year, lately granted by letters patent to John Frebarne of Reigate, 'baker,' going in the king's company to Scotland, because he makes continual stay at Reygate, co. Surrey, discharging the office of the king's avenary and attending to his own affairs, as the sheriff has certified.

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Nov. 16. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Thomas Capenhurst of 10*l.* yearly from the issues of the counties of Warwick and Leicester. By p.s.

Nov. 20. Westminster. Grant to the king's kinsman Edmund, earl of March, and Roger his brother, in aid of their maintenance and equipment, of 300 marks yearly from the lordship of Clare, co. Suffolk, during their minority or until the king shall otherwise provide for them. By p.s.

Nov. 26. Westminster. Presentation of John Prat, chaplain, to the vicarage of the church of Wedmore, in the diocese of Bath and Wells.

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Nov. 10. Westminster. Grant, by mainprise of Peter de la Pole of the county of Derby, John de Fyndern of the same county, Master John Tochet of the county of Leicester and William Cheyne of the county of Sussex, to the prior and convent of Burton on Trent of the custody of the abbey and all its temporalities during its voidance by the cession of Thomas, last abbot, saving knights' fees and advowsons of churches, they rendering 40*l.* at the Exchequer for the first month and four days and afterwards at the same rate, provided that they pay in addition at the same rate for any lands acquired by them since 40 Edward III, and maintaining the houses and buildings and supporting all other charges. By C.

Nov. 14. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Nicholas Barbour of 10*l.* yearly from 11 May last from the custom and subsidy of wools, hides and woolfells in the port of London, in lieu of another grant by letters patent of that date, surrendered. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 16 *August the king granted the same to him at the Exchequer.*

Nov. 8. Westminster. Grant to the king's brother John, earl of Somerset, of the custody of all manors, lands and other possessions, not exceeding the value of 800 marks yearly, late of the lady of Haryngton, deceased, wife of Robert de Haryngton, 'chivaler,' and the lady Daudeley, deceased, with knights' fees, advowsons, chaces, parks, warrens, franchises, wreck of sea and other profits and commodities during the minority of Fulk Fitz Waryn, kinsman and heir of William Cogan, knight, and Nicholas Daudeley, knight, both deceased, and so from heir to heir, maintaining the houses and buildings and supporting all charges, notwithstanding certain specified grants already made to him. By K.

Nov. 17. Westminster. Pardon to Richard Horkysley for all felonies, extortions, oppressions and misprisions committed by him, except treason, murder, rape and common larceny. By p.s.

Oct. 10. Westminster. Licence, for 20 marks paid by them in the hanaper, for Philip Seintcler, 'chivaler,' and Margaret his wife to enfeoff Walter Hoke and Thomas Joep of the manors of Barton Seint John and Staunton Seint John, co. Oxford, held in chief, and for the latter to re-grant the same to them and the heirs male of their bodies, with remainder to the heirs male of her body and her right heirs.

Nov. 6. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Nicholas Marchal *alias* Wodeham, provided that the house has not been granted to anyone else, of letters patent dated 6 January, 19 Richard II, and 28 February, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life 100s. yearly and a house within the palace of Westminster. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

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Nov. 20. Westminster. Revocation of the protection with clause *volumus*, for one year, lately granted by letters patent to Thomas Kirton son of John Kirton of Bury St. Edmunds, staying on the king's service in the company of the king's esquire John Orewell, captain of the castle of Sandegate in the parts of Picardy, on the safe-custody of the same, because he delays in London, as the sheriffs have certified.

Nov. 18. Westminster. Grant for life to John de Tilisko, 'chivaler,' of 100 marks yearly at the Exchequer. By K.

Nov. 20. Westminster. Grant to the king's servants John Mersh and Henry Forster of 30*l.* due to the king from John Mersh of London, *alias* attorney, in the Guildhall of London, for two fines made by him in the Bench in the time of Richard II. By p.s.

Nov. 18. Westminster. Exemption for life of the king's knight John Cheyne from being put on assizes, juries, inquisitions, attaints or recognitions and from being made mayor, sheriff, escheator, coroner, verderer, steward, justice of oyer and terminer, collector, taxer, assessor, surveyor, controller of tenths, fifteenths, customs or subsidies, leader of men at arms, hobelers or archers, or bailiff, minister, officer or commissioner of the king. By p.s.

Nov. 20. Westminster. Pardon to the king's uncle Edmund, duke of York, of the sum of 500*l.* received by him for the wages of the men of his retinue when he was riding towards Bristol against the coming from Ireland of Richard II who had appointed him lieutenant of the realm. [*Fœdera.*] By p.s.

Nov. 19. Westminster. Acquittance of John Boor, late dean of the chapel of Richard II, who by the king's command has delivered by indenture to the king's clerk Richard Kyngeston, dean of the king's chapel, and William Loueney, keeper of the great wardrobe, all jewels, vestments and other things pertaining to the chapel and in his custody and charge, except certain jewels, vestments and ornaments which were seized at Penbrok and within the lordship of Gower in Wales at the last coming of Richard II from Ireland, of which he has delivered two schedules to them for full information to sue for their recovery, and also certain jewels, vestments and ornaments granted by the said late king, viz. a little censer with a little ship and a spoon of silver gilt, granted to William Courtenay, late archbishop of Canterbury, one whole vestment with its apparel (*apparatu*) of good cloth of gold starred with red, and a silver-gilt censer weighing six pounds late of the goods of the king's uncle the duke of Gloucester, deceased, a golden chalice weighing two pounds and eight ounces, two silver-gilt candlesticks weighing ten pounds and a little frontal granted to Peter de Bosco, ambassador of Rome (*ambassatori Rome*) and one whole vestment with trimming of cloth of gold granted to the cathedral church of Salisbury. By p.s.

MEMBRANES 26 *and* 25.

Nov. 20. Westminster. John Eston, staying in England, has letters nominating William Chambre, clerk, and John Bateman his attorneys in Ireland for one year. John Chitterne, clerk, received the attorneys until the coming of the nominator into England.

Nov. 18. Westminster. John Fekenham has like letters nominating Richard Rede and Nicholas de Fynglas. John Chitterne, clerk, received the attorneys.

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Nov. 22. Westminster. Grant, during pleasure, with the assent of the council, to Richard Rede, chief baron of the exchequer of Ireland, of 20 marks yearly at the said exchequer beyond the accustomed fee. By p s.

Nov. 23. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the citizens of Dublin of a charter under the seal used in Ireland, witnessed by R. archbishop of Dublin, chancellor, R. bishop of Chichester, treasurer, A. bishop of Meath, R. bishop of Ossory, Thomas, duke of Gloucester, Edward, earl of Rutland and Cork, Roger de Mortuo Mari, earl of March and Ulster, John de Holand, earl of Huntyngdon, John de Lovell, Thomas de Percy, steward of the household, William Lescrope, chamberlain of Ireland, and others at Kilkenny, 24 April, 18 Richard II, inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Westminster, 22 November, 37 Edward III [*Charter Roll, 37 Edward III, No.* 1], inspecting and confirming with additions the following:—

1. A charter dated at Westminster, 11 July, 10 Edward II [*Charter Roll, 10 Edward II, No.* 55], inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Upton, 7 November, 2 John. [*Rotuli Cartarum, p.* 78.]
2. Letters patent under the seal used in Ireland dated 26 September, 37 Edward III, being an exemplification of the following:—
   (1.) Letters patent dated 14 August, 12 Edward II.
   (2.) A charter dated at York, 13 October, 8 Edward III [*Charter Roll, 8 Edward III, No.* 7.]

For 4 marks paid in the hanaper.

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Oct. 18. Westminster. Presentation of Richard Teukesbury, chaplain, to the vicarage of the church of Somerton, in the diocese of Bath and Wells, in the king's gift by reason of the voidance of the abbey of Muchelneye.

Nov. 22. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's kinswoman Alesia de Holand, countess of Kent, of four tuns of wine of Gascony yearly from the prise of the king's wines in the port of London. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 30 March, in the sixth year, the king granted the same to her in the port of Southampton.

Nov. 19. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant William Dewesbury of 6*d.* daily from 15 November, 1 Henry IV, from the custom and subsidy of wools, hides and wool-fells in the port of Boston, in lieu of a like grant from the custom of the town by letters patent, surrendered. By p.s.

Vacated because in the fourth year.

Nov. 27. Westminster. William Rye, esquire, staying in England, has letters nominating Robert Crull, clerk, and John de Wadesworth, clerk, his attorneys in Ireland for one year.

John Rome, clerk, received the attorneys until the coming of the nominator into Ireland.

The like for the following:—

Dec. 22. Westminster. Ralph Molyneux and Eva his wife nominating Nicholas Savage and John Dalton.

Robert de Faryngton, clerk, received the attorneys.

Nov. 27. Westminster. William Ireby of London nominating John Corner and Walter Beeston. John Chitterne, clerk, received the attorneys.

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Nov. 12. Westminster. Grant, during minority, to Thomas de Moubray, son and heir of Thomas, duke of Norfolk, in recompense of a grant to him of 350 marks yearly by letters patent (*see p.* 160), surrendered because the manors of Stonham and Bungaye, co. Suffolk, have been assigned to his mother in dower, of 250 marks yearly from the land and lordship of Gower and the custody of the manor of Fornesete, co. Norfolk, to the value of 70*l.* 3*s.* 7½*d.* yearly, so that he answer for any surplus. By p.s.

Nov. 28. Westminster. Commission, during pleasure, to Robert Sherwynd of the office of controller of the petty custom in the port of London and all ports and places from thence on either side of the river Thames to Graveshende and there and on the Essex side to Tillebury and there, receiving the accustomed fee, provided that he execute the office in person, with the custody of one part of the coket seal. By bill of the treasurer.

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March 28. Westminster. The like to Thomas Prendance. By bill of the treasurer.

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Nov. 21. Westminster. Like commission to John Burgoun of the office of controller of the customs and subsidy of wools, hides and wool-fells and the petty custom in the port of Exeter and all ports and places from thence on the one side to Sydemouth and there and on the other side towards the west by the counties of Devon and Cornwall to Briggewater. By bill of the treasurer.

The like to the following:—

Nov. 24. Westminster. William Thornhill in the port of Kyngeston on Hull and all ports and places from thence to Grymesby and there on the one side and on the other side to Hornse. By bill of the treasurer.

Thomas Straweston in the port of London and all ports and places etc. (as above). By bill etc.

Nov. 28. Westminster. John Bernard in the port of Ipswich and all ports and places from thence to Tillebury. By bill of the treasurer.

Nov. 30. Westminster. Henry Cliderowe, clerk, in the port of Scardeburgh and all ports and places adjacent. By bill of the treasurer.

John Hayton, clerk, in the port of Newcastle on Tyne and all ports and places adjacent. By bill etc.

1401.
March 16. Westminster. Robert Karlell in the county of Cumberland. By bill of the treasurer.

March 24. Westminster. Henry Totyng, clerk, in the port of Melcombe and all ports and places adjacent except the port of Pole. By bill of the treasurer.

May 13. Westminster. Robert de Wermyngton, clerk, in the port of Boston. By bill of the treasurer.

June 23. Westminster. Henry Totyng, clerk, in the port of Melcombe and all ports and places from thence on the east to Pole and there and on the west to Sydemouth. By bill of the treasurer.

March 24. Westminster. The like to John Haiton, clerk, of the office of controller of the customs and subsidy of wools, hides and wool-fells in the port of Newcastle on Tyne and all ports and places from thence on the one side to Berwick on Tweed and on the other side to Scardeburgh and there. By bill of the treasurer.

1400. *Membrane* 24—*cont.*

Nov. 1. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Baillif of letters patent (*French*) of John de Mountagu, earl of Salisbury and lord of Mounthermer, dated at London, 20 December, 21 Richard II, witnessed by Sir Richard Mountagu, Sir Thomas West, John Frome, George Meriet, John Brokman, granting to him for life the office of constable, bedel and warrener of Cristchurche, receiving 3½*d.* daily for his wages from the manor of Cristchurche. For ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 24. Westminster. Grant to Gilbert Purveys, lately pardoned by the king, of all his lands and goods. By p.s.

Nov. 27. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's kinswoman Matilda late the wife of John de Monte Acuto, late earl of Salisbury, in addition to a grant to her on 28 February last by letters patent (*see p.* 226), of the manor of Yalhampton, co. Devon, to the value of 80*l.* yearly, provided that she answer for any surplus. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 10 *January in the third year the king granted to her for life the yearly surplus of* 28*l. and* 18*s. from the said* 28 *February and* 27 *November respectively.*

Nov. 28. Westminster. Presentation of John Lynes of Sloleye, chaplain, to the church of Elyngham by Bungeye, in the diocese of Norwich.

Nov. 1. Westminster. Presentation of Edmund Alderford to the church of Dodyngton, in the diocese of Lincoln.

MEMBRANES 23 *and* 22.

Nov. 15. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the prior and convent of Worcester of the following:—

I. A charter dated at Westminster, 10 March, 17 Richard II [*Charter Roll*, 15-17 *Richard II*, *No.* 2], inspecting and confirming the following:—

1. A charter dated at York, 7 June, 9 Edward III [*Charter Roll*, 9 *Edward III*, *No.* 49], inspecting and confirming the following:—

(1.) A charter dated at Westminster, 19 February, 6 Edward II [*Charter Roll*, 6 *Edward II*, *No.* 25], inspecting and confirming a charter of Edgar. [*Monasticon.*]

(2.) A charter dated at Westminster, 8 February, 6 Edward II [*Charter Roll*, 6 *Edward II*, *No.* 27], inspecting and confirming the following:—

a. A charter (*Saxon*) of Edward the Confessor.
b. A charter of William [I].
c. Another charter of the same.
d. A charter of Henry II dated at Feccaham.
e. A charter dated at Marlborough, 27 August, 9 John.
f. A charter dated at Woodstock, 16 August, 40 Henry III.

2. Letters patent dated 8 July, 29 Edward III, inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Framlingham, 2 April, 40 Henry III.
3. Letters patent dated 20 February, 43 Edward III.
4. Letters patent of Henry II dated at Westminster.

II. A charter dated at Woodstock, 28 June, 52 Henry III, granting to them a market and a fair at their manor of Schepeston, co. Worcester. For 100*s.* paid in the hanaper.

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Membrane 22—*cont.*

Nov. 26. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Braye of 10*l.* yearly from 14 November, 1 Henry IV, from the petty custom in the port of the city of London, in lieu of a like grant from the petty custom of the city of London by letters patent, surrendered. By p.s.

Dec. 8. Westminster. Exemplification, at the request of John Bore, of the tenour of the enrolment of letters patent dated 24 December, 19 Richard II, presenting him to the church of Oundell, in the diocese of Lincoln.

MEMBRANE 21.

Nov. 20. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the prior and canons of Brydlyngton of a charter dated at Westminster, 2 March, 15 Richard II [*Charter Roll*, 15-17 *Richard II*, *No.* 26], inspecting and confirming with additions the following :—

1. A charter dated at York, 23 February, 5 Edward II [*Charter Roll*, 5 *Edward II*, *No.* 19], inspecting and confirming the following :—
   - *a.* A charter of Henry I dated at York.
   - *b.* Another charter of the same. [*Monasticon.*]
   - *c.* Letters patent of Stephen. [*Ibid.*]
   - *d.* A charter dated at Lutegershall, 6 December, 2 John.
   - *e.* A charter of Henry II dated at Waltham. [*Ibid.*]
   - *f.* A charter of John son of John de Harpham. [*Ibid.*]
   - *g.* A charter of R. son of Hernis. [*Ibid.*]
   - *h.* Letters patent dated 16 June, 35 Edward I.
   - *i.* A charter of Walter de Ver, son of Adam de Gousle. [*Ibid.*]
2. A charter of Stephen dated at York.

For 4 marks paid in the hanaper.

MEMBRANE 20.

Nov. 28. Westminster. Pardon to Thomas Merk, late bishop of Carlisle, who was indicted with others, condemned to death, with having conspired at London and elsewhere to destroy the king and with having been leaders with Thomas Blount, 'chivaler,' Benedict Sely, 'chivaler,' and other traitors, convicted of the said treasons before the king at Oxford and condemned to death because with the said traitors and others they leagued themselves with the king's enemy of France to introduce him into the realm and on Tuesday, the feast of the Epiphany last, at Bampton, co. Oxford, Wantynge, Farendon and Circestre and divers other places within the realm rose in insurrection with standard unfurled and schemed to kill the king at Wyndesore or elsewhere on Monday, the vigil of the Epiphany, and took divers of the king's lieges prisoners and compelled Walter Hungerford, the king's knight, to go with them and robbed him of the king's livery called 'colere,' which he was wearing, worth 20*l.*, and divers other lieges of the king of divers goods and caused a proclamation to be made at Wantynge and divers other places that all men should hold Richard II for king. The said late bishop asserted that he was not guilty and put himself on an inquisition, by which he was found guilty. [*Fœdera.*] By K.

Nov. 26. Westminster. General pardon to Walter le Goldesmyth of Chester. By p.s.

The like to the following :— By p.s.

Thomas le Taillour of Swetenham, co. Chester.

Ranulph son of Ranulph le Maynwarynge of the county of Chester.

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Roger le Flecchere of the county of Chester.
Richard de Wermyncham of Chester.
William Banastre of Chester.
Richard de Helegh the younger of the county of Chester.

MEMBRANE 19.

Oct. 14. Westminster. Pardon to Roger de Mottrun for the death of John Kempe on Sunday before Corpus Christi, 22 Richard II. By p.s.

Nov. 18. Westminster. Presentation of Simon Gaunstede, king's clerk, to the church of High Angre, in the diocese of London.

Nov. 16. Westminster. Mandate to the king's lieutenant in Ireland and the chancellor of the same for the restitution of the temporalities of the bishopric of Lismore and Waterford to Master Thomas Snell, whom the pope has provided to the church and who has renounced everything prejudicial to the king in the papal bull and whose fealty the king has taken. [*Fœdera.*] By p.s.
Writ *de intendendo* in pursuance to the tenants. By the same writ.

Nov. 17. Westminster. Licence for William Pirron, clerk, bachelor in decrees and vicar of the church of St. Peter, Dunboyng, in the diocese of Meath, in Ireland, to absent himself for three years from Ireland and dwell at any of the king's universities for his learning and in the meantime to receive the issues from his vicarage; and pardon to him for all issues thus received by him from Michaelmas, 21 Richard II. By p.s.

Nov. 11. Westminster. Presentation to John Scardeburgh to the church of Denford, in the diocese of Lincoln. By p.s.

Nov. 16. Westminster. Grant to William the elder son of Bernard Brocas, 'chivaler,' deceased, and his heirs of all manors, lands, rents, services, fees and advowsons with reversions late of the said Bernard and in the king's hands by reason of his forfeiture, with all issues from the time of forfeiture. By K.

Nov. 8. Westminster. Grant to the king's brother John, earl of Somerset, and his heirs of all manors and lands late of Owen de Glyndordy in South and North Wales forfeited to the king by reason of his treason, not exceeding the value of 800 marks yearly, with royalties, knights' fees, advowsons, franchises, liberties, customs, wards, marriages, reliefs, escheats, forfeitures, chaces, parks, warrens, wreck of sea and other profits and commodities; notwithstanding other specified grants already made to him. [*Fœdera.*] By K.

Nov. 17. Westminster. Grant to William Bagot, 'chivaler,' of 100*l.* yearly at the Exchequer until the king shall order otherwise for his estate. By K.

Nov. 16. Westminster. Grant for life to Richard Wegge and Isabel his wife of 20*l.* yearly from the issues of the petty custom and the subsidy of wools, hides and woolfells in the port of Ipswich, co. Suffolk. By p.s.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 23 *March the king granted the same to them at the Exchequer.*

Nov. 17. Westminster. Grant for life to William Sherwynd, esquire, of 10*l.* yearly from the issues of the hanaper of Chancery. By K.

Nov. 15. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Edmund Stokes of 18*l.* yearly from the issues of the county of Kent; in recompense of the office of bailiff of Boston, worth 10 marks yearly, and the office of parker of

1400. *Membrane* 19—*cont.*

Chesthunt, worth 12*l.* yearly, confirmed to him by letters patent surrendered, which offices he cannot have, because they have been granted to others. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 22 *December, in the third year, the king granted to him* 18*l. yearly for life from the said* 15 *November from the issues of the said county of Kent beyond the said* 24*l. yearly* (sic).

Nov. 20. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Flete of the office of keeper of the king's beds and cloths within his privy palace of Westminster with a chamber within the same by the chapel of the king's son the prince for his dwelling with a garden belonging to it, receiving at the Exchequer 6*d.* daily for his wages and 13*s.* 4*d.* yearly for his robe and 2*d.* daily for the wages of a groom, with all other things and profits belonging to the office, as John Eyr, deceased, or anyone else had. By p.s.

Nov. 25. Westminster. Licence, for 13 marks paid in the hanaper by John Ixworth, clerk, Walter Ixworth, clerk, John Berton, clerk, John Smyth, clerk, Gilbert Spryngman, clerk, the elder and Simon Blyaunt, for Robert Asshefeld to enfeoff them of his manor of Lytelhawe, co. Suffolk, held in chief.

Nov. 25. Westminster. Exemption for life of John Duc of Wydyton from being put on assizes, juries, inquisitions or recognitions and from being made mayor, sheriff, escheator, coroner, justice of the peace or of labourers, collector of tenths, fifteenths or subsidies, taxer, trier, assessor, captain or governor of men at arms, hobelers or archers or other bailiff or minister of the king against his will. By p.s.

Nov. 25. Westminster. Presentation of John de Haliwell to the church of Forde, in the diocese of Durham. By p.s.

Nov. 29. Westminster. Grant, during pleasure, to Laurence Merbury, 'chivaler,' of the office of treasurer of the exchequer of Ireland, with all things belonging to it. By K. & C.

Nov. 28. Westminster. Presentation of John Bynbrok, king's clerk, to the parish church of Galtrym, in the diocese of Meath, in the king's gift by reason of the temporalities of the bishopric of Meath being in his hands. By p.s.

Nov. 25. Westminster. Grant to the king's brother John, earl of Somerset, of two whole beds with their fittings and certain pillows called 'quyssyns' in the custody of William Hody, escheator in the county of Devon, late of John, late earl of Huntyngdon, and forfeited by him to the king by reason of his treason. By p.s.

Nov. 19. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire John Hynstoke, whom the king has retained for life, of 50 marks yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Nov. 28. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire John Harpedaine of all lands, possessions and goods of Richard Harpedaine, his cousin german, who died without issue, which should pertain to John Harpedaine, 'chivaler,' dwelling in France, elder brother of the said John, as his next heir if he were faithful to the king and which have been forfeited to the king, provided that if they exceed 20 marks yearly he shall answer for the surplus. By p.s.

Nov. 28. Westminster. Pardon to William Petreson of Holand for the death of John Henrikson at Elyngtune in the county of Guynes on the 29 September, 1 Henry IV. By p.s.

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Dec. 2. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's son Thomas de Lancastre that he shall have all charters, letters patent and writs in Chancery or other places from the time of the coronation without fine or fee of the great seal. By p.s.

Dec. 3. Westminster. Mandate to the escheator in the county of Surrey for the restitution of the temporalities of the abbey of Certesey to Thomas Culverdon, monk of the house, whose election as abbot William, bishop of Winchester, has confirmed and whose fealty the king has taken. By K.

The like to the following:—

The escheator in the county of Buckingham.

John Fraunceys, mayor of London, and escheator in that city.

Writ *de intendendo* in pursuance to the tenants.

MEMBRANE 18.

Nov. 19. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Stourton of an indenture of the king's son Henry, prince of Wales, duke of Aquitaine, Lancaster and Cornwall, and earl of Chester, dated at Westminster, 20 November, 1 Henry IV, granting at farm to the said William his lodge and the herbage of his park of Meere, co. Wilts, beyond reasonable sustenance for the deer there, to hold for five years from Michaelmas last, rendering yearly at Westminster 66*s.* 8*d.*, repairing and maintaining the houses of the lodge and the enclosures of the park with the timber and wood there and finding hay for the winter sustenance of the deer, and making profit of the 'croppes' of timber and the boughs cut down for the 'brousyng' of the deer which are not suitable for repairs.

By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 25. Westminster. Grant to the king's clerk John Legburn of the prebend which John Rodbaston lately had in the collegiate church of Penkrich. By p.s.

Mandate in pursuance to J. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield.

Mandate in pursuance to the dean and chapter.

Nov. 20. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the burgesses of Helleston of letters patent dated 12 February, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Bothwell, 6 December, 10 Edward III [*Charter Roll, 10 Edward III, No.* 6], inspecting and confirming the following:—

1. A charter dated 15 April, 2 John.
2. A charter of Richard, king of the Romans, dated at Launceston, 6 January, in his third year. For 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 29. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire John Wynter of a tun of wine of Gascony of the king's prise yearly at the Purification in the port of Lenn. By p.s.

Nov. 27. Westminster. Pardon to Peter Parker of Walton, co. Somerset, for all felonies and trespasses committed by him, except treason, murder, rape, common larceny and homicide. By p.s.

Nov. 27. Westminster. Grant to the king's kinsman John Moubray son of the earl Marshal, deceased, of 150 marks yearly from Michaelmas last from the manor of Fennystanton, co. Huntingdon, during the minority of Thomas his brother, in lieu of a grant to him by letters patent dated 22 December last (*see p.* 170), surrendered because the manor of Chesterford there mentioned has been assigned to his mother in dower. By p.s.

Membrane 18—*cont.*

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Nov. 18. Westminster. Grant to the bailiffs and good men of the town of Kyngeston on Thames of pontage for three years, to be expended on the repair of the bridge of the town and the causeys of the same by the supervision of the king's esquire William Loueney.

Dec. 8. Westminster. Grant to the king's esquire William de Hodleston, in recompense of his great expenses and labours in the king's service from the time when the king last put in to England, of 33*l.* 5*s.* at the hands of Henry de Carleton and his fellows, collectors of a tenth and a fifteenth and a moiety of a tenth and a fifteenth granted to Richard II in his twenty-first year by the laity in the county of Lancaster, from the first moiety of the above. By p.s.

Nov. 28. Westminster. Grant to Robert Herbryk, esquire, of the office of the constableship of the castle of Karlagh in Ireland during the minority of the son and heir of Thomas, late earl Marshal and Nottingham, with wages, fees and profits as others have had. By p.s.

MEMBRANES 17 *and* 16.

Nov. 14. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Tideman, bishop of Worcester, of a charter dated at Westminster, 27 April, 14 Richard II [*Charter Roll*, 14 *Richard II*, *No.* 10], inspecting and confirming to H. then bishop a charter dated at York, 7 June, 9 Edward III [*Charter Roll*, 9 *Edward III*, *No.* 48], inspecting and confirming to S. then bishop the following:—

1. A charter dated at Westminster, 19 February, 6 Edward II [*Charter Roll*, 6 *Edward II*, *No.* 25], inspecting and confirming a charter of Edgar. [*Monasticon.*]
2. A charter* of Edward II inspecting the following :—
   (1.) A charter (*Saxon*) of Edward the Confessor.
   (2.) A charter of William [I].
   (3.) A charter of Henry II dated at Kempsey.
   (4.) A charter dated at Séez, 5 October, 8 Richard I.
   (5.) A charter dated at Geddington, 15 September, 1 Richard I.
   (6.) A charter dated at Séez, 8 August, 1 John. [*Rotuli Cartarum*, *p.* 10.]
   (7.) A charter dated at the Tower of London, 15 March, 16 John.
3. Letters patent dated 11 September, 19 Edward I, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 10 February, 42 Henry III.
4. A charter dated at Westminster, 7 May, 54 Henry III. [*Charter Roll*, 54 *Henry III*, *m.* 8.]
5. A charter dated at Clarendon, 6 November, 17 Edward I. [*Charter Roll*, 17 *Edward I*, *No.* 5.]
6. A charter dated at Westminster, 4 March, 2 Edward II. [*Charter Roll*, 2 *Edward II*, *No.* 24.]
7. A charter dated at Langley, 8 March, 2 Edward II. [*Charter Roll*, 2 *Edward II*, *No.* 22.]

For 10 marks paid in the hanaper.

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Sept. 4. Westminster. Commission to the king's knight Richard de Arundell of the city and castle of Rochester to keep for life, rendering yearly at the Exchequer for the custody of the same and for the wards belonging to the castle 23*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* only, as did John de Neuton, 'chivaler,' deceased, or William Arundell, 'chivaler,' deceased, brother of the same Richard, who severally held the custody by commissions of the late king. By p.s.

* The ending to this charter is omitted on the roll.

1400. *MEMBRANE* 15.

Nov. 22. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Thomas, earl of Arundell, and his heirs, of a charter dated at Westminster, 24 March, 11 Edward III, to Richard, earl of Arundell. [*Charter Roll*, 11 *Edward III*, *No.* 40.] For 100*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 20. Westminster. Grant for life to John Grome, 'armurer,' of London, for his good service to Edward III and the king, of 12*d.* daily at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Dec. 2. Westminster. Ratification of the estate which William Evenwod has as parson of the church of Blundeston, in the diocese of Norwich, provided that no plea is pending in the king's court and the king has not presented anyone to the same.

Dec. 2. Westminster. General pardon to Thomas de Bradshawe of Knottesford, co. Chester. By p.s.

Dec. 3. Westminster. Signification to Th. archbishop of Canterbury of the royal assent to the election of Katharine de Wyrlegh, nun of the house of St. Edith, Pollesworth, as abbess of that place.

Dec. 3. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight Thomas Pomeray, for the better maintenance of his knightly estate, to which the king caused him to be exalted at his last voyage in Scotland, of all messuages, lands, rents and services in the parish of Hemyok, co. Devon, called Madeford, Madeschamell and Gorewyk, worth 8*l.* yearly, late of William Hasthorpe, 'chivaler,' deceased, and in the king's hands because the latter was a bastard and died without issue, to hold to the said value provided that he answer for any surplus, notwithstanding another grant to him of 20*l.* yearly. By p.s.

Nov. 19. Westminster. Grant for life to John Reynald, serjeant at arms, and Elizabeth his wife of 20 marks yearly from the issues of the manor of Merston Meyse, in lieu of a like grant to the said John by letters patent of Anne, late queen of England, confirmed by letters patent of Richard II and the king, surrendered. By p.s.

Dec. 2. Westminster. Commission to H. bishop of Lincoln, on information that Master John Schepeye, dean of the cathedral church of Lincoln, which is the foundation of the king's progenitors and of the king's patronage, is striving to infringe and impugn certain ancient customs of the chapter, to summon the parties before him and enquire into and settle the matter. By K.

Dec. 5. Westminster. Grant to Walter fitz Piers of the archdeaconry of Salisbury in the cathedral church of Salisbury. By p.s.
Mandate in pursuance to R. bishop of Salisbury.
Mandate in pursuance to the dean and chapter.

Nov. 28. Westminster. Presentation of John Deye, chaplain of the chantry at the altar of St. Margaret in the chapel of St. Katharine in the cathedral church of St. Paul, London, founded for the soul of John Fabell, in the diocese of London, to the hospital of St. Bartholomew, Rye, in the diocese of Chichester, on an exchange of benefices with John Hoton, chaplain.

Dec. 3. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's clerk Robert Keynesham, one of the clerks of the king's chapel within the household, for his good service from the time of the coronation without wages or reward, of 12*l.* yearly from the fee-farm of the city of Dublin in Ireland with licence to receive the same by his attorneys for his use in England. By p.s.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because the king granted to him 20 *marks yearly for life from the issues of the lordship of Higham Ferrers.*

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Membrane 15—*cont.*

Dec. 2. Westminster. Whereas John, late earl of Salisbury, by licence of Richard II before his crossing to Ireland and of the will of Louis Clifford, 'chivaler,' who held the manor of Risburgh, co. Buckingham, which is of the inheritance of the king's son Henry, sold a certain quantity of wood of the manor to William Saundredon and William Morteyn to the sum of 500 marks and more of which they paid the greater part to him, and afterwards Bernard Saundredon and William Saundredon had licence by letters patent of the king to cut down and dispose of the remainder of the wood in the lifetime of the earl, and they fear to make payment to the king's said son of the sum of 166*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* due from them to the king for the wood, although he has of the king's grant all debts and arrears due to the king on 8 November, 1 Henry IV, within the principality of Wales and in the duchy of Cornwall, the king hereby grants to him the said sum, payable at certain terms within two and a half years. By p.s.

Dec. 2. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight Alfons de Montere, whom the king has retained for life, of 40*l.* yearly from the issues of the custom and subsidy of wools, hides and wool-fells in the port of London. By p.s.

Vacated because otherwise in this year.

Like grant to the king's esquire Peter Michel, retained for life. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 2 August the king granted the same to him from Easter last past from the petty custom in the said port.

Dec. 8. Westminster. Grant to Margaret 'de la chambre' of the earl of March of 10*l.* yearly from the manor of Wyggmore during the minority of Edmund the son and heir of Roger, late earl of March. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 14.

Nov. 27. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Martin, tailor to Anne late queen of England, of letters patent dated 23 September, 18 Richard II, granting to him for life 20*l.* yearly. By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Dec. 7. Westminster. Presentation of William Hampton, chaplain, to the church of Whytinton, in the diocese of St. Asaph.

Presentation of William Riel, parson of the church of St. Mary at the Gate, Bristol, in the diocese of Exeter, to the church of St. Andrew, Eschepe, London, in the diocese of London, on an exchange of benefices with Richard Roche.

Nov. 16. Westminster. Pardon to John Wroth, 'chivaler,' keeper of the manors of Womberlegh, Ridelcombe, Lomene, Gydesham, Stokryvers, Beauford and Langelogh, and two parts of the manor of Hunschaue, co. Devon, by virtue of letters patent of Richard II by reason of the minority of John Wroth son of Margaret one of the sisters of John de Welyngton brother of Ralph son and heir of John de Welyngton, 'chivaler,' deceased, tenant in chief, and William Segreth his servant, of all wastes and dilapidations committed by them in the premises, saving to the heir his suit. By p.s.

Dec. 6. Westminster. Grant for life to Simon Tillynton of the office of forester of Bergh in the forest of Fekynham, co. Worcester, with the due wages, fees and profits.

Vacated because in the fourth year. By p.s.

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Dec. 5. Westminster. Commission, during pleasure, to Henry Eylone of the office of pesage of wools in the port of Cicestre and ports and places adjacent. By bill of the treasurer.

Dec. 8. Westminster. Exemption for life of William Hyde, citizen and merchant of London, from being put on assizes, juries, inquisitions, attaints or recognitions, from being made mayor, sheriff, alderman, escheator, coroner, collector, assessor or taxer of tenths, fifteenths or other subsidies, justice of labourers, of the peace or other justice, mayor, constable or other officer of any staple of wools, trier or leader of men at arms or others, or other bailiff, officer or minister of the king, from being chosen as knight or burgess for Parliament, from taking knighthood and from having his houses taken for harbourage and his things taken by the king's purveyors. By p.s.

Dec. 4. Westminster. Grant for life to John Parker of 8*d.* daily from 4 October last from the petty custom in the port of London. By p.s.
Mandate in pursuance to the collectors. By K.

Dec. 8. Westminster. Grant to John Gybbes of the county of Gloucester and Katharine his wife of all their lands, rents and possessions, certain of which were lately taken into the king's hands by certain of his escheators although the king by letters patent had pardoned the said John. By p.s.

Dec. 5. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Philip de More of letters patent dated 1 February, 20 Richard II, confirming grants to him for life of 10*l.* and 100*s.* yearly and the office of constable of the castle of Goderych. By p.s. and for 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 9. Westminster. Licence, in consideration of a like licence by letters patent dated 18 May, 22 Richard II, and a fine of 40*l.* then made in Chancery, for Richard Medeford, bishop of Salisbury, to grant the advowson of the church of St. Thomas, Salisbury, to the dean and chapter of the cathedral church of St. Mary, Salisbury, in mortmain and for the latter to appropriate the church in mortmain, to pray for the good estate of the bishop and for his soul after death and the soul of Richard II and the father and mother of the bishop and to keep their anniversaries and to support other charges and works of piety, and to serve the church by a secular chaplain, provided that a competent sum of money be distributed yearly among the poor parishioners by the ordinary of the place. By p.s.

Dec 10. Westminster. Grant to the king's clerk Nicholas Slake of all his goods and chattels forfeited to the king on account of his outlawries at the suit of Drugo Barentyn and Richard Twyford of London on a plea of debt, for which the king has pardoned him. By p.s.

Nov. 18. Westminster. Restitution to Alesia late the wife of Thomas, earl of Kent, of the manor of Wokkyng, co. Surrey, which Joan, late princess of Wales, granted to them and the heirs of their bodies and from the possession of which she has been expelled by John Lokyngton, clerk, and Richard Kays, commissioners appointed by the king to take into his hands all possessions late of the said Thomas on the day of his insurrection, to hold to herself and the heirs of her body by the said Thomas with all issues from the time of his insurrection. By K.

Nov. 30. Westminster. Protection, until the next Parliament, for all Welshmen, lately in insurrection, who may be willing in the presence of the king's son the prince of Wales to come to Chester to make submission, and their men and possessions. [*Fœdera.*] By K.

1400. *MEMBRANE* 13.

Nov. 15. Westminster. Grant to the king's esquire John Fekenham of two parts of the manor of Rokford Meolys *alias* Elyngham, co. Southampton, which Walter Clopton, knight, held for life and which by his death and by reason of the minority of William Botreaux son and heir of William Botreaux, knight, have come into the king's hands, to hold during the said minority and so from heir to heir to the value of 12 marks yearly, provided that he answer for any surplus, notwithstanding other grants already made to him. By p.s.

Nov. 15. Westminster. Mandate to the escheator in the county of Middlesex for the restitution of the temporalities of the bishopric of Carlisle to Master William Styrkland, whom the pope has appointed to be bishop and who has renounced everything prejudicial to the crown in the papal bull and whose fealty the king has taken. [*Fœdera.*] By p.s.

The like to the escheators in the following counties :—

Lincoln.

Derby.

Northumberland, Cumberland and Westmoreland.

Writ *de intendendo* in pursuance to the tenants. By the same writ.

Nov. 21. Westminster. General pardon to Thomas de Holford of the county of Chester. By p.s.

Nov. 23. Westminster. Whereas Edward III on 2 January, 50 Edward III, by letters patent granted the manor of Southorp, co. Gloucester, to William Hervy and Mary his wife and the heirs male of their bodies, and William has died without such heir ; the king releases to Mary and her heirs the said manor to hold by the accustomed services to the value of 10*l.* yearly, provided that she answer for any surplus. By p.s. [2218.]

Oct. 29. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire John Reymes of three pipes of wine of the king's prise yearly at the Purification in the port of Great Jernemuth. By p.s.

Oct. 26. Windsor Castle. Grant to the king's brother Thomas Beaufort, 'chivaler,' of the custody of all manors, lands, rents and possessions late of Baldwin de Freville, 'chivaler,' deceased, tenant in chief, during the minority of his son and heir, with reversions, knights' fees, advowsons, liberties, franchises and other profits and commodities and the marriage of the heir without disparagement, and so from heir to heir, notwithstanding other grants already made to him. By K.

Nov. 16. Westminster. Grant for life to Eleanor the wife of Nicholas Dagworth, 'chivaler,' of the manors of Maunsfeld and Lyndeby in Shirewode, co. Nottingham, from 1 October, 1 Henry IV. By p.s.

Feb. 9. Westminster. Grant for life to William Sterky, messenger of the king's kinsman the earl of Northumberland, of 6*d.* daily at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Vacated because in the first year.

Nov. 17. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 2 April, 21 Richard II, granting to the abbot and convent of Fécamp in Normandy a moiety of the ancient farm from their possessions in England during the war with France. By K. & by p.s.

Dec. 8. Westminster. Whereas Eleanor, late duchess of Gloucester, granted to John Torell, esquire, 8*l.* yearly for life from the manor of Shenefeld, which has come into the king's hands on account of her death and by reason of the minority of Isabel her daughter, who is a recluse within the abbey of

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Minoresses without Algate in the suburbs of London, the king grants to him the same from Easter last so long as the manor remains in his hands. By p.s.

Dec. 5. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Irton of Scardeburgh of a writing of Peter de Castro Novo, Cistercian monk, proctor and warden of the church of St. Mary, Scardeburgh, dated at Scardeburgh on the vigil of the Nativity of St. Mary, 1398, granting to him and his heirs and assigns a messuage in Scardeburgh in the street called 'Seyntmarygate' lying between his tenement on the south, the tenement of William Harum on the north, the highway on the east and the tenement of the said William Harum on the west, at a rent of 13*s.* 4*d.* yearly. Witnesses :—William Percy and Thomas Peke, bailiffs of Scardeburgh, John Acclom, William Harum, John Carter and others. For 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 30. Westminster. Grant to the king's brother John, earl of Somerset, of a bed of 'baudekyn' embroidered with the arms of England and of 'Henaud' with three curtains of red 'sendel' and ten red tapets (*tapetas*) of tapestry pertaining to it, three tapets of arras to make a bed, ten pillows of red cloth of gold of which two are long, ten pillows of red 'velvet' of which two are long and twelve short pillows of white cloth of gold, in the custody of William Hody, late escheator in the county of Devon, late of John, late earl of Huntyngdon, and forfeited to the king by reason of his treason. By p.s.

Nov. 20. Westminster. Revocation of the protection with clause *volumus*, for one year, granted on 8 November last by letters patent to Thomas Marchall of the county of Kent, staying on the king's service in the company of the king's knight Thomas Swynbern, captain of the castle of Hammes in Picardy, on the safe-custody of the same, because the said Thomas Swynbern has personally asserted in Chancery that he was not there on that day.

Nov. 25. Westminster. Signification to Th. archbishop of Canterbury of the royal assent to the election of John Sudbury, monk of the house of Burton on Trent, as abbot of that place. By p.s.

Nov. 18. Westminster. Presentation of Master Edmund Lacy, king's clerk, bachelor in theology, to the church of Altangir, in the diocese of London. By p.s.

Dec. 18. Westminster. Appointment, during pleasure, of John atte Wode as steward of the manor of Hamsted Marchall, co. Berks, receiving the accustomed fees. By bill of the treasurer.

Dec. 6. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 7 February, 16 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 1 May, 41 Edward III, granting for life to John Cotell 1½*d.* daily. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 12.

Nov. 26. Westminster. Revocation of the protection with clause *volumus*, for half a year, lately granted to John Colshull going on the king's service in the company of the king's squire John Norbury, treasurer of England, to Scotland, because he delays in the city of London and elsewhere, as the sheriffs have certified.

Dec. 5. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Roger Acton of 20*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

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Membrane 12—*cont.*

Dec. 8. Westminster. Grant to Robert Chalouns and his heirs of the castle and manor of Chepyngtoryton, the manors of Cokyngton, Podyngton, Heghaaunton, Haghewell and a moiety of the manor of Northlieu, 20 messuages, 4 carucates of land, 400 acres of pasture, 400 acres of furze and heath, 100 acres of wood, 10 marks rent, 8 messuages, 3 carucates of land, 40 acres of meadow, 100 acres of furze and heath in Excestre, Chepyngtoriton, Cokyngton, Blaketoryton, Shepwayssh, Podyngton, Yernescombe and Monkekampton, with knights' fees in Inwardlegh, two acres of land in Alphyngton and the advowson of the church of the same town, co. Devon, the manors of Hundeston, Hardyngton and Chilton, 20 messuages, 2 carucates of land, 20 acres of meadow, 14*l.* rent, 20 messuages, 4 carucates of land, 20 acres of meadow, 100 acres of pasture, 20 acres of wood and 10*l.* rent in Yevele and Kyngeston by Yevele, Houndeston, Hardyngton, Chilton and Overattebeare, co. Somerset, and 8 messuages and 40*s.* rent in Donhedburgh, co. Cornwall, with knights' fees and all other fees, services, rents, reversions, advowsons, chattels called 'waifs' and 'strays,' fairs, markets, leets, hundreds, courts, wreck and jetsam of sea, chaces, warrens, infangthef and outfangthef and all other franchises, liberties and rights late of John Cary, 'chivaler,' and in the hands of Richard II by reason of a judgement against him in Parliament, 11 Richard II, confirmed in Parliament, 1 Henry IV, and a messuage in Charryng, co. Middlesex, late of Thomas Shelle, 'chivaler,' and in the king's hands by reason of his forfeiture, which premises are of the yearly value of 230*l.*, and free warren in all the said manors. By K.

Grant to Richard Whityngton, mercer of London, of assignment to be made by the treasurer and chamberlains of 1,000*l.* by tallies in the receipt of the Exchequer; in lieu of a grant to him by letters patent dated 24 May last (*see p.* 307), surrendered because on account of divers prests and payments made by him to divers lords of the realm he has not wherewithal to ship wools, hides or wool-fells in the port of London. By p.s.

Nov. 23. Westminster. Grant to Roger Honyton, esquire, of the custody of the lands in the county of Devon late of John Poulet and Idonia his wife, deceased, tenants in chief, extended at 10 marks yearly, during the minority of John their son and heir with the marriage of the latter without disparagement, and so from heir to heir, provided that he answer for any surplus, find a competent sustenance for the heir, maintain the houses, buildings, woods, enclosures and gardens without waste and support the services and charges. By p.s.

Nov. 18. Westminster. Whereas John de Bridlyngton, John de Lyndelowe, William Berde, John Tone, John Spencer, John Kirkham and John Loversale have used to have a fraternity or gild of themselves and other good men of the town of Beverley and have maintained a chaplain to celebrate divine service daily for the good estate of the brethren and sisters of the fraternity in the chapel of St. Mary in the same town; the king, for greater security and at their supplication and for 20 marks paid by them in the hanaper, grants licence for them and other good men of the same town to found a fraternity and gild in honour of St. Mary in the said chapel, to be called the fraternity and gild of St. Mary of Beverley. The brethren and sisters shall form one perpetual commonalty, finding a chaplain to celebrate divine service daily in the said chapel for the good estate of the king and his children and themselves and for their souls after death and doing other works of piety, and they shall yearly elect two masters from themselves for the governance of the gild and shall have power to acquire estate in lands. Licence also

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for the said John and others to grant in mortmain to the said chaplain six messuages, an acre of land and two gardens in the same town, not held in chief, worth 4 marks 6*s.* 2*d.* yearly, as appears by an inquisition taken before the escheator in the county of York. By p.s.

Oct. 29. Westminster. Grant for ten years to William Ferrour, yeoman of the king's kinsman Henry de Percy 'le fitz,' of the office of porter and keeper of the king's gaol of the castle of Carlisle, receiving the due fees and profits.
By K. on the information of Henry, earl of Northumberland.
Vacated because otherwise in this year.

Dec. 10. Westminster. Grant, with the assent of the council, to John de Waddesworth, treasurer of the church of St. Patrick, Dublin, parson of the church of St. Audoen and prebendary of Balymore, that he may dwell in England for four years and receive the profits of his benefices in the meantime by his attorneys and take them to England. By p.s.

Oct. 15. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Almaric de Sancto Amando, 'chivaler,' the elder, and Eleanor his wife, tenants of the undermentioned plots, of a writing of Henry, bishop of Winchester, dated at Merewell, Sunday after Midsummer, 4 Edward II, granting to Walter Wodelok that he may enclose with a dyke and hay two plots of land and wood, one in length from the field called 'Vorlonde' on the south to the field called 'Waddene' on the north and in breadth from the field called 'Tichehurst' on the east to the highway without the gate of Henry ate Crouche on the west, and the other in length from the messuage of the said Walter on the south (*sic*) to the highway called 'Okhelteslade' on the west and in breadth from the heath called 'le Hurst' on the south to the highway called 'Grenewey' on the north, and hunt deer therein, provided that the plots are not within the metes of his old warren. Witnesses:—Sirs James de Nortone, John de Scures, knights, Richard Wodelok, John de Thuddene, Richard de Winton, John Everard, Robert Helion and others.
For 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 28. Westminster. Protection, until the next Parliament at Westminster at the octaves of St. Hilary, for Maurice Penllyn, late lieutenant of the steward of Denebyghe, who lately made forfeiture to the king and has submitted himself to his grace, and for his goods and other things. By p.s.

The like for the following:—
Tudir ap Gruffith de Glendirdoy.
John Estwyk.
Cragh Fynant.

MEMBRANE 11.

Dec. 3. Westminster. General pardon to Belle Gogh ap David ap Cadogan of the commote of Arleghweth Issaph, co. Carnarvon. By p.s.

The like to the following:— By p.s.
Henry Walken of the same commote.
Gruffith ap David ap Cadogan of the same commote.

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March 2. Westminster. Grant to the mayor, bailiffs and citizens of Lincoln of pavage for three years.

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Dec. 8. Westminster. Grant for life to Nicholas Brencheley of 10*l.* yearly from the issues of the manor of Fremyngton, co. Devon, late of John Holand, earl of Huntyngdon, and in the king's hands by his forfeiture; in lieu of a grant to him for life of 20 marks yearly from the issues of the lordship of Fremyngton, by letters patent of the said earl, which have been accidentally lost, as he has taken oath in Chancery, and which he will bring to Chancery to be cancelled if found. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 10.

Oct. 20. Westminster. Exemplification, at the request of the abbot and monks of St. Mary Graces by the Tower of London of the tenours of the following :—

1. The foot of a fine levied at Westminster, Michaelmas, 27 Edward III, by which Hugh de Newehall, parson of the church of Blakedon, and Roger Magot, vicar of the church of Fremyngton, granted to James de Audele of Helegh for life the manors of Blakedon and Staunton by Dunsteresdene, co. Somerset, Bovytracy, Northlieu and Holdesworthy, co. Devon, and Takkebere, co. Cornwall, and the advowsons of the churches of Blakedon, Northlieu and Holdesworthy, the reversion of the manor of Westludeford, co. Somerset, and the advowson of the church of the manor on the death of Humphrey Trumwyn and the reversion of the manor of Langeacre, co. Devon, on the death of Margaret late the wife of William Martyn, with remainder to Edward III and his heirs.
2. Letters patent dated 9 March, 20 Richard II, inspecting and confirming to the said abbot and convent the enrolment of an indenture (*French*) of John, duke of Lancaster, and others dated at London on the feast of St. George, 5 Richard II.
3. Letters patent dated 13 March, 1 Henry IV (*see p.* 274).
4. Other letters patent of the same date (*see p.* 284).
5. A writ dated 20 July, 1 Henry IV, directing Robert Markele and Richard Kays to certify to the king touching their doings pursuant to the last letters patent.
6. The endorsement of the writ by the said Robert and Richard certifying that they delivered seisin of the said manors and advowsons to Ranulph, prior of the abbey, and Giles Fraunceys, attorneys of the abbot and monks.

MEMBRANE 9.

Dec. 14. Westminster Palace. Commission to the chancellor, treasurer and others of the king's council in Ireland, on complaint by the king's knight John Stanley, lieutenant in Ireland, that whereas the treasurer made suitable assignments to him on the customs of the realm for the safe-guarding and defence of that land a great part of the payment is in arrears, to cause a proclamation to be made that the king's loyal subjects are to assist the said lieutenant that payment may soon be made. *French.* By K. & C.

Dec. 12. Westminster. Exemplification, at the request of the abbot and convent of Westminster, tenants of the manors of Northalle and Downe, co. Middlesex, of the tenour of a charter of Edward, earl of Rutland, then duke of Albemarle, dated at Northalle, 12 April, 22 Richard II, granting the manors to Richard II and his heirs and assigns. Witnesses :—Adam Fraunceys, John Wroth, knights, Thomas Charleton, John Shordich, William Norton and others.

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Oct. 30. Westminster. Grant to Joan, prioress of the house of the order of the Preachers of Derteford, which is of the foundation of Edward III and of the king's patronage, as she is a recluse and so cannot labour in person about pleas and other businesses touching herself and her house, that she may appoint attorneys for this purpose; and acceptance of John Martyn and brother Walter Duraunt as her attorneys for one year.
John Wakeryng, clerk, received the attorneys.

Dec. 16. Westminster. Presentation of Simon Gaunstede to the church of Bonyngton *alias* Bonigton, in the diocese of York, in the king's gift by reason of the custody of the land and heir of Thomas Moubray, late duke of Norfolk, tenant in chief, being in his hands.

Dec. 14. Westminster. Exemplification, at the request of John Cophill, of the tenour of the enrolment of letters patent dated 7 November, 1 Henry IV (*see p.* 72). These letters have been accidentally lost, as he and John Cliderowe have taken oath in Chancery, and will be surrendered if found.

Dec. 16. Westminster. Mandate to the escheator in the county of Stafford for the restitution of the temporalities of the abbey of Burton on Trent, in the diocese of Coventry and Lichfield, to John Sudbury, monk of the house, whose election as abbot Master William Neuhagh, archdeacon of Chester, commissary of Thomas, archbishop of Canterbury, in his present metropolitical visitation, has confirmed and whose fealty the king has taken.
By p.s.

The like to the following:—
Robert Wychard, escheator in the county of Derby.
The escheator in the county of Warwick.
Writ *de intendendo* in pursuance to the tenants. By the same writ.

Dec. 18. Westminster. Grant to the king's sister Elizabeth Lancastre, countess of Huntingdon, of certain goods of her late husband, John Holand, late earl of Huntyngdon, in her hands, viz. four vestments of cloth of silk of divers colours with four little albs and four amices, two spoons, one of gold and the other of beryl, four vestments of cloth of gold of divers colours with four albs and four little amices, two vestments of 'tartaryn' and silk, six cloths of gold of divers colours given to her infants, a cloth of 'baudekyn,' a chalice, a pair of basins, twelve silver dishes, five basins, two 'escochons,' two hoops and another pair of basins, a lance, a shield and a lance-head, and also certain other goods late of the said earl delivered by the escheator in the county of Devon for the service of the said infants, an old bed of 'baudekyn' with seven old tapets of 'worsted,' an old 'celure,' an old 'testre' of silk with ten old tapets of red tapestry, eleven napkins, eleven towels (*tuellas et manutergeria*) used and torn, two basins, a laver, five dishes, four saucers (*salsaria*), a bowl, two pieces, a covered cup, six spoons and an old saltcellar (*salarium*) of silver, six brazen bowls, six pipkins, two little old kettles, four spits (*verua*), a pair of 'rakkes,' an old fryingpan (*cartaginem*) and an old gridiron (*craticulam*) of iron, ten dozen old vessels of 'peautre,' a missal and an old vestment of silk, which goods are estimated to be of the value of 40*l.* By p.s.

Dec. 5. Westminster. Grant to the king's servant John Marsh of a ship of the portage of 80 tuns of wine which, as appears by an inquisition taken before Simon Blakebourne, serjeant at arms, Hugh Quecche and John Goryng by the king's command and returned before the treasurer and barons of the Exchequer, Hugh Vertot, monk, bailiff of the alien abbot of Fécamp, called bailiff of Wormynghurst, co. Sussex, made without licence to the

Membrane 9—*cont.*

1400. use of himself and the abbot from the timber and wood of Wormynghurst, in the king's hands on account of the war with France, and which is consequently forfeited to the king, to hold to the value of 40*l.* provided that he answer for any surplus. By p.s.

1401.

Jan. 4. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Thomas Uphill, for his good service to the king's father and the king, of 100*s.* yearly from the issues of the king's manor of Langleye Marreys. By p.s.

Jan. 15. Westminster. Exemplification, at the request of Henry Gosenore, of the tenour of the enrolment of letters patent dated 23 July, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life the custody of a bridge called Rodebrigg by Suthampton. These letters have been accidentally lost, as he has taken oath in Chancery.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because with his assent on 16 *January the king granted the same for life to Thomas Leget.*

Jan. 10. Westminster. Grant to Christiana late the wife of Robert Swalwe of all goods late of the latter and forfeited to the king because he rose in insurrection, to the value of 40*l.*, provided that she answer for any surplus; notwithstanding that she has already of the king's grant a messuage and an acre of land in Lemyngton and goods late of the said Robert to the value of 6*l.* By p.s.

MEMBRANE 8.

1400.

Nov. 27. Westminster. Grant in dower to Elizabeth late the wife of Thomas, duke of Norfolk, in recompense of the castle and manor of Framelyngham, co. Suffolk, extended at 80*l.* yearly, which the king assigned to her in dower and now with her assent wishes to remain to himself during the minority of the heir of the duke because they are on the sea coast and exposed to various perils, of the castle and manor of Bretby, extended at 25*l.*, the manor of Rostlaston, extended at 15*l.* 6½*d.*, the manor of Coton, extended at 13*l.* 10*s.* ½*d.*, twelve messuages, 14 bovates of land and 10*l.* rent in Repyngton, Lynton, Meleton, Wylyngton, Asshburn and Howes, co. Derby, extended at 14*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.*, the manor of Penne, co. Buckingham, extended at 10*l.*, and the hundred of Goscote, co. Leicester, extended at 40*s.* yearly. By K.

Nov. 25. Westminster. Signification to J. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield of the royal assent to the election of John Sudbury, monk of Burton on Trent, as abbot of that place. By p.s.

Nov. 22. Westminster. Whereas Walter Fitz Wauter, 'chivaler,' and Joan his wife and Thomas Remys have shown the king that John Devereux, 'chivaler,' deceased, father of Joan, by licence of Richard II acquired from the abbot and convent of St. Stephen, Came, in Normandy, the manor called the priory of Frompton, co. Dorset, for life with successive remainders to Margaret his wife for life, John their son for life and the said Joan, renderingy early to the said king 120 marks, and the said John was seised of the same and afterwards the said king on 10 September, 9 Richard II, by letters patent released to them the said 120 marks yearly, and the said John died and Margaret entered into the priory and John the son died and afterwards the said king on 15 July, 17 Richard II, by letters patent committed to Thomas Remys and Thomas Breden, chaplain, the custody of the manor during pleasure from the death of the said John, rendering to the said king

1400. *Membrane* 8—*cont.*

the true value if it should be adjudged to him, but the said Margaret received the issues of the manor in her lifetime and died on 16 June, 21 Richard II, and since then the said Walter and Joan have occupied the manor and received the profits by virtue of the above-mentioned remainder, but nevertheless a process was made in the Exchequer against the said Thomas Remys to account before the treasurer and barons of the Exchequer for all issues of the manor in the lifetime of the said Margaret and since, although the right therein was never adjudged to Richard II or the king; the king with the assent of the council and by fine of 200*l.* paid by the said Walter and Joan at the receipt of the Exchequer, as John Norbury, treasurer of England, has verbally testified in Chancery, grants that they and the said Thomas shall be quit in respect of the entry into and occupation of the manor and all issues of the same from the death of the said John. By p.s.

Dec. 15. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire John Mersk, whom the king has retained for life, of 40*l.* yearly at the Exchequer, notwithstanding that he has of the king's grant the office of tronage of wools within the town of Calais. By p.s.

Dec. 10. Westminster. Pardon to the mayor, citizens and commonalty of Cork in Ireland, with the assent of the council and in consideration of the great losses which they have sustained by the invasion of the Irish and English rebels and that they may have more will to resist the king's enemies for the safety of the city, of the amercements incurred by them towards the king in the chancery and exchequer of Ireland by reason of undue return of writs and because they have not made their proffer and have not rendered their account yearly and for the green wax, which amercements extend it is said to 200*l.*, and the arrears of the farm of the city for the four years last past until Michaelmas last, amounting to the sum of 229*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.*; and grant to them with the assent of the council that from Michaelmas last during pleasure they shall be quit of the farm of the city, provided that the moneys from the farm be expended from time to time on the repair and fortification of the walls, gates and bridges of the city by the supervision and control of the king's esquire Robert Gardener of Bristol, who shall have 6 marks yearly from the same during pleasure. By p.s.

Nov. 12. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire William Clynton of 10*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Dec. 14. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Sybil de Felton, abbess of Berkyng, of letters patent dated 5 August, 22 Richard II, ratifying her estate in the advowson of the hospital of Illeford, founded by her predecessors, the priors, masters or wardens of which she and her predecessors have appointed and removed and to which she has appointed one Stephen as prior. For 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Dec. 21. Westminster. Pardon to the abbot, prior and convent of Burton on Trent of all moneys due to the king by reason of the voidance of the abbey and certain letters patent dated 10 November last (*see p.* 380), because the abbey has been impoverished by the improvident governance of Thomas, late abbot, and they have rendered to the king 40 marks and a tenth on his journey to Scotland. By K.

Dec. 23. Westminster. Writ of aid, during pleasure, for Peter Swan, the king's broiderer, whom the king has appointed to take broiderers, tailors, painters and other workmen for the king's works of the mistery of broidery in the city and suburbs of London and elsewhere. By bill of the treasurer.

1400. *Membrane* 8—*cont.*

Dec. 28. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Franceys, serjeant of the farriery, of a messuage in Suthwerk called 'le Aungell on the Hope' in the parish of St. Mary Magdalen, worth 6 marks yearly, and the offices of bailiff of Hastyng Rape and keeper of the forest of Dalyngton in Hastyng Rape, co. Sussex, worth 4 marks yearly, in the king's hands by the death of John Patewyn, provided that he answer for any surplus; in addition to the office of porter of the castle of Pevensey, which he has of the grant of the king's father and the profits of which extend to 2*d.* daily. By K.

Dec. 17. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the king's clerk Master John Prophet of letters patent dated 7 November, 19 Richard II, granting to him an allowance of cloth. By p.s. and for 6*s.* 8*d.* paid in the hanaper.

MEMBRANE 7.

Dec. 16. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent (*French*) of Henry de Percy, earl of Northumberland and constable of England, dated at Newcastle on Tyne, 4 August, 1 Henry IV, witnessing that on 2 August before him and Sir Ralph Neville, earl of Westmoreland and marshal of England, sitting in the court of chivalry in 'le moothalle' of Newcastle on Tyne, a case was heard in which John Kighlee, esquire, charged Sir Stephen le Scrope, 'chivaler,' with having in December last at the manor of Byngbury, co. Kent, plotted to restore Richard II and the latter charged the former with having in June last tried to murder him in his chamber in his manor of Bynbury, co. Kent, and judgement was given for the said Stephen. [*Fœdera.*]
By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Dec. 23. Westminster. Mandate to all sheriffs and others to cause the judgement to be proclaimed.

1401.

Jan. 1. Westminster. Presentation of John de Elvet, king's clerk, to the parish church of Shutlyngton, in the diocese of Lincoln. By p.s.

Jan. 8. Westminster. Mandate to the king's lieutenant and the chancellor in Ireland for the restitution of the temporalities of the bishopric of Ossory to Roger Appelby, elect of that church, late prior of the nunnery of Noneton, whom the pope has provided to be bishop on the death of John, last bishop, and who has renounced everything prejudicial to the king in the papal bull and whose fealty the king has taken. By K.

1400. Writ *de intendendo* in pursuance to the tenants. By K.

Dec. 27. Westminster. Writ *de intendendo* for John Wolf, whom the king's servant John Payn, chief butler, has appointed as his deputy during pleasure in the ports of Wynchelse and Rye. By bill of the butler.

1401.

Feb. 28. Westminster. The like for the following:—
John Tannesley of Notyngham in the port of Hull.
By bill of the butler.

Sept. 27. Westminster. John Kymberley in the ports of Ipswich and Colcestre.
By bill of the butler.

1400.

Dec. 24. Westminster. Whereas the ancestors of the last earl of Salisbury had of the grant of the king's progenitors to themselves and the heirs of their bodies 200 marks yearly from the issues of the coinage of tin in the county of Cornwall, and from this 120*l.* 2*s.* 5*d.* were due in arrear to the said last earl

1400. *Membrane 7—cont.*

and on his death to the king and of this sum the king's son Henry by force of a grant of the king (*see p.* 373) has been satisfied at the hands of John Copleston and other receivers in the county but these can get no allowance for the same in the Exchequer; the king, at the supplication of his son, grants the same to him, that the receivers may be quit.

1401. By p.s.

Jan. 16. Westminster. Grant for life to Thomas Leget of the custody of the bridge called Rodebrigg by Suthampton with the wages and profits belonging to it, in lieu of a like grant to Henry Gosenore by letters patent of Richard II (*see p.* 399), surrendered.

By K. on the information of the confessor and John Dalyngrigg, 'chivaler.'

Presentation of John de Santon to the church of Kyldalke, in the diocese of Meath, in the king's gift by reason of the voidance of the bishopric.

1400. *MEMBRANE 6.*

Dec. 8. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight Hortonk van Clux, who has taken knighthood at the king's order when the king was last in Scotland, of 40 marks yearly at the Exchequer in aid of the maintenance of his estate in addition to the 40*l.* yearly at the Exchequer granted to him for life when esquire. By p.s.

Dec. 24. Westminster. Mandate to the escheator in the county of Warwick for the restitution of the temporalities of the abbey of Pollesworthe, in the diocese of Coventry and Lichfield, to Katharine de Warlegh, nun of the house, whose election as abbess Simon Sydenham, doctor of laws, commissary of Thomas, archbishop of Canterbury, in his present metropolitical visitation, has confirmed and whose fealty the king has taken. By K.

The like to the escheators in the following counties:—

Gloucester.	Leicester.
Nottingham.	Stafford.

Writ de intendendo in pursuance to the tenants.

Dec. 20. Westminster. Grant to the king's kinswoman Constance the wife of Thomas Moubray son of Thomas, late duke of Norfolk, in lieu of a grant to her on 2 August last by letters patent (*see p.* 331), surrendered, of the manors of Dykelburgh, Dychyngham, Halveryate, Southwalsham and Harleston with a moiety of the hundred of Ersham, co. Norfolk, and a rent of Cratfeld, Stowepark and Berewic, co. Suffolk, all of the inheritance of her husband, to hold from Michaelmas last during his minority to the value of 200*l.* yearly, rendering the surplus yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

1401. *Vacated by surrender.*

Jan. 1. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight William Wakeleyn, for his good service to the king's father, deceased, and the king, of 10*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Jan. 4. Westminster. Grant to Edmund Lacy of the prebend which John Bowland, deceased, lately had in the king's college within his castle of Wyndesore. By p.s.

Mandate in pursuance to the dean or warden. By the same writ.

1400.

Dec. 30. Westminster. Whereas William Tabeler, Richard Lamborne and Ralph atte Crofte of the county of Surrey sued a writ of *decies tantum* against Thomas Graunt, chaplain, and Richard Curteys of London, 'hosiere,' supposing these to

Membrane 6—*cont.*

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have taken from them 8*l.* to make an embracery in a jury within the city of London for their verdict, which suit was not true, but on its being pleaded at a *nisi prius* at St. Martin le Grand, London, the jury went against the said Thomas and Richard, by which one moiety of the *decies*, amounting to 40*l.*, pertains to the king and the other 40*l.* to the plaintiffs; the king pardons to the said Thomas and Richard the 40*l.* pertaining to him, as they have not goods or lands from which to pay the sum and for fear of imprisonment have entered sanctuary. By p.s.

Dec. 26. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire John Gamull, for his good service to Richard II without reward and to the king, of 20 marks yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

1401.

Jan. 4. Westminster. Mandate to the steward, marshals and harbinger of the household and their lieutenants and all purveyors not to meddle with the towns of Hakeney and Leydon, which the king has assigned to his son Thomas for life for the livery of himself and his household (*familie*). [*Fœdera.*]

1400.

By p.s.

Dec. 15. Westminster. Grant to Robert Brayton, chaplain, of the prebend which John Redbaston had while he lived in the collegiate church of St. Michael, Penkrych. By p.s.

1401.

Mandate in pursuance to the dean and chapter.

Jan. 18. Westminster. Presentation of John Ayleston, chaplain, to the church of Welbey, in the diocese of Norwich. By K.

Jan. 1. Westminster. Grant to the king's clerk Robert Crull, canon of the cathedral church of Dublin in Ireland and prebendary of Swerdes in the same, that for four years he may dwell in England and receive the fruits of his benefice, notwithstanding any ordinance against absentees. By p.s.

1400.

Dec. 26. Westminster. Presentation of John Salyng, parson of the church of Fordham, in the diocese of London, to the vicarage of the church of Aldermanston, in the diocese of Salisbury, in the king's gift by reason of the alien priory of Shirbourn being in his hands on account of the war with France, on an exchange of benefices with Robert Burgh.

1401.

Jan. 10. Westminster. Protection with clause *volumus*, until St. Matthew the Apostle, for Robert Bouland, clerk, and his men and possessions. By K.

Jan. 5. Westminster. Licence for J. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield to absent himself from the next Parliament at Westminster. By p.s.

Jan. 16. Westminster. Pardon to Richard Raly, porter and gaoler of the castle of Okeham, co. Rutland, for the escape from his custody on Thursday, 13 January last, of Thomas Piper and John Laborer, charged with felony and imprisoned in the castle. By p.s.

Jan. 14. Westminster. Grant for life to Thomas Leget of 5 marks yearly at the Exchequer, in lieu of a like grant to William del Saucerie by letters patent, surrendered. By p.s.

Jan. 12. Westminster. Licence for John Banham and John Walters to ship 80 quarters of salt, 80 tuns of old undrinkable wine and 20 packs of cloth in a ship called *la Cristofore* in the port of Bristol and take the same to Ireland and make their profit therefrom, and to salt salmon with the salt and bring back the salmon and hides and divers other merchandise to England.

Jan. 14. Westminster. Presentation of Master Richard Teukesbury to the church of Somerton, in the diocese of Bath and Wells. By p.s.

Membrane 6—*cont.*

1401.
Jan. 18. Westminster. Grant for life to Hanquyn Leke of all tenements late of Simon Thurkeld in the town of Jernemuth, forfeited by the latter for the death of William Denys and taken into the king's hands by the escheator of the counties of Norfolk and Suffolk, not exceeding the value of 40*s.* yearly, provided that he answer for any surplus. By p.s.

1400.
Dec. 23. Westminster. Confirmation to the king's kinsman John, earl of Somerset, late marquess of Dorset, and Margaret his wife and the heirs of their bodies of a rent of 4*l.* from the manor of Walsale, co. Stafford, granted to them by Richard II. By K.

1401.
Jan. 24. Westminster. Revocation of the protection with clause *volumus*, for one year, lately granted by letters patent to William Cost, staying on the king's service in the company of the king's esquire John Orewell, captain of the castle of Sandegat in the parts of Picardy, on the safe-custody of the same, because he delays within the liberty of the city of London, as the sheriffs have certified.

Jan. 28. Westminster. Grant to the king's clerk John Wysebech of the prebend of Tawmotham in the cathedral church of Ferns in Ireland. By p.s.

Mandate in pursuance to the guardian of the spirituality of the bishopric. By the same writ.

Mandate in pursuance to the dean and chapter. By the same writ.

MEMBRANE 5.

Jan. 6. Westminster. Presentation of Thomas Bossefrawel, chaplain, to the church of Stretton, in the diocese of York. By p.s.

1400.
Dec. 29. Westminster. Licence, for one year, for the king's knight Edward de Charleton and Eleanor his wife to receive all issues from the lordships, lands and possessions which they hold in her dower late of Roger de Mortuo Mari, earl of March and Ulster, her late husband, in Ireland, and take the same to England, notwithstanding the ordinance against absentees. By p.s.

Nov. 26. Westminster. Grant to the king's servants John Hawley, John Wold and John Croseby of the moneys pertaining to the king for the escape of eight prisoners, viz. Walter Hankyn, John Carpenter, William Chapman *alias* Hathewey, Robert Baker, Roger Hichekoc, Thomas Croft, John Parker and Simon Parker, from the prison of Northampton on 18 November last. By p.s.

1401.
Jan. 12. Westminster. Protection, for one year, for John Beket and John Pedmersch, whom Thomas, archbishop of Canterbury, has ordered to cite all persons preaching heretical opinions to appear before him on a certain day. By K.

Jan. 15. Westminster. Grant, during the minority of John Powelet, to the king's esquire John Horsy of 27*l.* yearly from the issues of the lands, rents and possessions in the king's hands by reason of the said minority in the county of Somerset. By p.s.

Jan. 18. Westminster. James le Botiller, earl of Ormond, staying in Ireland, has letters nominating John Ballard, citizen of London, and Hugh Helwys his attorneys in England for two years.

Thomas, bishop of Waterford in Ireland, received the attorneys by writ.

Membrane 5—cont.

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Dec. 24. Westminster. Grant to Robert Mascall, the king's confessor, of the custody of the temporalities of the bishopric of Meath in Ireland from the death of Robert (*sic*), the last bishop, so long as they remain in the king's hands.

1401.

Grant to the king's clerk Roger Coryngham of the deanery of Wynbournemynstre. By K.

Jan. 8. Westminster. Licence for the alienation in mortmain to the warden and vicars of the college in the choir of the church of St. Ethelbert, Hereford, by Thomas Homme, Walter Thurcleston, Walter Walle, John Ewyas and William Osket, chaplains, of a messuage in Hereford, by the same Thomas and Thomas Thurgrym, Thomas Prytfot, William Malmeshull, Nicholas Boteler and Stephen Hakeney, chaplains, of a messuage in the same city, by Master Roger Hore, clerk, Master Nicholas Brydport, clerk, John de la Ree, chaplain, John Chalouner, chaplain, and Edmund de la Feld, chaplain, of a garden and three shops in the said city, and by the said Thomas Homme and Walter Walle and John Stone and William Churbury, chaplains, of 4 acres of meadow in the suburbs of the city, held of the king in burgage, and worth 6*s.* 8*d.* yearly, as appears by an inquisition taken before John Maunce, late escheator in the county, to hold to the value of 20*s.* in part satisfaction of a licence by letters patent of Edward III.

Jan. 15. Westminster. Pardon to William Flemyng of Pountfret for the murder of John Murdok of York, 'spicer,' in his house in Staynegate in York on Tuesday before the Decollation of St. John Baptist, 22 Richard II, of malice aforethought. By p.s.

Jan. 14. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Astyn of letters patent dated 11 January, 19 Richard II, granting to him for life 8*d.* daily. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Jan. 19. Westminster. Presentation of John Loueney, chaplain, to the church of Wydecombe, in the diocese of Bath and Wells. The letters are directed to the keeper of the spirituality of the bishopric, the see being vacant. By p.s.

Jan. 21. Westminster. Grant to the king's esquire William Loueney, keeper of the great wardrobe, of the custody of all lands late of Philip Popham, esquire, deceased, tenant in chief, to the value of 20 marks yearly during the minority of his son and heir with the marriage of the latter without disparagement, and so from heir to heir, provided that he answer for any surplus, find a competent sustenance for the heir, maintain the houses, buildings, woods, gardens and enclosures without waste and support all other charges, and notwithstanding certain other grants already made to him. By p.s.

Jan. 12. Westminster. Grant for life to Robert Gentilman of the office of bailiff of the hundred of Wyston, co. Gloucester, with the due fees and profits, in lieu of a like grant to Nicholas Spaldyng by letters patent of Richard II, confirmed by the king on 17 November, 1 Henry IV, surrendered. By p.s.

Jan. 21. Westminster. Appointment, during good behaviour, of the king's servant William Fitz Hugh, goldsmith, as assayer of the mint within the Tower of London and controller of the master of the mint there, receiving the accustomed wages and fees. By p.s.

Jan. 28. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Warde of letters patent (*French*) of John de Holand, late earl of Huntingdon, dated at Berkhamstede, 1 August, 10 Richard II, granting for life to the said John the office of the

1401. *Membrane 5—cont.*

keeping of his park of Dertyngton with the keeping of his foreign woods and warren there, with wages of 2*d.* daily from the issues of the manor and all other profits. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

MEMBRANE 4.

Jan. 17. Westminster. Grant for life to Benessh Fanderdowle, whom the king has retained for life, of 100 marks yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

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Dec. 24. Westminster. Grant with the assent of the council to the king's kinsmen Henry de Percy, earl of Northumberland, warden of the castle and town of Carlisle and 'la Westmarche' towards Scotland, and Henry de Percy the son, warden of the town of Berwick and 'la Estmarche' towards Scotland, that they shall have their payments for the custodies of the above from the customs and subsidy of wools in the ports of Boston and Kyngeston on Hull before any assignment or payment thence except the payment to the town of Calais and the marches there and other assignments made before this date, viz. the earl shall have 1,500*l.* yearly and his son 3,000*l.* yearly, divided equally between the ports, in time of truce, provided that no payment be made them otherwise in time of truce by force of any mandate of the king made before this date. By p.s.

Dec. 28. Westminster. Grant to the king's servant and barber John Selby of all that pertains to the king for the escapes of Roger Rust and Simon Childe from the gaol of the castle of Canterbury, where they were for certain felonies. By K. and by p.s.

Memorandum. The word Childe was amended by precept of the chancellor. [*Childe is written over an erasure.*]

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Jan. 21. Westminster. Presentation of John Sage, chaplain, to the church of Rosse in Holdernesse, in the diocese of York.

Jan. 18. Westminster. Grant to Isabel Thorley of the custody of all lands late of Richard Thomer, esquire, deceased, in the county of Somerset in the king's hands by reason of the minority of John his son and heir and by reason of the lands of John, late earl of Salisbury, deceased, of whom the said Richard held in chief by knight-service, being in his hands, to hold to the value of 100*s.* yearly during the minority of the said heir with his marriage without disparagement, and so from heir to heir, provided that she answer for any surplus, find a competent sustenance for the heir, maintain the houses, buildings, woods, gardens and enclosures without waste and support all other charges. By p.s.

Jan. 24. Westminster. Grant, during pleasure, to William Tolymond of the office of tronage and pesage of wools, hides and wool-fells in the port of Suthampton, receiving the accustomed fee. By bill of the treasurer.

Jan. 22. Westminster. Friar Robert Mascal, the king's confessor, staying in England, has letters nominating Laurence Merbury, 'chivaler,' and Henry Myle, chaplain, his attorneys in Ireland for one year. The chancellor received the attorneys.

Jan. 25. Westminster. Grant to the same that he may absent himself from Ireland and receive by his attorneys the fruits of the temporalities of the bishopric of Meath, granted to him on 24 December last by letters patent from the death of Alexander, the last bishop. [*Fœdera.*] By K.

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Membrane 4—*cont.*

Mandate in pursuance to the lieutenant, chancellor, treasurer, justices and other ministers of Ireland. By K.

Jan. 14. Westminster. Grant for life to John Melbourne of the office of ranger of the forest of Sapele and Wauberge, co. Huntingdon, receiving yearly such fees and rewards as other foresters there have at the hands of the keepers of the forests and four 'routhers' yearly in the forest by the view of the keepers or their lieutenants; in lieu of a like grant to John Benefeld by letters patent of Richard II, confirmed by letters patent of the king, surrendered. By K.

Jan. 24. Westminster. Presentation of Robert Colmy, chaplain, to the vicarage of the church of Chuton, in the diocese of Bath and Wells. The letters are directed to the keeper of the spirituality of the bishopric, the see being vacant.

Jan. 31. Westminster. Presentation of William Marchall, chaplain, to the church of Helmeley, in the diocese of Norwich, void by the resignation of Thomas Terry.

Jan. 26. Westminster. Grant to Richard Condelowe of Ayleston, co. Leicester, of his goods, which were taken into the king's hands by the escheator in the county because he was outlawed in the city of London on a plea of debt at the suit of Robert Smyth of Ayleston, John Leyre, clerk, and John Broun of Ayleston. By p.s.

Jan. 24. Westminster. Presentation of Edward Upton to the portion which Richard Shelly lately had in the church of Wodusdon, in the diocese of Lincoln.

Jan. 26. Westminster. Pardon to John Mathewe, clerk, of Rodeley for all trespasses and felonies committed by him, except treasons, murders and rapes. By p.s.

Jan. 22. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the burgesses of Pembrok of letters patent dated 16 January, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 14 November, 34 Edward III, inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Reading, 15 May, 40 Henry III. For 4 marks paid in the hanaper.

Jan. 12. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the prior and monks of St. Mary's, Bynham, of a charter dated at Westminster, 1 May, 26 Edward III [*Charter Roll*, 25-27 *Edward III*, *No.* 25], inspecting and confirming a charter of Henry I dated at Westminster. [*Monasticon*, III. 351.] For 30*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 9. Westminster. Whereas William Corby has shown that Richard II granted to him for life 7½*d.* daily at the hands of the keeper of the great wardrobe and he did not sue for confirmation of this grant to the end that he should have the custody of the castle of Launceston, co. Cornwall, receiving yearly for his fees and wages 10*l.* from the profits and issues of Graundpont, co. Cornwall, and the grant was confirmed by the king and his son the prince and from the time of the coronation till now he has had the charge of the castle and the prisoners in it without any payment because the king has granted the rent and profits of Grandpont to one John Chawese, dwelling with his sister the countess of Huntyngdon; the king grants that the said William shall have the said fees and wages from the issues of Graundpont as he used to have. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 3.

Jan. 14. Westminster. Whereas John Sunday, late parson of the church of St. Mary, Wollechirchehawe, London, was seised in his demesne as of fee of certain

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tenements in the lanes of Soperslane and Nedlerslane in the parish of St. Antoninus, London, viz. a tenement called 'le Blakeloft' with four shops annexed, another tenement with four shops annexed and a shop with a solar built upon it, late of Thomas Romayn, late citizen of London, and not exceeding the value of 40*s.* yearly because they are ruinous and uncovered, and the said John, who was not a freeman of the city, bequeathed them in his will to the abbot and convent of Waltham Holy Cross and after his death they were seised thereof without licence, and for this reason and because the said John died without heir they were taken into the king's hands as forfeited; the king grants them for life to Thomas Knolles and Richard Forster, citizens of London. By K.

Jan. 19. Westminster. Grant to the king's servants John Rasch and Jacob of the 40*l.* late of William Lescrope, 'chivaler,' deceased, which at the time of his death were in the hands of Robert Selby his servant and which were taken from the latter by Thomas Eston, now sheriff of Bedford, before he was sheriff, and are still concealed from the king in the hands of the said Thomas and pertain to the king by the forfeiture of the said William. By p.s.

Jan. 20. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Sir William Sleford, clerk, of a writing of Ralph Mayloc, prior of the alien priory of Lyre Ocle, in the diocese of Hereford, dated 1 March, 1 Henry IV, granting to him for life a yearly quit rent of 10*l.* from all lands, rents and services in the county of Hereford and elsewhere within the realm pertaining to the priory, beginning at Michaelmas following, and putting him in possession by the payment of 2*d.* in the presence of John Philippot, William Butte, citizens and mercers of London, and Thomas Wake, king's esquires.
For 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Jan. 12. Westminster. Licence for Richard de Elvet, dean of the king's collegiate church of St. Mary Newark, Leicester, to found a chantry of two chaplains to celebrate divine service daily in the said church for the good estate of the king and John Elvet, clerk, and for their souls after death and the souls of the king's father and Constance his mother, deceased; and grant to him of the advowson of the church of Arnale, co. Nottingham, in the diocese of York, which the king lately had of the grant of the said John, with licence to appropriate the church in mortmain to find the said chaplains, provided that a vicarage be sufficiently endowed and a competent sum of money from the fruits of the church be distributed yearly among the poor parishioners according to the ordinance of the diocesan.
By K.

Jan. 25. Westminster. Grant to the king's mother Katharine, who holds for life the castle, manor and honour of Tykhill and Laghton in Morthyng and the manors of Gryngeley and Wheteley, that in the above with their fees, members and appurtenances she shall have all liberties and franchises which the king's father had of the grant of Edward III and Richard II; and pardon to her for any undue use of the same before this time. By p.s.

Jan. 25. Westminster. Grant to the king's servants William Fynbargh, esquire, and John Peek, yeomen of the pantry, of the custody of all lands late of Laurence Pabenham, 'chivaler,' deceased, tenant in chief of Richard II, except certain lands to the value of 10*l.* granted by the king to John Passivant, to hold to the value of 24 marks yearly during the minority of John the son and heir, and so from heir to heir, in addition to other grants already made to them. By p.s.

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Jan. 27. Westminster. Pardon to William Tannere of his outlawry in the county of Sussex for not appearing before Richard II to answer him and John Colbrond for leaving the service of the latter at Tysherst before the term agreed upon, he having surrendered to the Marshalsea prison, as William Gascoigne, chief justice, has certified.

April 25. Westminster. The like to William atte Wode of London of his outlawry in the county of Middlesex for not appearing before the king to answer for certain trespasses.

Sept. 18. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Thomas Trewyn of letters patent dated 29 December, 2 Henry IV, exemplifying letters patent dated 6 November, 17 Richard II. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Jan. 25. Westminster. Protection for Margaret Ballagh of Galuy in Ireland, who long ago made a vow of chastity, and for her rents, possessions and goods. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 2.

Jan. 18. Westminster. Grant to Edmund Parker, by mainprise of John Metton of the county of Kent and William Kyerl of the same, of the custody of all lands late of Richard Lercedekene, deceased, who held of the castle of Barnestaple, late of John, late earl of Huntingdon, who made forfeiture to the king, during the minority of Thomas his son and heir with the marriage of the latter without disparagement, paying 40*s.* at the Exchequer, provided the lands do not exceed 60*s.* yearly, as he says, and finding a competent sustenance for the heir, maintaining the houses and buildings and supporting all charges. By bill of the treasurer.

Jan. 26. Westminster. Presentation of John Donne, chaplain, to the chantry of Womburley, in the diocese of Exeter, void by the resignation of Henry Louenak.

Jan. 25. Westminster. Grant for life to John Hotte of the office of porter of the first gate of the castle of Vyse with the fees and wages belonging to it, which wages extend to 2*d.* daily. By p.s.

——— To the mayor, sheriffs and citizens of York. *Unfinished.*

Jan. 25. Westminster. Grant for life to Andrew Duresme of the office of keeper of the gaol of the castle of Newcastle on Tyne with the fees, wages and profits as John Manvell had. By p.s.

Jan. 28. Westminster. Exemplification, at the request of Richard Petir, of the tenour of the enrolment of letters patent dated 20 April, 21 Richard II, ratifying his estate as parson of the church of St. Patrick, Trym, co. Meath, in Ireland.

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Dec. 12. Westminster. Grant for life to John Cornwaill and the king's sister Elizabeth Lancastre his wife, late the wife of John Holand, earl of Huntyngdon, in lieu of a like grant to her by letters patent, surrendered, of 1,000 marks yearly from the petty custom in the port of London until they shall be provided by the king with lands to that value, notwithstanding certain other grants already made to them. By K.

Memorandum. On 18 *November, in the seventh year,* 181*l.* 4*s.* 4*d. were assigned to them from the farms of divers alien priories in the king's hands with other possessions before granted to them in full deduction of the said* 1,000 *marks.*

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Jan. 31. Westminster. Ratification of the estate which Richard Hals has as treasurer of the cathedral church of St. Peter, Exeter, and prebendary of the prebend which Nicholas Braybroke lately had in the same, provided that he did not obtain the treasurership or prebend by apostolic provision and that no plea is pending in the king's court. By K.

Feb. 1. Westminster. The like for the following:—

Thomas Sedyn, parson of the church of Dodyngton, in the diocese of Lincoln.

Feb. 8. Westminster. Robert de Louthere, vicar of the church of Wygton, in the diocese of Carlisle.

Feb. 12. Westminster. Geoffrey Davenport, prebendary of Blakrath in the cathedral church of St. Kanice, [in the diocese of] Ossory, in Ireland. By p.s.

Walter Medeford, treasurer of the cathedral church of St. Paul, London. By p.s.

Feb. 17. Westminster. Simon Wyrkyngton, parson of the church of Morisseby, in the archdeaconry of Richemund.

Feb. 27. Westminster. Walter Clifford, parson of the church of Hanmere, in the diocese of Coventry and Lichfield.

March 7. Westminster. William Batysford, parson of a mediety of the church of Gamelyngeye.

March 1. Westminster. Nigel Hamme, parson of the church of Kynkeston Seymour, in the diocese of Bath and Wells.

Jan. 27. Westminster. Grant to Richard Maydeston of the wardenship of the free chapel within the manor of Lacheley, in the diocese of London, in the king's gift by reason of the minority of the son and heir of the earl of March. By p.s.

Jan. 30. Westminster. Whereas by an inquisition taken before Thomas Cammell, late escheator of Richard II in the county of Somerset, it was found that Henry Belman, William Montfort, Richard Bryt, John Unewyne, chaplain, John Abbotesbury, Robert Alford and Robert Goule, now deceased, wardens of the lands or rent of the chapel of the Holy Trinity, Yevele, acquired divers lands sometime of Robert Bays in Yevele, to find a chaplain to celebrate divine service daily in the chapel for the souls of themselves and their successors and the benefactors of the chapel without licence, and on the petition of the said Henry, William, John, John and Robert Alford to the king that as they had been long seised of the premises, except one messuage which the said Richard held for life of them at a rent of 5*s*. yearly, and the said rent in their demesne as of fee and not as wardens of the chapel until they were expelled by colour of the said inquisition and certain letters patent of Richard II granting the same to Thomas Walsyngham and Thomas Holgill by the name of certain lands in Yevele late of William Mulborn, 'chivaler,' John de Lokton, Thomas Tolre, John Raules and John Prykke, the king should grant them a remedy, and the king directed the sheriff to summon the said Thomas Walsyngham and Thomas Holgyll to appear before him in Chancery, and the sheriff returned that he had summoned them by William Graunger and John Derham and they did not appear and judgment was given against them; the king revokes the said letters patent.

MEMBRANE 1.

Jan. 28. Westminster. Whereas the king's brother John, earl of Somerset, on 12 July, 22 Richard II, received by the name of the marquess of Dorset at the

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hands of William Wittewell, his clerk, from William le Scrope, then treasurer of England, 200*l.* for the wages of 100 armed men and 200 archers to ride for 20 days in the company of the king's uncle Edmund, duke of York, then keeper of England in the absence of Richard II in Ireland, and now by a process in the Exchequer the sheriff of the said county (*sic*) is charged with levying the said 200*l.* from the lands of the earl in the said county; the king, at the supplication of the earl, pardons to him the said sum. By K.

Jan. 23. Westminster. Grant for life to Thomas de la Croix, esquire, whom the king has retained for life, of 40*l.* yearly from the issues of the hanaper. By p.s.

1400.

Mandate in pursuance to the keeper of the hanaper.

Nov. 28. Westminster. Licence, for 80 marks paid by him in the hanaper, for Hugh son of John Cressy, knight (*militis*), to enfeoff Robert Cumberworth and John Gayteford of the manors of Risgate and Braytoft, held of the king in socage by the service of 40*s.* yearly, and for the latter to re-grant the same to him and the heirs of his body, with remainders in moieties as below, viz., firstly to John de Clifton, knight, and Katharine his wife, sister of the said Hugh, and the heirs of her body and then to John Markham and his heirs of the body of Elizabeth his late wife, sister of the said Hugh, and *vice versa*, secondly to William Erghom, knight, and his heirs of the body of Katharine his late wife, sister of the said John Cressy, and then to Elizabeth Vavasour, sister of the said John Cressy, and the heirs of her body and *vice versa*, thirdly to Hugh Cressy of Oulecotes and the heirs of his body and lastly to the right heirs of the said Hugh son of John.

1401.

Feb. 1. Westminster Grant for life to the king's knight John de Eylesford and Margaret his wife of a messuage in Seremerlane, London, of the value of 4 marks, to hold from 7 February, 1 Henry IV, to that value, in lieu of a like grant to them by letters patent of that date, surrendered because worthless because mention is not made of the value of the messuage according to the statute in the last Parliament; notwithstanding that Edward III granted to Roger Bellers, grandfather of the said Margaret, and his heirs the hundred of Framland, of the value of 31*l.* yearly, and provided that they answer for any surplus beyond the said 4 marks. By p.s.

Feb. 2. Westminster. Exemption for life of John de Dynham, 'chivaler,' from being put on assizes, juries, inquisitions or recognitions and from being made sheriff, escheator, coroner, justice of the peace, collector of tenths, fifteenths or other subsidies, taxer, trier, assessor of customs, ulnager, controller, bailiff or other minister or officer of the king against his will. By p.s.

1400.

Nov. 7. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Grendor of letters patent dated 18 May, 20 Richard II, confirming a grant to him for life by Gilbert Talbot of 10*l.* yearly. By p.s. and for 6 marks paid in the hanaper.

1401.

Feb. 1. Westminster Confirmation of letters patent dated 19 August, 13 Richard II, granting licence for the king's clerk Robert de Faryngton, canon of the cathedral church of Dublin in Ireland and prebendary of Lusk in the same, to absent himself from Ireland. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 6. Westminster. Presentation of Ralph de Forthyngton, parson of the church of Wydmerpole, in the diocese of York, to the church of Southwokyndon, in the diocese of London, in the king's gift by reason of his custody of the land and heir of Ingelram Bruyn, knight, tenant in chief, on an exchange of benefices with John Loughton.

Membrane 1—*cont.*

1401.
Feb. 4. Westminster. Whereas Thomas, archbishop of Canterbury, late archbishop of York, and Thomas, prior of Christ Church, Canterbury, have shown the king that Richard II on 18 September, 20 Richard II, by letters patent committed to them the custody of the lands and heir of John Septvanz, esquire, then in his hands by reason of the voidance of the archbishopric of Canterbury with the marriage of the heir, but they never had possession because it was never found that the said John died seised of any lands held of the archbishopric by knight service, but nevertheless they are called upon to answer for the issues of the lands and the value of the marriage in the Exchequer; the king pardons the same to them. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 39*d.*

1400.
Oct. 12. Westminster. Commission to John Perant, serjeant at arms, to arrest Henry Colne, prior of Colne, and John Sudbury his fellow monk and John Preston, pretending to be prior, and bring them before the king and council. By C.

Oct. 20. Westminster. Commission, until the Purification next, to John Colshyll and Richard de la Panetre to take carts, carters and horses for the carriage of the harness and victuals of the king's son Henry, prince of Wales and earl of Chester, from London to Chester.

MEMBRANE 38*d.*

Oct. 12. Westminster. Commission to Richard Kays and David Bertevyll, serjeants at arms, Thomas Brugge of Teukesbury, esquire, and Thomas Hompton of Sobbury to enquire in the city of London and the counties of Worcester, Gloucester, Oxford, Berks, Wilts and Buckingham about any goods and chattels late of Thomas, late lord le Despenser and pertaining to the king by his forfeiture and to deliver them to the treasurer with all haste and to certify thereon to the king in Chancery. By C.

Nov. 4. Westminster. Commission of oyer and terminer to William Thirnyng, Gerard Braybrok the younger and John Cokeyn, on complaint by Robert Druwell that Robert Chysell, William Cartere of Raundes, William 'Robertespage Chysell,' Thomas Broun, Stephen Broun and others broke his close and house at Newenton by Hygham Ferrers, co. Northampton, assaulted him and carried away his goods. For 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 6. Westminster. Commission to Maurice Russell, 'chivaler,' William Trassy, Thomas Walowe, Robert Somervill and John Durhurst to enquire into divers extortions and oppressions committed by William Sotherne of the parish of Newent on the king's tenants of the manor of Newent, co. Gloucester.

MEMBRANE 37*d.*

Oct. 26. Westminster. The like to Maurice Russell, 'chivaler,' William Trassy, Thomas Walowen, Robert Somerfeld and John Durhurst to enquire into divers trespasses and injuries committed by the said William on the king's knight John Cheyne, farmer of the said manor, and the tenants of the manor.

Vacated because otherwise in this year.

1400.

Membrane 37d—cont.

Nov. 4. Westminster. Commission to Philip de Courtenay, 'chivaler,' James de Chudderlegh, 'chivaler,' Robert Markele, serjeant at arms, Walter Cornewe, Walter Polard, Edmund Boson and John Boson to enquire about certain sums of money from the ulnage of cloths in the county of Devon due to and concealed from Richard II and the king. By C.

MEMBRANE 36d.

Nov. 6. Westminster. Commission to Richard Draper, John Rothewell, John Assheley, and John Wykyng to arrest William Tanner *alias* Tannere, 'osteler,' of Cirencestre, and bring him before the king and council. By C.

MEMBRANE 35d.

Nov. 4. Westminster. Commission to the mayor of Hereford and Roger Ploufeld, citizen of the same, to enquire into divers extortions and oppressions committed on the king's lieges of the city and the suburbs of the same by Thomas Byton of the city.

Nov. 5. Westminster. Commission to Edmund Pirpound, 'chivaler,' John Arnold, serjeant at arms, and the sheriff of Nottingham and Derby to arrest John Sutton and bring him before the king and council. By C.

MEMBRANE 33d.

Nov. 8. Westminster. Commission to Matthew Gournay, Ivo Fitz Waryn, John Loterell, Baldwin Malet, John Wadham, William Stourton and John Manyngford to enquire into the report that John, abbot of Clyve, brothers Leonard Lythenerstoke, William Pulton and John Harewode, his fellow monks, and Walter Bannok and William Clerk of Wachet and others to the number of 200 went armed on Wednesday after Whitsuntide last to Kansford, co. Somerset, and there assaulted Gilbert Basynges and cut down and carried away his trees and underwood.

MEMBRANE 31d.

Nov. 18. Westminster. Commission to William Loveney, Richard Kays, serjeant at arms, and Hugh Herland to enquire into the report that certain men of the town of Kyngeston on Thames, lately appointed by Richard II to take divers customs for the repair of the bridge of the town from merchandise passing by the bridge, have thus received divers sums of money and retained the same to their own use, and to collect these sums and expend them on the repair of the bridge.

MEMBRANE 27d.

Nov. 18. Westminster. Commission to Robert Whityngton and the sheriff of Hereford to take William de Aston of the said county, whom the king understands to be an idiot, and bring him before the king and council at Westminster for examination. By C.

1400.

MEMBRANE 24d.

Nov. 25. Westminster. Commission of oyer and terminer to William Gascoigne, William Thirnyng, John Cokayn, John Markham, John de Rocheford, Richard Gascoigne, Albin de Enderby and Richard de Bradley, on information that certain evildoers have dug in the king's soil and turf at Waynflete, Skirbek and Bolyngbrok, co. Lincoln, fished in his several fishery there, carried off fish, earth and turf, injured his dykes and trenches there and assaulted his servants.

MEMBRANE 20d.

Nov. 13. Westminster. Commission of oyer and terminer to Richard de Sancto Mauro, John Hulle, William Rykhill, William Hankford, John Manyford and Robert Hulle, on complaint by William Dodesham that Ralph Durburgh, John Baylly of Alre, John Warde, William Fisshere, William Clerk of Wylyton the elder, William Clerk of Wylyton the younger, John Watermouth and other evildoers broke his close at Wylyton, co. Somerset, assaulted him there, imprisoned him, carried off his goods and assaulted his servants.

For 20s. paid in the hanaper.

MEMBRANE 19d.

Nov. 18. Westminster. Commission to John Rocheford, Hugh Norburgh and Richard Bradle, on complaint by Thomas Symond, one of the king's tenants in his lordship of Bolyngbroke, that Walter atte Halle, John Goos, clerk, Walter Randesson, William Leveryng and Robert 'Wauterservant atte Halle' assaulted him at Waynflete and threatened him so that he dared not stay on his holding, to cause these to appear before them and find mainpernors that they will not harm the said Thomas or if they refuse to imprison them, and to certify thereon to the king in Chancery.

Nov. 18. Westminster. Commission to John Wiltshire, 'chivaler,' Thomas Lee, John Burley, David Holbeche and the escheator in the county of Salop to enquire into the report that John Lestraunge, deceased, son of Roger Lestraunge, long before his death enfeoffed John Kynaston and others of divers lands in the said county and the march of Wales adjacent under certain conditions to exclude the king from the custody of his land and heir.

Dec. 4. Westminster. Commission to John Knyveton, esquire, and Hugh de Lynby, mayor of Notyngham, to arrest Thomas Mapirlee of Notyngham and bring him before the king and council. By C.

MEMBRANE 13d.

Nov. 10. Westminster. Commission of oyer and terminer to William Rikhill, William Brenchesle, Richard Waldegrave, 'chivaler,' Thomas Coggeshale, Clement Spice and Thomas Lampet, on complaint by Henry, prior of Earl's Colne, that Matilda, countess of Oxford, John Preston, monk, Thomas Mounchesy, Thomas Tue, John Preston, esquire, Roger Boleyne, James Picard, John Sumpter, Laurence Cook, John Swalewe, John Harold, Roger Palfreyman, Thomas Smyth, Thomas Hunte, Thomas Hotte, Thomas Hansepe, William Aylleswy, John Glover, Simon Warde, John 'that was Nicolservant Brayham,' Adam Edward, Reginald Cook, John Yinge, Robert Bray, William Breton, clerk, Thomas Peper and William Peryboon and other evildoers broke his close and house at Earl's

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1400.

Colne by night, assaulted and imprisoned him and carried him from thence to divers places within the county of Essex and then back, shamefully clad, to the said town, where they detained him until he had sworn on the Host never to disturb the said John Preston in his claim and possession of the priory or to divulge the fact that he had taken the oath under compulsion, cut down his trees and underwood there and at Messyng and Great Bentelee, fished in his several fishery at Earl's Colne, carried away fish, trees and underwood and other goods, consumed his corn and grass and assaulted his fellow monks and servants.

For 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Nov. 13. Westminster. Commission to Richard Baynard, escheator in the counties of Essex and Hertford, John Chylde and Robert Frankelyn to enquire into the report that William Steward of Scotland, knight, and Isabel his wife, sometime the wife of Richard Olyver, 'chivaler,' and Robert son of the said Richard have for no small time been adherents of the Scots, whereby all their lands and goods are forfeited to the king, and if so to enquire what lands and goods they held and what they are worth.

Nov. 18. Westminster. Commission to Thomas Ferrour of Chesthunt and Nicholas Bell of Chesthunt to buy 100 quarters of wheat and 100 quarters of oats in the county of Hertford for the use of the king's son the prince with his money and take them to Kenyngton.

Nov. 20. Westminster. Commission to Hugh Cheyne, 'chivaler,' Llewellyn ap Morgon, John Wilcok, Alexander Langeley, William Herbert, Richard Flanne, Simon Wyngham and Henry Culmere to arrest Lewis ap Howell ap Adam and bring him before the king and council. By K.

Dec. 4. Westminster. Commission of oyer and terminer to John Hull, 'chivaler,' William Hankeford, 'chivaler,' John Wadham, 'chivaler,' and John Prestecote, on complaint by Martin Ferrers that whereas the king lately by letters patent appointed him and others to array and try men at arms, armed men and archers in the county of Devon and to do certain other things, William Bentele, John Gona, Richard Yeman, John Rowe, Walter Wotton, John Large, chaplain, William Oklegh and Robert Castell and other evildoers assaulted him at Sutton Vautort when then engaged on the king's service and followed him to Sutton Prior and there besieged him in a house and threatened him so that he could not go to his own house and do his business, and released certain men of Brittany who had been arrested by virtue of a writ of the king and detained in their custody until the said Martin should have restitution of certain servants and sums of money and goods of his taken by certain men of Brittany from Sutton Prior to Brittany, and assaulted his sevants.

For 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Dec. 9. Westminster. Commission to Hugh Courtenay, 'chivaler,' John Hill, 'chivaler,' William Bonevyll, 'chivaler,' Thomas Brooke, 'chivaler,' John Rodenay, 'chivaler,' and John May, clerk, and the escheators and sheriffs in the counties of Devon, Somerset, Dorset, Wilts, Bristol and Southampton, to enquire into the concealment of goods late of Richard II, William Lescrope, late earl of Wiltshire, John Bussy, 'chivaler,' and Henry Grene, 'chivaler,' and others who were on the service of the said late king on his last voyage in Ireland and returned thence to England by the said counties, and about all goods late of Thomas, late earl of Kent, John, late earl of Huntyngdon, John, late earl of Salisbury, Ralph Lumley, 'chivaler,' Thomas Blount, 'chivaler,' and Benedict Sely, 'chivaler,'

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deceased, and pertaining to the king by their forfeiture, and to take the goods into the king's hands and bring them to the treasurer of England to London with all speed and certify thereon to the king in Chancery.
By C.

MEMBRANE 12*d*.

Dec. 7. Westminster. Commission *de wallis et fossatis* to William Rykhill, William de Makenade, Stephen Bettenhamme, John Colepepir, William Berton, William Elys, Thomas Ikham and John Martyn of Derteford by the coast of the sea and the Thames between Erethe and Sandwich in the county of Kent.

Nov. 10. Westminster. Commission to the mayor of Norhampton and the coroners in the county of Northampton to enquire into the report that William Hauk, John Carpenter, John Hathewey, Robert Raker, Roger Hichecok, Thomas Croft *alias* Kybworth, John Parker and Simon Parker, lately taken in the said county on suspicion of larceny and other felonies and committed to the gaol of the castle of Norhampton, have escaped and are now in the church of the Friars of the order of St. Mary of Mount Carmel in the same town.

MEMBRANE 11*d*.

Dec. 8. Westminster. Commission to John Rede, Robert Morley, esquire, Henry Crispe the elder and the sheriff of Oxford to enquire into the petition of Thomas Blount the elder, 'chivaler,' that whereas he was seised in his demesne as of fee of the manor of Kyngeston in Aston Ruhant, co. Oxford, and demised it to Thomas Blount the younger, 'chivaler,' for seven years at a rent of 20*l*. yearly, with a provision that in the event of the death of the lessee he should have it again, and the said Thomas the younger held it in his own hands in the first year and afterwards demised the residue of the term to one William Tanner of the same town at a yearly rent of 20*l*. and two quarters of wheat, two quarters of barley and two quarters of oats or pulse, reserving to himself a parcel of meadow worth 5*s*. yearly, and the manor was taken into the king's hands by force of an inquisition taken by certain commissioners appointed to take into the king's hands all manors and lands late of the said Thomas the younger on account of his treason, of which he was convicted on 12 January last, before which day five years and six weeks had elapsed, the king will grant restitution of the manor with all issues from the death of the said Thomas the younger. By p.s.

Dec. 6. Westminster. Commission to John Cheyne, Masters Thomas Stowe and William Sonday, doctors of laws, and the king's esquire John Doreward to hear and determine an appeal by Bernard Chapman of Bristol against a decision of Richard Cradok, 'chivaler,' Master William Menesse and Thomas Organ, lieutenants or commissaries of the king's kinsman Thomas de Percy, the king's admiral, in a maritime case in the court of Admiralty between John Cokerell of Gernesey and the said Bernard concerning the pretended seizure and detention of certain tuns and pipes of wine and other goods of the said John, by which the said Bernard was condemned to pay costs. By p.s.

Commission to John Darras, Thomas Horde, John Burle and William Banastre, late escheator in the counties of Salop and Stafford, to arrest

Membrane 11*d*—*cont.*

1400.

Thomas Harecourt, 'chivaler,' and Richard his son and bring them before the king and council. The king lately directed the said escheator to take into his hands the manor of Bolynghale, co. Salop, and the manors of Patleshull, Overton, Shareshull, Great Sardon and Little Sardon and two parts of the manors of Coueley and Brunford, co. Stafford, late of William Shareshull, 'chivaler,' deceased, tenant in chief, but he has certified that the said Thomas and Richard forcibly kept possession of the same and refused to admit him. By C.

Dec. 7. Westminster. Commission to John Asplion, clerk, Thomas Wodyfeld, serjeant at arms, and the escheators and sheriffs in the counties of Buckingham, Wilts and Southampton to enquire into the petition of Thomas Percy, earl of Worcester, Hugh le Despenser, 'chivaler,' Thomas Lauton, John Cors, clerk, Hugh de Tildesley and Thomas Fauconer that whereas Thomas, late lord le Despenser, on 20 October, 22 Richard II, by charters granted to them in fee simple the manors of Bokelond, Sengleburgh and Amondesham, co. Buckingham, Sherston, Brodeton and Wyntereslowe, co. Wilts, and Assheley, Mapuldurwell, Thorle and Welewe, co. Southampton, and they were seised of the same and the tenants made attornment to them and they continued in possession until they were expelled by the escheators on the death of the said Thomas, and afterwards it was found that the manors were taken into the king's hands on the supposition that the said Thomas died seised of them, restitution may be made. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 8*d*.

Nov. 26. Westminster. Commission to John Arnold, serjeant at arms, and Richard Forest of Clopton to enquire about all deodands in the county of Suffolk concealed from the king since the year 12 Richard II and to seize and sell the same, and to deliver to the king's almoner all deodands found by the escheators and coroners in the county and not yet sold by them and to certify thereon to the king and council.

Vacated because nothing was done therein.

MEMBRANE 6*d*.

1401.

Jan. 18. Westminster. Commission to Thomas de Bello Campo, earl of Warwick, sheriff of Worcester, to arrest Humphrey son of Ralph Stafford, Thomas Baker his servant, Thomas Bakere of Brymmesgrove and William Bocher of Brymmesgrove and bring them before the king and council, and to seize their goods. By K. & C.

Jan. 11. Westminster. Commission to John Cheyne, Thomas Skelton, Masters John Barnet and Thomas Stowe, doctors of laws, and Masters William Billesdon, William Forster and Denis Lopham to hear and determine an appeal by John Wyneton, citizen and fishmonger of London, against a decision of the lieutenants of the king's admiral in a plea lately pending in the court of Admiralty between Richard Broun of Wynterton, John Topy and John Stuteville, plaintiffs, and the said John, defendant, concerning the breach of certain contracts touching the freighting of a ship called *la Piers* of Wynterton, in which they condemned him in 300*l.* damages and costs. By p.s.

1401.

MEMBRANE 5d.

Jan. 17. Westminster. Commission to John Howare, sheriff of Hertford, and Thomas Thornburgh, one of the justices of peace in the county, to arrest Richard Hampton of Bissheye, esquire, who has collected other evildoers and lies in wait to maim and kill Thomas Olyve, the bailiff, and William Gyle and William Voyset, the constables of the town of Watford and other lieges of the king in the same town, and bring him before the king in Chancery to find security that he will keep the peace.

MEMBRANE 3d.

Jan. 6. Westminster. Commission to John Rigewyn, William Triby, John Gernoun and Richard Drax, serjeant at arms, to arrest Joan Adeleshey, nun of Roweney, of the order of St. Benedict, who is wandering about in secular dress, as the prioress of that place has certified, and to deliver her to the prioress or her attorney for castigation according to the rule of the order.

March 2. Westminster. Commission to John Herle, William Talbot, Stephen Bant, Noel Paterda, John Sireston and the sheriff of Cornwall to enquire into the petition of Eleanor Thorne that whereas by an inquisition taken in the county of Cornwall before John Lokyngton, clerk, and Richard Kays, one of the king's serjeants at arms, it was found that Thomas Shelley, 'chivaler,' an adherent of John, late earl of Huntingdon, was seised of the manor of Trelosk, worth 17 marks yearly, and that she had a yearly rent of 16 marks from it for life, this rent may be restored to her.

By K.

MEMBRANE 2d.

Jan. 28. Westminster. Commission to Richard Hoghton, Gilbert Halsall, Thomas Gerard and John Botiller of Rouclif, on supplication of the minister and Friars of the order of Minors of England that, whereas the house of Friars Minor of Lanvas in Wales is deserted, and divine services have lately been omitted there because certain Friars of the house have been separated and dispersed as rebels, and all the goods of the house have been seized by divers lieges of the king in his last ride in Wales, the king may provide for the restitution of the goods for the sustenance of the Friars there and the salvation of the house, to enquire by oath of good men of the county of Lancaster into the seizure of the goods and to restore them to the house and to certify thereon to the king in Chancery.

2 HENRY IV.—PART II.

MEMBRANE 44.

1400. Dec. 18. Westminster. Whereas in the time of Edward III Lionel, then lieutenant of Ireland, granted the manors or places of Oghterard and Castelwarny, extended by him at 20*l.* yearly, to one John Bristowe his cook and afterwards they were granted by Edward III to John Leche of Chester to the same value for life, and the grant was confirmed by Richard II and the king, and now, because it has been ordained that if any persons hold any lands of the king's grant to a certain value and they exceed this value the grant shall be of no effect, the king's ministers of Ireland have taken the said manors into the king's hands because they have found an ancient extent by which they exceed the said sum of 20*l.* yearly by 72*s.* 2*d.*; the king grants nevertheless that the said John Leche shall have the said manors from the time of confirmation and pardons to him all surpluses. By p.s.

1401. Feb. 5. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the prior and cánons of Kertemell of the following:—

1. A charter dated at Nottingham, 12 November, 17 Edward II [*Charter Roll*, 17 *Edward II*, *No.* 28], inspecting and confirming the following:—
   (1.) A charter dated ot Westminster, 12 February, 54 Henry III [*Charter Roll*, 54 *Henry III*, *m.* 12], inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Woodstock, 25 July, 17 John. [*Rotuli Cartarum*, *p.* 215.]
   (2.) A charter of William the Marshal and other grants.
2. Letters patent dated 8 May, 1 Henry IV. (*See p.* 263.)

For 4 marks paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 10. Westminster. Licence, for 100*s.* paid by them to the king, for William Berndhirste and Alice his wife to enfeoff Thomas Ralegh of Charles of their manor of Whityngton, held in chief.

Feb. 8. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant William Lemestre, one of the yeomen of the king's chamber, of the office of parker of the king's park of Fekenham, co. Worcester, with the fees, wages and other profits as Richard Merston, deceased, had. By p.s.

1400. Oct. 29. Westminster. Whereas Thomas Bromflete, late butler of Richard II, received to the use of the said late king from Mark le Faire of Winchester certain wines amounting to the sum of 53*l.* 6*s.* 2*d.*, as appears by bills under his seal, and the said Mark has had no payment and has surrendered the bills in Chancery; the king grants that he may ship goods, the customs on which amount to that sum, in the port of Southampton and cross with them to foreign parts without payment of the customs. By p.s.

1401. Feb. 4. Westminster. Presentation of Roger Wrighte, parson of the church of Uvesdene, in the diocese of Norwich, to the church of Blakenham, in the same diocese, in the king's gift by reason of the alien priory of Okeburn being in his hands on account of the war with France, on an exchange of benefices with Simon Farwelle.

Feb. 6. Westminster. Grant to the king's clerk Richard Prentys, prebendary in the chapel of St. Stephen within the palace of Westminster, to the prebend which the king's clerk Richard Clifford has in the same, on exchange. By p.s.

1401.

Membrane 44—*cont.*

Mandate in pursuance to the dean and chapter. By the same writ.
Like grant to the said Richard Clifford. By p.s.
Like mandate to the dean and chapter. By the same writ.

MEMBRANES 43 *and* 42.

Feb. 5. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the master, brethren and sisters of the hospital of St. John without the east gate of Oxford of letters patent dated 12 January, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Westminster, 14 March, 10 Edward III [*Charter Roll, 10 Edward III, No.* 50], inspecting and confirming with additions a charter dated at Nottingham, 7 August, 11 Edward II, inspecting and confirming divers charters of Henry III and Edward I. For 10*l.* paid in the hanaper.

Membrane 42—*cont.*

Feb. 12. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Henry de Popham, tenant of the undermentioned lands, of the following :—

1. A charter of Henry [I] as follows:—
   H. rex Anglorum Henrico Wintoniensi episcopo et justiciariis et vicecomitibus et omnibus baronibus et fidelibus suis Francigenis et Anglicis de Hamtescira et omnibus baronibus de honore ecclesie de Boseham salutem. Sciatis me concessisse Turstino clerico Willelmi de Ponteareh, camerarii mei, terram de Ferendon quam tenet de episcopo Exonie et de honore ecclesie de Boseham in feodum et hereditatem ipsi et heredibus suis post eum tenendam per servicium tertie partis unius militis sicut Willelmus episcopus Exonie illam ei reddidit et concessit per cartham suam. Et volo et firmiter precipio quod illam bene et in pace et honorifice et libere teneat cum omnibus libertatibus et consuetudinibus eidem terre pertinentibus. Testibus, G. cancellario et Roberto de Curcy et Willelmo de Albini Britone, apud Wintoniam.
2. Letters patent of Henry II as follows:—
   H. rex Anglorum et dux Normannorum et Aquitanorum et comes Andegavorum H. episcopo Wintoniensi et baronibus, justiciariis, vicecomitibus et omnibus ministris suis de Hantesira et civibus Wintonie salutem. Sciatis me concessisse et carta mea presenti confirmasse Ricardo filio Turstini vic' et heredibus suis terram de Ferendona et terram de Benesteda et omnes alias terras quas tenet de feodo meo et omnes teneuras suas infra civitatem Wintonie et extra tenendas hereditabiliter. Quare volo et firmiter precipio quod idem Ricardus et heredes sui teneant hec predicta bene et in pace, libere, quiete et honorifice, in bosco et plano, in pratis et pascuis, in viis et semitis, in aquis et molendinis et in omnibus aliis rebus cum soca et saca et tol et theam et infanguenethef et cum omnibus aliis libertatibus et liberis consuetudinibus suis. Testibus, Ricardo de Canvilla, Willelmo filio Johannis, Willelmo Malet, Ranulfo de Broc, apud Morstonium.
3. Letters patent of Arnulf, bishop of Lisieux, addressed to all clerks and laymen pertaining to the chapelry of Boseham,

1401. *Membrane* 42—*cont.*

granting to Richard his clerk the land which Turstin the father of the latter held in Ferend[on] by theservice of the third part of a knight. Witnesses:—Roman and Bertram, chaplains, Roger son of Matilda, Richard de Limesi, Richard the king's founder (*fusore*), Alexander the clerk and others. By the hand of Robert Maugerscol, 6 Kal. Nov.

4. A charter dated at Lincoln, 30 December, 33 Edward I [*Charter Roll, 33 Edward I, No. 71*], granting free warren to John de Popham and his heirs in his demesne lands of Popham, co. Southampton.

5. Letters patent dated 8 February, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming to the said Henry the following:—
   (1.) A charter of Matilda the Empress.
   (2.) A charter of Henry II dated at Westminster.
   (3.) A charter of Henry I dated at Winchester.

For 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

MEMBRANE 41.

Jan. 26. Westminster. Reginald Grey of Ruthyn, knight, staying in England, has letters nominating Nicholas Fynglas and John Blakenay his attorneys in Ireland for one year. John Rome, clerk, received the attorneys.

He also has letters nominating the following:—
Robert Sutton and John Cok, esquire. } The same John received
William Tynbegh and John Herberd. } the attorneys.

Jan. 25. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the prior and convent of Horton of letters patent dated 1 September, 11 Edward III, granting licence for them to appropriate the church of Pirle, in the diocese of London.

For 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Jan. 19. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Thomas Trewyn of the following:—
1. Letters patent dated 25 November, 14 Richard II, granting to him for life 8 marks yearly.
2. Letters patent dated 15 October, 16 Richard II, granting to him for life the manor of Woderowe, co. Wilts.

By p.s. and for 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Jan. 28. Westminster. Presentation of John Leyre, chaplain, to the church of Querley, in the diocese of Winchester, void by the resignation of John de Codeford and in the king's gift by reason of the alien priory of Okeburn being in his hands on account of the war with France.

Jan. 19. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation, notwithstanding that the possessions mentioned are held in chief and are in the king's hands by reason of the forfeiture of the earl and the minority of his son and heir, of letters patent (*French*) of John Mountagu, late earl of Salisbury and lord of Mounthermer, dated at London, 29 September, 22 Richard II, granting for life to his esquire John Aundrewe 100*s.* rent from his lands, rents, services and hundred of Asscherug, co. Wilts.

By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Jan. 29. Westminster. Exemplification, at the request of the girdlers of Coventre, of letters patent dated 5 December, 15 Richard II, exemplifying, at their request, a petition in Parliament and the answer thereto.

Membrane 41—*cont.*

1401.
Jan. 30. Westminster. Grant to John Kyngton of the prebend of Clifton in the cathedral church of St. Mary, Lincoln, and in the diocese of York. By p.s.
Mandate in pursuance to H. bishop of Lincoln.

1400.
Mandate in pursuance to the dean and chapter.

Nov. 5. Westminster. Whereas Ralph de Sotheworth, clerk of the king's kinsman the earl of Northumberland, of the ordinance of the treasurer of England by letters patent has the office of controller of the customs and subsidy of wools, hides and wool-fells and the petty custom in the port of Newcastle on Tyne and all ports and places from thence on one side to Berwick on Tweed and on the other side to Scardeburgh during pleasure, receiving the accustomed fee, provided that he execute the office in person; the king, in consideration of his good service to Richard II in writing in the office of the privy seal for six years and in Chancery for four years without reward and to the king in his two journeys in Wales and Scotland, grants that he shall have the said office during good behaviour, receiving the accustomed fee, with power to appoint a deputy. By p.s.

1401.
Jan. 28. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William de Gibthorp, 'chivaler,' kinsman and heir of Peter de Gipthorp, of a charter dated at Westminster, 10 February, 3 Edward II [*Charter Roll*, 3 *Edward II*, *No.* 16], granting to the latter and his heirs a market, a fair and free warren.
For 26*s.* 8*d.* paid in the hanaper.

1400.
Dec. 9. Westminster. Licence for the alienation in mortmain to the abbot and convent of Stratford by Thomas Moraunt, citizen and fishmonger of London, John Stodey and William Alkham of a messuage, a toft, 300 acres of land, 8 acres of meadow and 32*s.* rent in Alvethele and Upmynstre, not held in chief, worth 100*s.* yearly, as appears by an inquisition taken before Richard Baynard, late escheator in the county of Essex, and by William Forde and Edmund Mille of the reversion of a messuage, 100 acres of land, 4 acres of meadow, and 200 acres of marsh in Chaldewell, Westilbury, Estilbury and Little Thurrok, not held in chief, worth 100*s.* yearly, as appears by the said inquisition, which John Quynton and Joan his wife hold for her life, on her death, in full satisfaction of 50*l.* yearly of land and rent which they had licence by letters patent of Edward II to acquire.
For 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

1401.
Feb. 6. Westminster. Appointment, with the assent of the council, until Easter, of John Brampton of Wyndesore to search out all spies within the realm and arrest them and bring them before the king and council.
By K. on the information of John Cheyne, 'chivaler.'

MEMBRANE 40

Feb. 4. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the burgesses of the town of Haverford in Wales of the following:—
1. Letters patent dated 4 June, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming a charter dated at St. Edmunds, 4 June, 5 Edward III [*Charter Roll*, 5 *Edward III*, *No.* 46], inspecting and confirming earlier charters.
2. A charter dated at Westminster, 19 December, 9 Richard II. [*Charter Roll*, 9 *Richard II*, *No.* 18].
For 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Membrane 40—*cont.*

1401.

Jan. 29. Westminster. Presentation of Richard Chaumberleyn, chaplain, to the vicarage of the church of Wodonbek, in the diocese of Lincoln, in the king's gift by reason of the temporalities of the alien priory of Okeburn being in his hands on account of the war with France.

Feb. 10. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant of the avenary John Thorne, for his good service to the king's father and the king, of the office of parker of the king's park of Thunderle in the hundred of Berstaple with the fees and wages pertaining to it, as William Mays had of the grant of Edward III, notwithstanding a grant to him by the king's father, confirmed by the king. By p.s.

Vacated because in the fourth year.

Feb. 10. Westminster. Grant to the king's brother Thomas Beauford of a dorsal (*dorsorium*) of cloth of arras, 14¼ yards in length and 6 yards in breadth, and two side-pieces, one 9 yards in length and 8 yards in breadth and the other 7 yards in length and 8 yards in breadth, late of John de Montagu, late earl of Salisbury, and in the king's hands by his forfeiture. By p.s.

Feb. 6. Westminster. Whereas on 26 November, 1 Henry IV, by letters patent the king granted for life to Richard Filongleye 20*l.* yearly at the hands of the sheriffs of London, and he cannot be paid for the last year because the sheriffs at the king's command have paid more than their charge amounts to; the king grants that he shall have the 20*l.* for the last year from the profits of the petty custom in the port of London. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 39.

Feb. 5. Westminster. Grant to the mayor and citizens of Hereford of murage for five years.

Jan. 30. Westminster. Grant for life to Robert Jay of 100*s.* yearly from 7 November, 1 Henry IV, from the issues of the counties of Bedford and Buckingham, in lieu of a grant to him of 100*s.* yearly for life at the hands of the sheriffs of the said counties by letters patent of Richard II, confirmed by letters patent of the king of the above date, surrendered because invalid because no mention was made that he should have the same from the issues of the counties. By p.s.

Feb. 4. Westminster. Pardon to John Latton, for 5 marks paid by him in the hanaper, of his trespass in acquiring the manor of Upton, co. Berks, held in chief, from Maurice Russell, 'chivaler,' and entering therein without licence; and licence for him to grant the same to Thomas Chelrey and Elizabeth his wife and the heirs of the said Thomas.

Feb. 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Ferrour of letters patent dated 14 June, 20 Richard II, exempting him for life from being put on assizes. For 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 7. Westminster. Presentation of John Blake, parson of the church of Vaynor Weyno, in the diocese of St. David's, to the church of Blaneleveny, in the same diocese, on an exchange of benefices with Howel Curteys.

1400.

Nov. 7. Westminster. Whereas Reginald Lucy, 'chivaler,' lately in the Bench sued John Cheyn of Aylesbury and John Smith of Aylesbury and others touching a trespass, and a writ was directed to the sheriff of Buckingham to cause them to appear before the king in the Bench at the quinzaine

1400. *Membrane* 39—*cont.*

of Michaelmas last and on this William Waldern and William Rendre of London by a recognisance in Chancery made mainprise under penalty of 40*l.* each for their appearance, and before this the parties came to an agreement but the said John and John in their innocence did not appear and consequently the said William and William have each forfeited 40*l.*, the king pardons the same to them. By K.

Nov. 18. Westminster. Pardon to the king's esquire Henry Maunsell, keeper of the gaol within the castle of York, of the escapes of William Watson, 'smyth,' of Thornton, *alias* William de Marton, Roger Fyssher, *alias* Fleccher, of Sutton by Auston, John Coke of Kyrkeham, chaplain, John Chaundeus, John de Salton of Sproxton and John Dousyng of Sledmere, felons, from the same. By p.s.

1401.

Jan. 8. Westminster. Grant for life to William Ferrour of the office of porter of the castle of Carlisle with the due wages, fees and profits, in lieu of a grant to him by letters patent dated 29 October, 1 Henry IV, surrendered. By p.s.

Feb. 8. Westminster. Exemption for life of Robert Kelme of Erehuth, 'drapere,' from being put on inquisitions, juries, attaints or recognitions and from being made mayor, sheriff, escheator, coroner, constable, bailiff, collector or assessor of tenths or fifteenths or other subsidies, arrayer or leader of men at arms, hobelers or archers or other officer or minister of the king against his will. p.s.

Feb. 10. Westminster. Exemption for life of Nicholas Ponyter of Cirencestre from being put on juries, attaints, inquisitions or recognitions and from being made mayor, sheriff, escheator, coroner, constable or collector of tenths or fifteenths or other officer or minister of the king against his will. By p.s.

Feb. 12. Westminster. Whereas Richard II by letters patent lately granted to Edward, earl of Rutland, the custody of all lordships, manors, lands, rents and services late of John le Strange, late lord of Knockyn, with the marriage of his heir, and so from heir to heir, and the same earl granted the lordships, manors, lands, rents and services with the custody of the heirs to Thomas, earl of Worcester, and John Kynarston to the use of Matilda late the wife of the said John le Strange, and she was accordingly seised of the same, and the king's knight Nicholas Hauberk afterwards married her and was seised of the same as of the chattels of the said Matilda, his wife, now deceased; the king confirms his estate in the premises and grants to him the said custody and marriage with all issues from the death of the said John le Strange. By p.s.

Feb. 12. Westminster. Grant to the king's clerk Geoffrey Davenport, prebendary of Blakrath in the cathedral church of St. Kanice, [in the diocese of] Ossory, in Ireland, that for two years his proctors, attorneys or farmers may receive all profits of his prebend and send them to him in England or wherever he may be, without his being compelled to dwell in Ireland or to find men to resist the king's enemies there, notwithstanding any statutes or ordinances against absentees. By p.s.

Feb. 14. Westminster. Licence for the sub-prior and convent of Kyme to elect a prior in the place of Hugh de Waynflet, deceased.

Feb. 12. Westminster. Licence, for 20*s.* paid in the hanaper by the prior and convent of Holy Trinity, Ingham, for Miles de Stapelton, knight, John Boys, William Enwode, clerk, and Robert Rous to grant in mortmain to them 5 acres of

Membrane 39—*cont.*

1401.

land in Stalham, Ingham and Walcote, not held in chief, as appears by inquisition taken before Richard Bowet, late escheator in the county of Norfolk.

Feb. 11. Westminster. Licence, for 20 marks paid in the hanaper, for the dean, sacristan and canons of the church of St. Mary of the Castle, Leicester, to acquire in mortmain, after inquisition, lands to the value of 10*l.* yearly. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 38.

Feb. 5. Westminster. Grant to the good men of the town of Fennystratford of pontage for two years.

1400.

Nov. 15. Westminster. Grant to the king's servants Thomas Uphill and John de Spayne of the 100*s.* 1*d.* which the marshal of the Bench has incurred towards the king for the escape of William Ovynton of the county of Essex, felon, from his custody on Martinmas last. By p.s.

1401.

Jan. 18. Westminster. Grant, during pleasure, to the king's kinswoman Eleanor, countess of Salisbury, of 100*l.* yearly from the manors of Erlestok, Wynterbourn Earl's and Aumesbury, co Wilts. By p.s.

Vacated because otherwise in this year.

Sept. 29. Westminster. Grant to the king's kinsman Edmund de Holand, earl of Kent, in aid of his estate, of 200 marks yearly during his minority from the manor of Cotyngham, co. York. By p.s.

Feb. 5. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the men and burgesses of Cameleford, co. Cornwall, of letters patent dated 20 April, 21 Richard II, inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Westminster, 12 June, 44 Henry III. [*Charter Roll*, 44 *Henry III*, *m.* 5.] For 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 12. Westminster. Revocation of the protection with clause *volumus*, for one year, lately granted by letters patent to John de Cassons, staying on the king's service in the company of the king's knight Thomas Swynburn, captain of the castle of Hammes in the parts of Picardy, on the safe-custody of the same, because he delays in the city and suburbs of London, as appears by certificate of the sheriffs.

Feb. 8. Westminster. Licence for William Hamme and Thomas Derham, merchants of Bristol, to ship six packs of cloth, 20 tuns of old wine and 20 quarters of salt in the port of the town in a ship called *la Alison* of Bristol, of which John Welles is master, and take them to Ireland to buy salmon there with the cloth and wine and to salt the salmon with the salt and bring the same back to England, after due payment of customs and subsidies, provided the wine is not drinkable in England.

Feb. 8. Westminster. Presentation of Robert Amyet, parson of the church of Beauford, in the diocese of Exeter, to the church of Puworthi, in the same diocese, on an exchange of benefices with John Flemmyng.

Feb. 10. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Grey, mariner, of 9*d.* daily from 20 November, 1 Henry IV, from the custom in the port of the town of Boston, in lieu of a grant by letters patent of that date (*see p.* 97), surrendered because they are ineffective because the port is not mentioned. By p.s.

Membrane 38—*cont.*

1401.

Feb. 1. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of an indenture of Thomas de Popilton, late master, and the sisters of the hospital of St. Nicholas by York dated at York, 5 March, 13 Richard II, granting to Adam Hecche of York, 'armurer,' a vacant plot and two selions of land without Walmegate barre, the plot lying by a house in the tenure of Alice Barker and containing 8 royal ells in length and 6½ ells in breadth and the selions lying in breadth between land late of John de Langton and land in the tenure of the said Alice and in length from the highway before to the ditch of Suwerdhowe behind, to hold to him and his heirs and assigns from Whitsuntide following for 80 years at a rent of 5*s.* yearly, the said Adam undertaking to build a house on the plot at his own expense within six years. Witnesses:—John de Cotyngham, William de Everyngham, William del Brigg, Henry de Cotyngwyth and others. For 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 12. Westminster. Pardon to Richard Proude for the death of Richard Pulhom killed in a several close of the former in Stonystrete on Monday, the feast of St. Anne, 1 Henry IV. By p.s.

1400.

Nov. 20. Westminster. Decree that the castle and town of Donyngton, co. Leicester, the wapentakes of Risle, co. Derby, and Alerton, co. Nottingham, the manor of Gretham with certain lands in Staynwath and the manors of Horblyng, Segebrok and Thorley, co. Lincoln, the manor of Canford and the town of Pole and certain tenements pertaining to the manor of Canford, co. Dorset, and the manors of Wynterburn and Ambresbury, co. Wilts, late of Thomas, sometime earl of Lancaster, whose heir the king is, which were taken into the hands of Edward II because of an erroneous judgement against the said earl in Parliament, which judgement was afterwards annulled in Parliament of Edward III at the suit of Henry, brother and heir of the said earl, shall be re-united to the king's inheritance of Lancaster. By K.

MEMBRANE 37.

1401.

Jan. 4. Westminster. Grant for life, from Michaelmas last, to the king's esquire William Yerde of 20*l.* yearly from the issues of the manor of Combe Martyn, co. Devon, and 10*l.* yearly from the issues of the manor of Wynkelegh Tracy, co. Devon, in lieu of like grants to him by letters patent, surrendered. By p.s.

Jan. 28. Westminster. Pardon, for 60*s.* paid in the hanaper by Thomas Walden, of the trespass in the acquisition from him by Thomas Lampet, Clement Spyce, John Brian, clerk, Henry Radburne, clerk, and John Passelewe of the manor of Aungrepark, co. Essex, held in chief, and their entry therein without licence; and licence for them to grant the same to him and Margaret his wife and the heirs of their bodies with remainder to their right heirs.

Jan. 28. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Felicia Lavyngton, the abbess, and the prioress and nuns of Wilton of letters patent dated 20 February, 20 Richard II, granting to them the custody of the abbey during its next voidance. For 60*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 7. Westminster. Grant for life to John Paunsefote, 'chivaler,' who was maimed in the king's service in Scotland, of 40*l.* yearly from the farm of the castles and lordships of Pembrok, Tynby and Kilgarran and the commote of Osterlowe. By p.s.

1401. *Membrane* 37—*cont.*

Feb. 8. Westminster — *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the prior and canons of Ivychurch of letters patent dated 16 March, 10 Edward II, granting pasture to them. For 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 10. Westminster. — Presentation of John Shelton, king's clerk, to the church of Benhangre, in the diocese of Bath and Wells.

Feb. 1. Westminster. — Exemplification, at the request of Agnes the wife of John son of William de Askham, of the tenour of the enrolment of letters patent dated 20 November, 18 Richard II, granting licence for them to grant a messuage and a plot of land in York to a chaplain.

Feb. 12. Westminster — Licence, for 22*l.* paid by him in the hanaper, for Robert Waldenne of Warrewyk to grant in mortmain a yearly rent of 104*s.* 4*d.* from 19 messuages, 16 shops, three tofts, a dovecote, three gardens, a carucate, two virgates and 52 acres of land and 16½ acres of meadow in Warrewyk, Muyton, Longebrugge, Lee, Bereford and Preston Bagot, not held in chief, to a chaplain to celebrate divine service daily at the altar of St. Anne in the church of St. Mary, Warrewyk, for the good estate of the said Robert and for his soul after death and the soul of Alice his late wife and his children and ancestors.

Feb. 4. Westminster. — Grant for life to the king's esquire Simon Bermyngeham, one of the king's serjeants at arms, of 12*d.* daily from the issues, amercements and other commodities of the town of Bristol with a robe yearly at Christmas at the great wardrobe as other esquires of his estate have; in lieu of a like grant to him by letters patent, surrendered. By p.s.

Jan. 21. Westminster. — Presentation of Nicholas Kyng, chaplain, to the church of Shadenesfeld, in the diocese of Norwich, void by the resignation of Adam Thede.

Feb. 10. Westminster — Grant for life to Margaret late the wife of Robert Howard, knight, that she may receive all issues from the lands, rents and services which she holds in Ireland in dower of the endowment of Walter Bermyngham, knight, sometime her husband, with arrears, notwithstanding any ordinances or statutes against absence from Ireland. By p.s.

Feb. 14. Westminster. — Presentation of Henry Merston to the parish church of Stretton, in the diocese of York. By p.s.

Feb. 13. Westminster. — Licence for the king's servants Edmund Spersholt, Robert de Morle, John Gloucestre and William Esenell to sue John Harpedene, who by virtue of letters patent of the king has disseised them from their just possession of the manor of Harpedene, co. Oxford. By p.s.

Feb. 14. Westminster. — Presentation of John Newelyn, chaplain, to the church of Dorneye, in the diocese of Lincoln.

Feb. 10. Westminster. — Whereas Philip de Berewyk, now deceased, held in chief of Edward III three messuages, 4 virgates of land and 10 acres of meadow in Esshefeld by Routhale, co. Salop, and John Carles of Herdewyk *alias* John Kynge of Esshefeld, also deceased, held of the said king in chief two messuages, one virgate of land and six acres of meadow in the same town, and on their deaths the premises were taken into the hands of the said king and remained in his hands and afterwards in the hands of Richard II and of the king, and Richard Berewyk of Berewyk, kinsman and heir of the said Philip, and William son of Richard Herdewyk, kinsman and heir of the same John, entered into them respectively without suit or livery, and afterwards John Boerleie and Julian his wife acquired the first to themselves and the

1401. *Membrane* 37—*cont.*

heirs of John from the said Richard and the same John Boerlie acquired the second to himself and his heirs from the said William, and they entered therein without licence; the king, for 20*s.* paid by the said John Boerley and Julian in the hanaper, pardons the trespasses in this.

MEMBRANES 36 *and* 35.

Feb. 10. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the abbot and convent of Fourneys, co. Lancaster, of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 6 November, 21 Richard II, inspecting and confirming divers earlier charters. [*Furness Coucher Book*, 185-199.]
2. A writing of William de Moubray. [*Ibid.* 200-203.]
3. An indenture (*French*) of Henry, earl of Lancaster, Derby and Leicester, steward of England, dated at Lincoln, Monday after St. Katharine, 1347. [*Ibid.* 203-5.]
4. A charter dated at Bothwell, 20 November, 10 Edward III. [*Ibid.* 173-5. *Charter Roll*, 10 *Edward III*, *No.* 10.]
5. Letters patent dated 12 February, 12 Edward III. [*Coucher*, 175.]
6. Letters patent dated 5 June, 21 Richard II. [*Ibid.* 177.]

For 10*l.* paid in the hanaper.

MEMBRANE 34.

Feb. 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of an agreement (*French*), examined before the council, between the bailiffs, burgesses and commonalty of the town of Great Jernemuth and the men of the town of Lowystoft, by the mediation of John Doreward, Ralph Ramseye, Robert de Boketon and John Glemham, that the men of Lowystoft may come to Kirkele Rode and freely buy and sell herrings and other victuals and merchandise, except merchandise of Ireland, from and to any merchants and fishers except those fishers of Holand and Seland who are hosted to the said bailiffs, burgesses and commonalty of Jernemuth, in which case for each last of fresh herrings they shall pay half a mark to the hosts of Jernemuth, provided that the herrings be sold by clear day and not by night.

By K. and C.

Feb. 5. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the prior and convent of Brummore of a charter dated at Waltham, 6 February, 6 Edward III [*Charter Roll*, 6 *Edward III*, *No.* 43], inspecting and confirming earlier charters.

For 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 14. Westminster. Protection with clause *volumus* for one year, for John de Stanley, knight, the king's lieutenant in Ireland, staying on the king's service there on the safe custody of that land. By bill of p.s.

1400.

Oct. 26. Windsor Castle. Grant for life to the king's serjeant of the buttery Henry Forster of 10 marks yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because with his assent the king granted the same to John Basset for life on 15 *February, in the third year.*

1401.

Feb. 12. Westminster. General pardon, at the supplication of the lord of Wylughby, to John de Hesketh *alias* John brother of Adam de Hesketh of the county of Chester. By p.s.

1400. *MEMBRANE* 33.

Nov. 15. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Thomas, the abbot, and the convent of Certeseye of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 26 February, 16 Edward III, granting to them the custody of the abbey during voidance.
2. Letters patent dated 10 November, 21 Edward III, granting that no pension shall be granted to anyone on the occasion of the creation of an abbot.
3. Letters patent dated 26 January, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Chertsey, 22 September, 15 Edward III. [*Charter Roll*, 15 *Edward III*, *No.* 9.]

For 100*s.* paid in the hanaper.

1401.

Feb. 19. Westminster. Presentation of William son of Emma Fitz Antoyn of Perteney, vicar of the church of Over Toynton, in the diocese of Lincoln, to the church of Beseby, in the same diocese, on an exchange of benefices with William Hancok.

MEMBRANE 32.

Feb. 14. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Simon Worgan, chaplain, of a writing of William David, Thomas Gloucestre, John Morgan, John Tyler, John Payn, Laurence Morgan, John Batle, Peter Topp, Thomas Adam, Walter Davy and Walter Evethorn, burgesses, and all the commonalty of the town of Kerdyf under the common seal of the town dated at the Guildhall of Kaerdyf, 20 September, 20 Richard II, shewing that their predecessors were founders of a hospital without the east gate of the town at the east end of a way called Crokkerton on the north of the highway leading to Rooth and appointed in it a chaplain to celebrate divine service yearly in the chapel of St. Mary Magdalen there for the good estate of the king, the earl of Gloucester then lord of Glamorgan and Morganno, and the burgesses and commonalty and for their souls after death and to maintain 24 beds in the hospital for leprous, poor and feeble persons, if the lands and alms granted to the hospital suffice, to be called the master of the hospital of St. Mary Magdalen, Kaerdyf, and the hospital for a long time by reason of the small value of the lands and the withdrawal of alms has been ruinous and derelict, and granting the hospital with its lands, alms and other appurtenances to the said Simon for life, at his supplication, provided that he fulfil the above charges to the best of his power.

For 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 13. Westminster. Commission to the king's knight John Cheyne, Masters Thomas Stowe and William Sonday, doctors of law, and the king's esquire John Doreward to hear and determine an appeal by William Pays, merchant and burgess of Bristol, touching certain grievances inflicted on him by the king's kinsman Thomas Percy, admiral of England and Ireland, at the instance of Stephen Sporet, pretending to be an English merchant of the city of Bordeaux, by colour of a process and sentence between the said William and Stephen in the absence of William at Bordeaux. By p.s.

Jan. 12. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the abbot and convent of Barlynges of letters patent dated 24 November, 38 Edward III, granting licence for them to acquire in mortmain 12*s.* rent in Refham by Barlynges, co. Lincoln, and the advowson of the church of the town and to appropriate the church in mortmain; provided that a vicar be sufficiently endowed and by the advice of the ordinary a competent sum of money be distributed yearly among the poor parishioners. For 5 marks paid in the hanaper.

1401. *Membrane* 32—*cont.*

Feb. 8. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight John Dabrichecourt, whom the king has retained for life, of the manors of Merdale, Chapell and Mapelhurst, co. Kent, with knights' fees, advowsons of churches, rents, reversions, services and other appurtenances, to hold from 23 February last, in lieu of a like grant to him by letters of that date (*see p.* 201), surrendered; notwithstanding other grants already made to him. By p.s.

Feb. 16. Westminster. Presentation of Richard Robyn of Wybbetoft to the parish church of Swythelond, in the diocese of Lincoln, void by the resignation of William Wylde.

Feb. 12. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the prior and convent of Alvyngham of letters patent dated 17 November, 26 Edward III, granting licence for them to appropriate the church of Greinethorp. For 10 marks paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 16. Westminster. Licence for William Symson to buy 80 quarters of wheat in Ireland and take them to the county of Cumberland for the victualling of the castles of Carlisle and Cokermouth and the adjacent parts, after due payment of customs and subsidies.

Feb. 17. Westminster. Pardon to Peter Spycer *alias* Carsewell for all felonies and trespasses committed by him except treasons, murders, rapes, common larceny and manslaughter. By p.s.

Feb. 10. Westminster. Exemplification of the tenour of the enrolment of letters patent dated 13 February, 1 Henry IV, granting for life to John Dalyngregge 100 marks yearly. These letters have been accidentally lost, as he has taken oath in Chancery, and will be surrendered if found.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 11 *June, in the sixth year, the king granted to him for life the custody of the castle and lordship of Brembre, co. Sussex, late of Thomas, earl Marshal, and in the king's hands by his forfeiture.*

Feb. 15. Westminster. Grant for life to Richard Elys of 10*l.* yearly from the issues of the county of Kent, in lieu of a like grant at the hands of the sheriff by letters patent dated 24 March, 1 Henry IV, surrendered because invalid.

Feb. 21. Westminster. Writ of aid for John de Blyth of Lincoln, 'parchemaner,' whom the king has appointed to take sheepskins in the counties of Lincoln and Northampton to make parchment for the rolls and other use of the Chancery and Exchequer and other courts.

MEMBRANE 31.

Feb. 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Mayho of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 6 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent of the following dates:—
   22 April, 49 Edward III.
   20 October, 50 Edward III.
   22 February, 51 Edward III.
2. Letters patent dated 28 March, 2 Richard II, granting to him for life a yearly rent of 20*s.* By p.s.

Feb. 10. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire John Sutton of 12*d.* daily from 5 December, 1 Henry IV, from the moneys arising from the custom and subsidy of wools in the port of Ipswich; in lieu of a grant to him by letters patent of that date, surrendered because insufficient. By p.s.

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Feb. 5. Westminster. Exemplification, at the request of William Robynson, of the tenour of the enrolment of letters patent dated 4 July, 20 Richard II, granting that he may hold certain land for 60 years.

Feb. 15. Westminster. Presentation of John Bullok, chaplain, to the church of Atheryngton, in the diocese of Exeter.

Feb. 15. Westminster. Licence, for 6*s.* 8*d.* paid in the hanaper by David Herberd, clerk, and Peter Shelton, clerk, for them to grant in mortmain to the warden and scholars of the hall called 'Valence Marie' in Cambridge 3 roods of land in Cambridge, held of the king in burgage, adjoining their manse, for the enlargement thereof.

Feb. 12. Westminster. General pardon, at the supplication of the lord of Wylughby, to Adam de Hesketh of the county of Chester. By p.s.

Feb. 11. Westminster. Grant to the king's knight John Cheyne and Thomas Horston, clerk, of the custody of the issues, profits and emoluments pertaining to the rectories of the churches of Newent, Bokford *alias* Bekkeford and Dymmok, annexed to the alien priory of Newent, co. Gloucester, from Easter last during the war with France, with jurisdictions, pensions, portions, alms and other spiritual things, rendering 150 marks yearly at the Exchequer and paying tenths and other quota and supporting all other charges; in lieu of a grant to them by letters patent on 21 February last of the same with the rectory of the church of Frompton, at a rent of 210 marks, surrendered because that rectory, which is of the value of 40*l.* yearly, is parcel of the manor or priory of Frompton which has been granted to Walter Fitz Wauter and others. Grant also that they shall not be expelled if anyone wishes to pay more for the custody, and grant to the said John that he shall have 100 marks yearly for life, from the said ferm of 150 marks during their custody and afterwards at the Exchequer. By K.

Feb. 14. Westminster. Presentation of Master John Campeden the younger to the church of Aldebergh, in the diocese of Norwich, in the king's gift by reason of the minority of the son and heir of Thomas de Moubray, tenant in chief.

Feb. 18. Westminster. Appointment, during pleasure, of William Stokes as steward of the manors of Hampstede Merchall, co. Berks, and Lodgersale, co. Wilts, and all fees belonging to them in the said counties and the counties of Somerset, Southampton and Oxford, receiving the accustomed fees. By bill of the treasurer.

Feb. 6. Westminster. Pardon to John de Kyghley, esquire, against whom judgment was lately given in military court in a case between him and Stephen Lescrop. [*Fœdera.*] By p.s.

Feb. 16. Westminster. Revocation of the protection with clause *volumus*, for one year, granted on 30 December last by letters patent to Antony de Mare, going on the king's service to Picardy in the company of John Orewell, captain of the castle of Sandgate, on the safe-custody of the same, because he delays in London, as the sheriffs have certified.

MEMBRANE 30.

Feb. 16. Westminster. Grant to the king's knight Francis Court of the custody of all lands late of Maurice de Berkeley, 'chivaler,' tenant in chief, during

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the minority of his son and heir with the marriage of the latter without disparagement, and so from heir to heir, so that he find a competent sustenance for the heir, maintain the lands, houses, buildings, gardens, woods and enclosures without waste and support all other charges; notwithstanding other specified grants made to him. By p.s.

Feb. 10. Westminster. Grant in frank almoin to the prior and convent of the priory of St. Denys by Suthampton, which is of the king's patronage and of the foundation of the king's progenitors and at present consists of one chapel and one small house, of the hospital of St. Mary Magdalen without the walls of Suthampton with the lands, rents, profits and emoluments belonging to it, without charge or condition except that they shall pray for the good estate of the king and for his soul after death and the souls of his father and mother, progenitors and heirs. In the year 1179 Alexander, then pope, confirmed the hospital to them by bull, and in the time of Edward III their charters and muniments were burned and carried off by the French and afterwards the said king in the year 21 Edward III by letters patent granted the hospital to them in frank almoin and they continued their estate therein until they were removed by colour of a false inquisition taken before John Tauk, escheator of Richard II in the county. By p.s.

Vacated because otherwise in this year.

Feb. 8. Westminster. Exemplification of the tenour of the enrolment of letters patent dated 2 December, 1 Henry IV (*see p.* 147), inspecting and confirming to Peter Edward letters patent dated 20 August, 9 Richard II. William Gamull has taken oath in Chancery that these letters have been accidentally lost and he will surrender them if found.

Feb. 16. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the burgesses of Radynges of letters patent dated 20 February, 2 Richard II, inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Westminster, 10 June, 18 Edward III [*Charter Roll, Edward III, No.* 22], inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Portsmouth, 5 July, 37 Henry III. By fine of 5 marks paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 18. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of a writing of Edward, lord le Despenser, Glomorgan and Morganno, dated at the city of Viterbo, 8 May, 1370, granting for life to his servitor John called 'Pety' of Treneran the office of the portership of his castle of Kerdyfe, co. Glamorgan, with the fees and wages pertaining to it, notwithstanding the statutes against charters made in foreign parts. Witnesses:—Henry Yakesley, Thomas Broun, John Forester of Romesey and others. For 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 20. Westminster. Grant to the bailiffs and good men of Oundle of pontage for two years for the repair of the bridge of Assheconbrigge near the town.

Feb. 20. Westminster. Presentation of John Crane, chaplain, to the vicarage of the church of Polyng, in the diocese of Chichester.

1400.

Nov. 27. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Richard Sewall of letters patent dated 15 January, 22 Richard II, granting to him for life 100*s.* yearly. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

1401.

Feb. 22. Westminster. Presentation of Robert Kyng, chaplain, nominated by the mayor and barons of Rye, to the hospital of St. Bartholomew in the town of Rye, in the diocese of Chichester.

Membrane 30—*cont.*

1401.
Feb. 19. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight William Bardolf, in augmentation of his estate, of 100*l.* yearly from Michaelmas last from the custom of wools, hides and wool-fells in the port of Lenne. By p.s.

Feb. 22. Westminster. Exemption for life of John Frenyngham, esquire, from being put on assizes, juries, inquisitions, attaints or recognitions, from being made sheriff, escheator, coroner, collector, assessor or taxer of tenths, fifteenths or other tallages, taxes or subsidies, justice, trier or assayer of men at arms, archers or other bailiff, officer or minister of the king, from being chosen knight of the shire and from being made to take up knighthood against his will.

MEMBRANES 29 *and* 28.

1400.
Nov. 20. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Robert, bishop of London, and the dean and chapter and canons of the church of St. Paul, London, of a charter dated at Westminster, 18 November, 12 Richard II [*Charter Roll*, 11-18 *Richard II*, *No.* 22], inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Walton, 25 June, 12 Edward III [*Charter Roll*, 12 *Edward III*, *No.* 13], inspecting and confirming with additions earlier charters.
For 100*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Membrane 28—*cont.*

1401.
Feb. 20. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the monks in the island of Farneland by Baumburgh, co. Northumberland, of letters patent dated 31 January, 9 Edward III, granting to them 18 marks 20*s.* yearly.
By p.s. and for 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 21. Westminster. Grant for life to Ralph Shelton, knight, and Alesia his wife of two tuns of red wine of Gascony yearly in the port of Lenne at and from Easter next from the first yield (*vendagio*) in the port, paying the king's prise for the tuns. By p.s.

Grant, during pleasure, to Thomas Tredyngton, chaplain, of the custody of the lesser piece of the seal for the recognisances of debts according to the form of the statute merchant at Acton Burnell in the town of Suthampton, so that he execute the office in person.

Feb. 25. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Nicholas Arderwych of 40*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Feb. 16. Westminster. Pardon to John Gyrsyngton, dwelling with the vicar of Esyngwald, for the felonies with which he is charged, viz. with having stolen about the feast of St. Peter ad Vincula, 22 Richard II, a horse of John Gillesson of Kerreby at Kerreby and on Tuesday before All Saints, 21 Richard II, in a wood by Raskell a ram of Roger Belamy of Raskell. By p.s.

Feb. 21. Westminster. Licence for Simon de Melbourne, clerk, brother of Peter de Melbourne, and Thomas Filke, clerk, to found a perpetual chantry of one chaplain to celebrate divine service daily at the altar of St. Mary in the church of St. Mary, Melbourne, co. Derby, for the souls of the king's mother Blanche, deceased, and Amy de Melbourne, mother of the said Peter and Simon,

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and to grant in mortmain to the said chaplain 20 messuages, 10 tofts, 50 acres of land, 14 acres of meadow, 40 acres of pasture and 10*s.* rent in Melbourne, Neuton and Repyngdon, held of the king in chief as of the duchy of Lancaster. By p.s.

Feb. 22. Westminster. Grant to William Echyngham and Joan his wife and their heirs of 102 acres of arable land, 22 acres of wood and 21*d.* rent in Benyndon late of Robert Bealknap, deceased, and pertaining to the king by his forfeiture, to the value of 72*s.* yearly, with the issues from the time of his forfeiture except those which have been answered for to the king, provided that they answer for any surplus. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 27.

Feb. 12. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the prior and canons of Dunstaple of letters patent dated 12 December, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Woodstock, 15 May, 4 Edward III [*Charter Roll, 4 Edward III, No.* 72], inspecting and confirming earlier charters. For 10*l.* paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 28. Westminster. Grant by mainprise of Matthew Gourney, 'chivaler,' of the county of Somerset and Reginald Lucy, 'chivaler,' of the county of Northampton to Elizabeth late the wife of Warin Lercedekene, 'chivaler,' who held of the king in chief as of the manor of Dertyngton, late of John, late earl of Huntyngdon, who made forfeiture to the king, of the marriages of Elizabeth and Marjory the daughters and heiresses of the said Warin, without disparagement, paying 133*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* at the Exchequer at Midsummer and Michaelmas in equal portions and finding a competent sustenance for them. By bill of the treasurer.

MEMBRANE 26.

Feb. 15. Westminster *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Walter de Lynton, master of the hospital of Burton St. Lazarus and proctor of the order in England, and the lepers and brethren of the order of letters patent dated 1 December, 2 Richard II, inspecting and confirming to Nicholas de Dovorr, then master, and the lepers and brethren the following:—

1. A charter dated at York, 22 February, 2 Edward III, inspecting and confirming earlier charters.
2. Letters patent dated 10 March, 18 Edward III.

For 10 marks paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 21. Westminster. Grant for life to Alice de Stafford of a tun of wine of Gascony yearly at Martinmas from the prise of the king's wine in the port of Kyngeston on Hull. By p.s.

May 20. Westminster. Grant for life to John Somer, of the order of Friars Minors, of 8 ells of russet and 8 ells of blanket for his vesture yearly against Christmas at the great wardrobe. By K.

Feb. 12. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the men of Gumecestre of a charter dated at Westminster, 15 February 15 Richard II. [*Charter Roll*, 15-17 *Richard II, No.* 33.] For 6 marks paid in the hanaper.

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Membrane 26—*cont.*

Feb. 17. Westminster. Grant to John Haniemere and his heirs and assigns of all lands, rents and services late of Griffith Hannemere within the county of Flynt or elsewhere in England or Wales and in the king's hands by his forfeiture, to the value of 80*l.* yearly, notwithstanding a grant to him of lands late of Philip Hannemere and provided that he answer for any surplus.
By p.s.

Feb. 21. Westminster. Grant to Katharine Faukener, until the king shall make other ordinance for her estate, of a place called Wynford, co. Devon, of the value of 10 marks yearly, late of John de Monte Acuto, earl of Salisbury, and in the king's hands by his forfeiture, provided that she answer yearly for any surplus at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Feb. 17. Westminster. Grant to Thomas West, 'chivaler,' and his heirs of view of frankpledge within his hamlet of Neweton Tony, co. Wilts, as Thomas West his father or William de Beauchamp, 'chivaler,' had before his time.
By p.s.

Feb. 28. Westminster. Grant to the king's son John of certain goods and chattels late of Richard, late earl of Arundel, which it was found by an inquisition lately taken by certain commissioners of the king in the county of Devon that John Holand, late earl of Huntyngdon, had in his possession at the time of his forfeiture and are now in the hands of William Hody, late escheator in the county, viz. a bed and a celure (*celuram*) of silk embroidered with bulls and the arms of March and Pembroke, three curtains of tartarin, eight embroidered 'quissyns' and nine tapets of the same suit worth 60*l.*, four long 'quissyns' and two short ones of white silk embroidered with the letter 'M' in gold, worth 40*s.*, a dosser of tapestry worth 26*s.* 8*d.*, twelve tapets of blue colour worth 8*l.*, four tapets of green colour worth 26*s.* 8*d.*, four tapets of white colour with 'raggedestaves,' three curtains, a 'tranasyn' of tartarin worth 4*l.*, a weak bed of silk of green colour with three curtains worth 20*s.*, a bed of 'worstede' and three curtains of 'carde' worth 5*s.*, three long 'quissyns' of silk worth 20*s.*, two 'fustians,' two curtains of 'carde,' two old tapets worth 20*s.*, a canvas worth 6*d.*, five breviaries (*porteforia*), a missal, two legends, two collects, a gospellar, an epistolar, six graduals, worth 45*l.*, 18 pots and three bowls of brass, three bowls of 'maslyn,' two cauldrons (*cacabos*), 19 spits (*broches*), four frying pans (*frixoria*), six rakes, four gridirons (*craticulas*) and thirteen dozen vessels of pewter worth 10*l.* By p.s. [2383.]

MEMBRANE 25.

Feb. 18. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the burgesses of Retford of letters patent dated 20 May, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming the following:—

1. A charter dated at Dunstable, 16 October, 3 Edward III [*Charter Roll, 3 Edward III, No.* 17], inspecting and confirming earlier charters.
2. A charter dated at Westminster, 22 June, 46 Edward III. [*Charter Roll, 46 Edward III, No.* 5.]

For 5 marks paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 21. Westminster. Presentation of Thomas Kirkeby, chaplain, to the church of Belesby, in the diocese of Lincoln. By p.s.

Feb. 9. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the precentor and chapter of the church of St. Davids of letters patent dated 8 March, 12 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 1 May, 51 Edward III.
By p.s. and for 16 marks paid in the hanaper.

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1401.

Feb. 21. Westminster. Presentation of John Steven, vicar of the church of Frenyngham, of the immediate jurisdiction of the archbishopric of Canterbury, to the church of Willesford, in the diocese of Lincoln, in the king's gift by reason of temporalities of the alien priory of Willesford being in his hands, on an exchange of benefices with William Burton. By p.s.

Feb. 10. Westminster. Grant for life to Matilda de Grene of the king's livery of the suit of damsels of the household of her estate, yearly at the hands of the keeper of the great wardrobe. By p.s.

Feb. 28. Westminster. Licence for the prior and convent of St. Mary's, Derby, to elect an abbot in the place of John de Aysheburne, deceased.

1400.

Dec. 18. Westminster. Grant for life to Richard Filongley of 20*l.* yearly from the great custom of wools in the port of London; in lieu of a like grant to him from the issues of the city of London by letters patent dated 26 November, 1 Henry IV, surrendered because he cannot be paid because the sheriffs say that they have paid by the king's command more than their charge amounts to. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 24.

1401.

Feb. 20. Westminster. Revocation of letters patent dated 7 October, 1 Henry IV (*see p.* 9), granting for life to Thomas Bolour the custody of the park of Mere, co. Wilts. The custody was granted for life to William Stourton, by letters patent dated 8 March, 9 Richard II, confirmed on 8 November, 1 Henry IV, and he was expelled by the said Thomas, and at his supplication the king directed the sheriff of Wilts to summon the said Thomas to appear in Chancery and show cause why the letters should not be revoked. The sheriff returned that he had summoned the said Thomas by John Gardyner and Gilbert Wyke, and at the appointed day the said Thomas appeared by John Wissyngset, his attorney, and the said William appeared in person, and the process was continued until the octaves of the Purification and judgement was given against the said Thomas.
By K. on the information of the treasurer of England.

Feb. 16. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 19 November, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent (*French*) dated 10 March, 1 Edward III, to the girdlers of London.
By p.s. and for 5 marks paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 22. Westminster. Grant to Robert Amory and Thomas Leget of pontage for five years for the repair of the bridge of Rodbrigg.

Feb. 25. Westminster. Licence for the sub-prioress and nuns of Ankerwyk, of the order of St. Benedict, in the diocese of Lincoln, to elect a prioress in the place of Matilda de Bathe, resigned.

Feb. 14. Westminster. Whereas Richard II by letters patent granted to John de Roche, 'chivaler,' now deceased, 100 marks yearly for life, and this grant was afterwards confirmed by the king, and from this annuity 50 marks in the time of Richard II and about 100 marks in the king's time were due to him at his death, and he was indebted to the king in 220*l.*, for which sum the sheriff of Wilts seized to the king's use and valued his oxen, cows and other goods left by him to Williama his wife, and his five children for their maintenance, and in the sheriff's account 50 marks have been answered

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for; the king, in consideration of the good service of the said John and in recompense of the said sums in arrear, pardons to his heirs and executors and the tenants of his lands all arrears of the said sum of 220*l.* By p.s.

Feb. 23. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire William Gypthorpe of 40*l.* yearly from the issues of the county of Lincoln. By p.s.

March 1. Westminster. Grant to the king's clerk John Kyrkeby of the custody of the hospital of St. Leonard, Derby, void by the resignation of John Candelesby, last master. By K.

Feb. 25. Westminster. Grant for life to Henry de Retford, in consideration of his great expenses on the king's service in Scotland and elsewhere, of 40 marks yearly from the issues of the county of Lincoln, in lieu of a like grant to him at the Exchequer by letters patent of Richard II, surrendered. By p.s.

Feb. 16. Westminster. Grant to the king's servant John Elyot of a messuage in Somersham, co. Suffolk, extended at 5*s.* yearly, and three messuages in Braunford, extended at 28*s.* 4*d.* yearly, and certain goods and chattels to the value of 16*l.*, late of Robert Priour of Mendlesham, and forfeited by his outlawry for treason, to hold the messuages for life with issues from the day of forfeiture, besides the 6*d.* daily which he has for life from the fee-farm of the town of Ipswich of the grant of Richard II and the confirmation of the king; in lieu of a like grant by letters patent of Richard II, confirmed by the king, surrendered because invalid. By p.s.

Feb. 28. Westminster. Grant to John Bedeford, clerk, at the nomination of the mayor and barons of Rye, of the hospital of St. Bartholomew, Rye.

MEMBRANE 23.

Feb. 26. Westminster. Grant, in consideration of their poverty, to the vicars of the choir of the cathedral church of Exeter, who have a competent lodging within the cemetery of their church and possesses certain lands, rents, services and reversions and the church of Wodebury, in the diocese of Exeter, appropriated to them, that they shall henceforth be called the warden and college of vicars of the choir of the said cathedral church, one of them shall be warden by election of the others whenever it shall seem fit to them without royal licence or assent, and they shall have a common seal, and as a college incorporate shall have power to acquire lands, rents, services and reversions and advowsons of churches and to implead and be impleaded. And pardon to them for all offences committed by them against the statute of mortmain, and grant that they shall hold their present possessions in frank almoin. By K. and for 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 26. Westminster. Presentation of John Lytlyngton, parson of the church of Newenton, in the diocese of London, to the church of Bokelond, in the diocese of Canterbury, in the king's gift by reason of the minority of William son and heir of John Frogenale, on an exchange of benefices with John More.

March 2. Westminster. Grant to the good men of the town of Fordyngbrigge, co. Southampton, of pontage for two years.

Feb. 28. Westminster. Grant to the bailiffs and good men of Bruggewater of pontage and pavage for one year from 22 October next.

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Feb. 22. Westminster. Commission to William Heron, William Sturmy, Richard Cradok, knights, Masters Thomas Stowe, William Rocombe and Richard Brynkele, clerks, and John Doreward, John Frome and John Curson, esquires, to hear and determine an appeal by John de Fynchyngfeld, clerk, John de Ese and Robert Askowe of London, who state that one William Gerard, late citizen of London, deceased, had a judgement in the military court before John Cheyne, then lieutenant of the court, against John Chamberleyn in a money case, and the latter was condemned in 100 marks, of which sum the said William was satisfied of a moiety and the said Chamberleyn and others bound themselves to pay the other moiety, thus affirming the judgement, and afterwards the said John Chamberleyn after the time of appeal had gone by made an invalid appeal to Richard II, and the said king appointed certain commissioners, of whom some were soldiers of Calais, viz. William de Farendon, knight, Richard Basset, knight, and John Newerk, esquire, and were then at Calais, where the said William dared not go nor could send sufficient counsel, and the commissioners revoked the said judgement and the execution of it at Calais and condemned the said William in 110*l.* to be levied on the goods of the said petitioners as his pledges and these were arrested and are detained in the prison of the said city. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 22.

Feb. 22. Westminster. Appointment of Richard Cuppere of London, whom the king has appointed to serve him with cups required for the household, to take cups and carriage for the same.

Feb. 18. Westminster. Pardon to Thomas Payntour of Bisshopeshull for the murder of William Maister of Bisshopeshull on Monday after the Translation of St. Thomas, 23 Richard II. By p.s.

Feb. 22. Westminster. Appointment of John de Blyth of Lincoln, 'parchemaner,' to take sheepskins in the counties of Lincoln and Northampton to make parchment for the rolls and other use of the Chancery and Exchequer, and workmen for making the parchment.

Feb. 24. Westminster. Grant for life to Alice Rokeby of 5 marks yearly from the issues of the county of Kent. By p.s.

Feb. 21. Westminster. Grant to John Blenkansop, late mayor of Carlisle, for the life of himself and Joan his wife, of a parcel of the king's demesne lands belonging to the castle of Carlisle called 'le Weryholme,' rendering 6 marks yearly at the Exchequer at the hands of the sheriff of Cumberland; in furtherance of a grant of the same for ten years, now past, by letters patent of Richard II. By p.s.

Jan. 24. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight Thomas Erpyngham of a tenement called 'le Newe Inne' in the parish of St. Benet, Thamistrete, in the ward of Baynardcastell, London, late of John de Beauchamp, knight, deceased, to the value of 100*s.* yearly, late of John de Mountagu, late earl of Salisbury, and in the king's hands by his forfeiture, to hold from the day of the said forfeiture, notwithstanding certain other grants already made to him. By p.s.

Feb. 23. Westminster. Grant for life, or until the king shall otherwise provide for his estate, to the king's knight John de Clifton of 40 marks yearly from the issues of

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the county of Nottingham, in lieu of a like grant by letters patent dated 5 February, 1 Henry IV, surrendered because no mention is made of any day of payment; and grant that all arrears for the past year shall be paid to him by the treasurer and chamberlains. By p.s.

Feb. 18. Westminster. Grant to the good men of Evesham of pavage for four years by the ordinance and supervision of the abbot of Evesham.

Feb. 16. Westminster. Grant to John Elyot (*as on m.* 24). By p.s.
Vacated because elsewhere below.

March 1. Westminster. Presentation of Thomas Butiller to the prebend of Brightlyng in the king's free chapel of Hastynges, in the diocese of Chichester. By p.s.

Jan. 25. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John, the abbot, and the prior and convent of Glastonbury of letters patent dated 5 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 27 February, 3 Edward III, granting to the prior and convent the custody of the abbey during voidance. For 40 marks paid in the hanaper.

March 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John de Scarle of letters patent dated 27 November, 9 Richard II, granting to him for life a tun of wine yearly; and grant to him of arrears. By p.s.

March 8. Westminster. Grant to the king's son Humphrey of the following parcels late of John de Holand, late earl of Huntyngdon, and pertaining to the king by reason of his forfeiture, viz. three cloths of gold worked with oaks, six red tapets worked with tapestry of the arms of the earl and his wife, a bed with a celure and tester of red tartarin embroidered with letters with three curtains of red tartarin, a bed of silk with a celure and three curtains of blue tartarin, a trapping of red velvet embroidered with stags, a coverlet for a car palled with white, black and red velvet, a bed of silk with a white and red celure with curtains of the same suit, a celure with a tester of red embroidered worsted and three old tapets of red worsted embroidered with oak-leaves, in the hands of William Hody, late escheator in the county of Devon, and all other parcels of money and moveable goods late of the said John within his manor of Dertyngton on the day of his forfeiture and not granted by the king to anyone else of which the said William is accountable, to hold to the value of 100*l.* provided that he answer for any surplus. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 21.

Feb. 22. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the mayor, bailiffs and burgesses of Bedeford of a charter dated at Westminster, 3 January, 19 Richard II [*Charter Roll*, 18 *and* 19 *Richard II, No.* 2], inspecting and confirming with additions the following:—

1. A charter at Westminster, 28 March, 11 Henry III. [*Charter Roll*, 11 *Henry III, m.* 14.]
2. A charter dated at Westminster, 12 November, 1 Richard I.

For 8 marks paid in the hanaper.

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Nov. 15. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Munketon of 6*d.* daily from the issues of the city of York. By p.s.
Vacated because in the first year.

1401. *Membrane* 21—*cont.*

Feb. 10. Westminster. Grant for life to Robert de Shore of the office of porter of the king's almshouse of St. Leonard within the city of York, with the custody of the granges of Acom and Benyngbergh pertaining to the house, which office and custody he asserts to be void and in the king's gift. By p.s.

March 4. Westminster. Grant to the king's knight John Littelbury, lately outlawed at the suit of John Eustace in the county of Middlesex on a plea of debt, of all his goods and chattels, which were forfeited to the king. By p.s.

March 2. Westminster. Grant for life to Joan the daughter of Robert Tresilian, knight, in consideration of her great loss at the king's coming into England, of 100*s.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Feb. 1. Westminster. Licence, for 6 marks paid in the hanaper by William Gryvell of Campeden, for him and William Wilcotes, Edmund Compton and John Barbour of Ichinton to enfeoff Edward Lodelowe and Richard Bussell of their manor of Milcote, co. Warwick, held in chief, and for these to re-grant the same to him and Joan his wife and the heirs male of their bodies, with remainder to his right heirs.

MEMBRANE 20.

Feb. 22. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the men of Dynebegh of letters patent dated 21 February, 8 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 27 October, 6 Edward III, inspecting and confirming earlier letters patent. And grant that the town and half a league in its circuit shall be a free borough, the inhabitants shall be free burgesses and they shall have a prison without the borough to imprison for trespasses done as well within the 'Gallissherie' as within the 'Englissherie,' no Welsh minister shall meddle with anything done within the borough, they shall have a gild merchant with a hanse and other customs and liberties, if the burgesses die testate or intestate the king or his ministers shall not seize their goods or chattels but their heirs and executors shall have the disposal of the same, the burgesses shall not be convicted or excluded by any foreigners within the lordship except by their fellow burgesses except in anything touching the commonalty of the borough, and in that case they shall be brought into court according to the liberties anciently approved and used in the boroughs of Rothelan and Coneway, and in anything without the lordship within the principality of Wales they shall not be convicted or excluded except by the burgesses of the English boroughs in those parts, they or their goods and chattels shall not be seized for any debt of which they are not pledges or principals, and they shall not lose their goods or chattels for any trespass or forfeiture of their servants.
By K. & C. and for 100*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 20. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the citizens of Chichester of letters patent dated 12 January, 2 Richard II, inspecting and confirming the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 24 September, 10 Edward III.
2. A charter dated at Westminster, 10 March, 11 Edward III. [*Charter Roll*, 11 *Edward* III, *No.* 77.]
3. Letters patent dated 26 June, 50 Edward III.

For 8 marks paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 25. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Thomas Gott of the office of 'rydyngforster' within the forest of Galtres, co. York, which Laurence Bailly, deceased, had for life of the grant of Richard II, with the accustomed fees, profits and commodities. By p.s.

Membrane 20—*cont.*

1401.
March 2. Westminster. Exemption for life of Robert Chalmele, esquire, from being put on assizes, juries, inquisitions, attaints or recognitions, from being made sheriff, escheator, coroner, collector, assessor or taxer of tenths, fifteenths or other subsidies, justice, trier or arrayer of men at arms, archers or other men, or other bailiff, officer or minister of the king, from being compelled to take up knighthood and from labouring in person in war, notwithstanding grants for life made to him by Richard II and confirmed by the king.
By p.s.

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Feb. 24. Westminster. Grant to William Hungate, by mainprise of Robert Malton of the county of York and Henry Randolf of the same county, of the custody of all lands late of Thomas Dayvill of Southcave, co. York, deceased, tenent in chief of Thomas de Moubray, a minor in the king's custody, during the minority of his heir with the marriage of the latter without disparagement, and so from heir to heir, paying to the king 50*l.* within the third week of Lent next, finding a competent sustenance for the heir, maintaining the houses and buildings and supporting all charges.
By bill of the treasurer.

Feb. 20. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the burgesses and men of Kerdyf of a charter dated at Westminster, 20 July, 33 Edward III [*Charter Roll, 33 Edward III, No.* 7], inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Westminster, 4 March, 17 Edward II. [*Charter Roll, 17 Edward II, No.* 25.]
For 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

1400.
Dec. 18. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Edmund Danvers, notwithstanding that the manors are held of the king in chief, of a writing of Almaric de Sancto Amando, knight, dated at Wydehay on the feast of St. Edmund the King, 19 Richard II, granting for life to the said Edmund a yearly rent of 20 marks from his manors of Abberbury and Bloxham, co. Oxford, and his other lands in the said county. For 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

1401.
Feb. 20. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the abbess and convent of Romeseye of a charter dated at Westminster, 10 May, 18 Richard II [*Charter Roll, 11-13 Richard II, No.* 2], inspecting and confirming to Isabel Camoys, then abbess, and the convent the following:—

1. A charter dated at Langley, 14 June, 2 Edward II [*Charter Roll, 2 Edward II, No.* 10], inspecting and confirming earlier charters.
2. Letters patent dated 11 February, 10 Edward III.
3. A charter dated at Westminster, 5 March, 43 Edward III. [*Charter Roll, 43 Edward III, No.* 17.]

For 8 marks paid in the hanaper.

MEMBRANE 17.

Feb. 25. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the burgesses of the new borough of Medine in the Isle of Wight of letters patent dated 5 October, 17 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 8 May, 16 Richard II, being an exemplification of letters patent dated 29 February, 26 Edward III, inspecting and confirming a charter of Isabel de Fortibus, countess of Albemarle and Devon and lady of the Island. For 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Membrane 17—*cont.*

1401.
Feb. 22. Westminster. Restoration (*as on p.* 70) of the priory of Langenyth in the lordship of Gower, in the diocese of St. Davids, to Richard de Augo, monk of St. Taurin, Evreux in Normandy, who has been admitted prior; in which priory the priors used to be perpetual and to be instituted by the bishops of St. Davids, as Guy, bishop of St. Davids, has certified. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 16.

Feb. 25. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to George Cressy, citizen and goldsmith of London, of the following:—

1. An indenture dated 29 July, 1 Henry IV, witnessing that Richard de Medford, bishop of Salisbury, has demised to him and his heirs and assigns two gardens lying in the parish of St. Bride the Virgin, Fletstret, London, for 80 years from Michaelmas next, rendering to the bishop, or the dean and chapter when the see is void, 20*s.* yearly. One garden lies between the manse of the bishop on the south and the cemetery of the church of St. Bride on the north, with one head abutting on the rectory there on the east and the other towards the porch of the hall of the said manse on the west, reserving to the bishop an ancient exit leading from the manse to the cemetery with a door to be made at the bishop's expense, and the other lies on the west of the cemetery with one head abutting on the tenement of John Knevet on the north and the other on the said garden on the south, with an entrance to be made at George's expense, viz. in breadth from the great gate of the manse on the east to the said tenement and in depth to 'le gette' on the gate and from the gate to the said garden in breadth and in depth to 'le gette.' The said George shall enclose the entrance at his own cost with an earthen wall 40 feet long measuring from the west corner of a little chamber within the gate by a tree growing there to be enclosed within the wall up to the earthen wall of the manse, and he shall make an enclosure around the two gardens on the sides of the cemetery and the manse.
2. Letters patent of the dean and chapter of the cathedral church of Salisbury dated in their chapter-house, 14 January, 2 Henry IV, inspecting and confirming the above.

For ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

March 8. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Richard Barbour of the office of keeper of the beam for weighing wools called 'le wolbeme' and weigher of wools at the town of Suthampton with the accustomed fees and profits, as Edmund Gyssynges, deceased, had of the grant of Edward III. By p.s.

Jan. 8. Westminster. Presentation of William Byngham, chaplain, to the vicarage of the church of Hoton by Beverley, in the diocese of York. By p.s.

March 5. Westminster. Revocation of the protection with clause *volumus*, for one year, lately granted by letters patent to John Hampton, going on the king's service to Scotland in the company of the king's kinsman Edmund, earl of Stafford, because he delays in the city of London, as the sheriffs have certified.

March 5. Westminster. Grant of the prebend of Wedemour Secunda in the cathedral church of Wells, in the king's gift by reason of the voidance of the bishopric of

1401. *Membrane* 16—*cont.*

Bath and Wells, to John Gamull, canon of the cathedral church of Hereford and prebendary of Yeyne in the same and prebendary of Wylmecote in the collegiate church or chapel of Tomworth, in the diocese of Coventry and Lichfield, on an exchange of benefices with Gilbert de Stone, dean of the free chapel of Hastyng, in the diocese of Chichester, and canon of the cathedral church of Wells. By p.s.

Mandate in pursuance to the guardian of the spirituality of the bishopric of Bath and Wells. By p.s.

Mandate in pursuance to the dean and chapter of the cathedral church of Wells. By p.s.

March 5. Westminster. Presentation of the said Gilbert to the said prebend of Wylmecote, on exchange as above. By p.s.

March 9. Westminster. Revocation of the protection with clause *volumus*, for one year, lately granted by letters patent to John Godeston, citizen and mercer of London, *alias* John Godiston, merchant of London, *alias* John Godston of the county of Essex, staying on the king's service in the company of the king's knight Thomas Swynbourne, captain of the castle of Hammes, for the safe-keeping of the same; because he delays in the city of London and neighbouring parts and obtained the letters to exclude the king from certain sums in which he was bound to Richard II and divers lieges of the king, denizen and alien, from other sums. By K.

Feb. 28. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Bynyotten of the enrolment of letters patent dated 19 October, 21 Richard II, granting to him livery of the crown. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 24. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant William de Lynne of a tenement with two shops and solars and a garden in Whitecrouchestrete within the parish of St. Giles without Crepulgate, London, two shops with solars in the parish of St. Peter in Wodestrete by Chepe in the ward of Crepulgate and a messuage and two shops with solars in the parish of St. Mary Magdalen by Oldefisshestrete in the ward of Baynardescastell, London, late of Thomas Newton, late parson of the church of St. Michael at the Corn, London, and forfeited to the king because he bequeathed them in mortmain without licence to the parson of the church to find a chaplain, worth 7 marks 8*s.* 4*d.* yearly, to hold to that value, provided that he answer for any surplus, notwithstanding a previous grant to him. By p.s.

March 9. Westminster. Grant to Gilbert son and heir of Richard, late lord of Talbot, of 100 marks yearly at the Exchequer in aid of his maintenance during his minority, because the lands late of his father are in the king's hands. By p.s.

March 14. Westminster. Presentation of George Taillour, chaplain, to the church of St. Nicholas, Hertford, in the diocese of Lincoln.

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March 9. Westminster. Whereas John Prene, dean of the cathedral church of St. Patrick, Dublin, one of the auditors of causes of the palace of pope Boniface, holds the said deanery, which is an elective benefice, by force of a provision of the apostolic see, the king pardons the trespasses in this and confirms his estate in the deanery. By K.

1401. *Membrane* 15—*cont.*

March 10. Westminster. Whereas Richard II by letters patent committed to the king's kinsman Peter Courteney and Simon, late prior of Otryngton *alias* Otryton, co. Devon, deceased, the custody of the priory with all its lands and possessions during the war with France, rendering 200 marks yearly at the Exchequer, and afterwards the same Peter, Richard Armys, prior of Stokeursy, John Kirchill, parson of the church of Alre, and Richard Bacwell, parson of the church of Estludeford, acquired the priory with all its possessions from the abbot and convent of Mont St. Michel in Normandy and the said king confirmed their estate therein on 10 June, 20 Richard II, saving the yearly farm of 200 marks aforesaid; the king grants the same to them from 1 October last for the life of the said Peter during the war with France quit of the said farm, notwithstanding that the profits of alien priories within the realm have been assigned for the expenses of the household. By p.s.

March 10. Westminster. Licence for Robert Braybrok, bishop of London, John Trefnant, bishop of Hereford, Robert, lord of Harryngton, 'chivaler,' John Bagot, 'chivaler,' Gerard Braybrok, 'chivaler,' the elder and Gerard Braybrok, 'chivaler,' the younger to grant the manor of Padyngdene, co. Surrey, the soke called Oswaldbeksokene, co. Nottingham, 10 messuages, two carucates of land, 20 acres of meadow and 100*s.* rent in Donyngton, Wadyngton, Golseby and Alkebarwe, co. Lincoln, and the manors of Fordham, Hanyngfeld, Esthanyngfeld and Westhanyngfeld, co. Essex, held in chief, and for William Bagot, 'chivaler,' John de Styuecle, William Wenlok and John Olney to grant the manor of Worfeld, co. Salop, the manor of Wyginton, co. Stafford, the manors of Thoriton, Redeswell and Southanyfeld and a moiety of the wood of Walbury, co. Essex, and the manor of Wrydelyngton, co. Suffolk, held in chief, to William de Beauchamp, lord of Bergevenny, and Joan his wife for life with remainder to his right heirs, and for the said William, William, John and John and John Pycard, esquire, to grant the reversion of the castle, town, land and lordship of Bergevenny in Wales on the death of the said Joan to the said William and his heirs. By K.

Feb. 24. Westminster. Revocation of the protection with clause *volumus*, for one year, lately granted by letters patent to Peter Descamps of Gascony staying on the king's service in the company of Stephen Lescrop, knight, one of the captains of the castle of Rokesburgh, on the safe-keeping of the same, because he delays in the city of London, as the sheriffs have certified.

March 12. Westminster. Grant to the bailiffs and good men of Lodelowe of murage for seven years.

Grant to the men of the county of Northumberland, in consideration of the great losses which they have sustained and still sustain, that they shall be quit of the tenth and fifteenth granted to the king in the last Parliament. By K.

March 18. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Arnold Sauvage of letters patent dated 5 June, 19 Richard II, granting to him for life 50*l.* yearly from the petty custom in the port of London. By p.s. and for 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

March 18. Westminster. Mandate in pursuance to the collectors of the said custom.

MEMBRANE 14.

May 27. Westminster. Pardon to Warin fitz Fouk le Cook of Addelyngton, co. Chester, for the death of Thomas Mortymer. By p.s.

1401. *Membrane* 14—*cont.*

May 7. Westminster. Grant to the king's clerk Henry Merston of the prebend of Hasilbere in the cathedral church of Wells, void by the death of Master John Mannesston. By p.s.

Mandate in pursuance to the guardian of the spirituality of the bishopric, the see being void.

Mandate in pursuance to the dean and chapter.

May 6. Westminster. Grant for life to William Gaynesburgh, for his good service to Richard II for 15 years and because he is visited by the infirmity of leprosy, of 10*s.* yearly at the Exchequer; in lieu of a grant to him and Thomas Dounsell *alias* Mewe of the custody of the weirs of the water called 'Lexwere' in the city of Lymeryk in Ireland, by letters patent of Richard II, surrendered. By p.s.

May 30. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the abbot and convent of Shrewsbury of letters patent dated 26 July, 8 Edward III, granting licence for them to appropriate in mortmain the church of Wrocwardyn; and grant that they may hold the church according to the form of the appropriation by the apostolic see, notwithstanding that in the said letters it is not mentioned that the advowson was held in chief or that in times past they have not fulfilled certain charges expressed in the apostolic letters on the appropriation. By p.s. and for 20*l.* paid in the hanaper.

May 28. Westminster. Appointment of the king's kinsman Thomas Percy, earl of Worcester, steward of the household, Thomas More, clerk, treasurer of the household, and Thomas Bromflete, controller of the household, to have payment, during office, of 218*l.* 15*s.* 8*d.* yearly from the revenues of the petty custom in the port of London for expenses of the household; in recompense of the yearly values of the manors of Fremyngton, Combe Martyn with the borough, Barnestaple with the borough, Southmolton with the borough, Dertyngton, Wynkeletracy and Blakeburghboty, cos. Devon and Cornwall, late of John de Holand, late earl of Huntingdon, of which the yearly profits were lately assigned for the expenses of the household and which John Cornewaille, 'chivaler,' and his wife held at farm during the minority of the heir of the said earl for such a sum against what they used to receive yearly from the said custom of the king's grant. By p.s.

Mandate in pursuance to the collectors of the said custom.

June 16. Westminster. Presentation of William de Langeton the younger, chaplain, to the church of Eccleston, in the diocese of Coventry and Lichfield.

April 22. Westminster. Pardon to Henry Messager for all felonies committed by him except treason, murders and rape, provided that he be not a common thief. By p.s.

July 2. Westminster. Appointment, during pleasure, of the king's clerk Robert Crull to the office of treasurer of the exchequer of Ireland, receiving the accustomed fee. By p.s.

July 1. Westminster. Presentation of Robert Leversegge to the church of Llanraader, in the diocese of Bangor.

July 2. Westminster. John Yong, 'fynour,' going to Ireland, has letters nominating John Spicer and William Cryour his attorneys for one year.

John Roderh[am], clerk, received the attorneys until his return.

April 1. Leeds Castle. Pardon, out of reverence for this present day, Good Friday, to John Croydon for the death of Thomas Tayllour of Shulthurne on Saturday, St. Bartholomew, 22 Richard II, at Sultherne. By K.

1401. *Membrane* 14—*cont.*

July 1. Westminster. Grant to Michael Braylys of Ireland that he may absent himself from Ireland and dwell in England to learn the law of the realm for three years, and in the meantime to receive all rents, issues, profits and commodities from the lands and services which he holds in Ireland, as well of the right of his wife as otherwise, notwithstanding any ordinance to the contrary. By K.

July 5. Westminster. Presentation of William Bildeston, king's clerk, bachelor in civil law, to the parish church of Hamerton, in the diocese of Lincoln. By p.s.

April 8. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Janico Dartas, in lieu of a like grant to William Rye by letters patent dated 15 November, 1 Henry IV, surrendered, of the office of the constableship of the castle of Dublin in Ireland with the accustomed wages, fees, rents, profits, commodities and emoluments, receiving the said wages and fees from the fee-farm of the city of Dublin. By p.s.

Mandate in pursuance to the mayor and bailiffs.

July 8. Westminster. Grant during office, for the better maintenance of his estate, to Thomas, archbishop of Dublin, whom the king has appointed to the office of chancellor of Ireland during pleasure, receiving the accustomed fee of 10*s.* daily at the exchequer of Ireland. By K.

July 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Edward Perers, knight, of letters patent under the seal used in Ireland, attested by John de Stanley, knight, lieutenant in Ireland, dated at Dublin, 5 May, 2 Henry IV, granting to him, in consideration of his charges in the defence of the land before the advent of the said John, the custody of all lands, rents and services in the county of Kilkenny late of Roger de Mortuo Mari, earl of March and Ulster, during the minority of Edmund his son and heir, with all fees, wards, marriages, reliefs, escheats, liberties and royal jurisdictions and other profits and commodities, and so from heir to heir.

By p.s. and for 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

July 6. Westminster. Grant to the king's knight Ralph Rocheford of the custody of all lands late of Robert Coyne and Hugelina his wife, deceased, tenants in chief, during the minority of Robert their son and heir with all the issues to the value of 40*l.* yearly and the marriage of the heir without disparagement, without rendering anything for the same, and so from heir to heir, provided that he answer for any surplus, find a competent sustenance for the heir, maintain the houses, buildings, woods, enclosures and gardens and support all charges. By p.s.

Memorandum. The words interlined (without rendering anything for the same) were added by warrant of a writ of privy seal on the files of the fourth year.

June 14. Westminster. Licence, for 20 marks paid in the hanaper by Simon Felbrigge, 'chivaler,' William Appilyerd, John Thorp, clerk, John Yelverton, John Wynter, John Clere, Oliver Groos, Thomas Derham and Richard Alfred, for Robert Cook, parson of the church of Little Shelford, Walter Sterne, Henry Webbe, parson of the church of Seinte Marie atte Hill, London, and Peter Pirly to grant to them and their heirs the reversion of the manors of Caxton and Wrottyng and two messuages, 100 acres of land, 10 acres of meadow, 20 acres of pasture and 20*s.* rent in Westwrottyng, Carleton and Balsham, held in chief, which William Rees and Agnes his wife hold for her life.

July 1. Westminster. Licence of absence for Michael Braylys (as above). By K.

Membrane 14—*cont.*

1401.

June 17. Westminster. Pardon to the king's knight Henry Nevylle, sheriff of Leicester and Warwick, and John Tolas, gaoler of the king's prison at Warrewyk, of the moneys incurred by them for the escape from the said prison of John Colman of Pollesworth, Thomas Dey of the same and Thomas Irysh, indicted of felony, and John Wryght of the county of York, John Poynyard of Thurmaston, William Hamond of Darstill and Richard Wryght of Bylneye son of Peter Brakeman, arrested on suspicion of felony. By p.s.

July 4. Westminster. Pardon to John Sokke of Esenden the younger for all felonies and trespasses committed by him except treason, murder and rape. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 13.

July 14. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the prior and convent of Bathe and the master and brethren of the hospital of St. John, Waterford, of a charter dated 27 August, 6 John. [*Rotuli Cartarum*, *p.* 136.] For 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

July 13. Westminster. Presentation of William Oldon, parson of the church of Ulceby by Perteney, in the diocese of Lincoln, to the church of Tylbrok, in the same diocese, on an exchange of benefices with John Grantham.

July 1. Westminster. Licence of absence for Michael Braylys (*as on p.* 446). By K.

July 8. Westminster. Pardon to Willym ap Tudur, Howell Vagham ap Madok ap Howell, Guillym ap Gr' ap Madok, Griff ap Jevan ap David, Ll' ap Griff ap Jevan, Kenryk ap Meridith, Ll' ap Ignon ap Hoel, Hulkyn ap Madok ap Gr', Tudur ap Meridith, Hulkyn Powys, David ap Gr' Wantagh, Jevan ap Gwyll' ap Batha, Jankyn ap Howell ap Ignon, Madok ap Howell ap Madok, Meredith ap Hoel ap Madok, Edenavet ap Davit ap Helyn, Ll' ap Jevan ap Davit Thue, Comice ap Naved, Griff ap Jevan Thlouyt, Davit ap Naved, Jevan ap Ll' ap Jer' Thlouyt, David ap Thedur Gowee, Griff' ap Thedur Gowee, Hoell ap Guyll' ap Jer,' Madok ap Thomkyn, Wylcok ap Jevan Moyl, Madok ap Thedur ap Jevan, Jereworth ap Bygham The, Jevan ap Davyt Moyl, Griff ap Jevan ap Davit Gowe, Edenavet ap David ap Hithel, Gr' Goo ap Batha Bawgh, Gr' ap Madok ap Jevan, Howel ap Madok and Kenryk ap Howell ap Ma of all offences committed by them since St. Hilary, 1 Henry IV. [*Fœdera.*] By p.s.

June 27. Westminster. Grant to Henry Merston, chaplain, of the prebend of Hasilbere in the cathedral church of Wells, in the king's gift by reason of the temporalities of the bishopric of Bath and Wells being in his hands. By p.s.
Mandate in pursuance to the guardian of the spirituality of the bishopric.
Mandate in pursuance of the dean and chapter.

June 28. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire John Norbury, in lieu of a like grant to him by letters patent dated 5 November, 1 Henry IV (*see p.* 122), surrendered because invalid because no mention was made of the value or of other grants, and of the king's special grace and not at the supplication of him or anyone else but of the king's certain knowledge and mere motion, of the havenerships (*havenarias*) in the counties of Cornwall and Devon with the prise of wines within the same counties and wreck of sea and other profits and the pesage of tin in the county of Cornwall and the

1401. *Membrane* 18—*cont.*

custody of the gaol of Lostwithiel with the fees and profits pertaining to the same, with all issues from 1 October, 1 Henry IV, notwithstanding that no mention is made of the value of the premises or of other grants. By K.

Grant for life to the same from Michaelmas last, in lieu of a like grant to him by letters patent dated the said 5 November (*see p.* 122), surrendered as above, of the office of the king's privy wardrobe within the Tower of London, with the wages, fees and profits pertaining to it from the said 5 November, notwithstanding etc. By K.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because with his assent on 13 *February, in the sixth year, the king granted the same to Henry Somer for life.*

Aug. 2. Westminster. Grant for life from Easter last to the king's knight Alfonso de Monterre, whom the king has retained for life, of 40*l.* yearly from the petty custom in the port of London, in lieu of a like grant to him on 2 December last from the custom and subsidy of wools, hides and wool-fells in the said port by letters patent, surrendered. By p.s.
Vacated by surrender.

The like to the king's esquire Peter Michel.

Aug. 6. Westminster. Grant, for the sum of 100*l.* to be paid to the treasurer of the household, to the king's clerk Master Richard Clifford, elect of Worcester, of the custody of the temporalities of the bishopric of Worcester with issues, farms, knights' fees, courts and other profits, except adowsons, from the death of Tideman, late bishop, as long as they remain in the king's hands. By p.s.

Grant to the king's clerk Nicholas Slake of the deanery of the king's free chapel of Briggenorth. By p.s.

Aug. 17. Westminster. Presentation of John Belyng, vicar of the church of Bergeveney, in the diocese of Llandaff, to the vicarage of Aldermaston, in the diocese of Salisbury, in the king's gift by reason of the alien priory of Shirborne being in his hands on account of the war with France, on an exchange of benefices with John Salyng.

April 29. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John de Routhe of letters patent dated 27 November, 17 Richard II, granting to him for life 40 marks yearly. By p.s. and for 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Aug. 6. Westminster. Grant for life to Percy 'Heraud' of 10*l.* yearly at the Exchequer, in lieu of a like grant to him under the name of Wales 'Heraud,' of 20 marks yearly by letters patent of Richard II, surrendered. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 12.

March 10. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Master Simon Sloleye, the warden, and the chaplains of the chapel of St. Thomas the Martyr, Stretford on Avene, of letters patent dated 20 November, 4 Richard II, inspecting and confirming to William Hull, then warden, and the chaplains a charter dated at Westminster, 26 March, 11 Edward III. [*Charter Roll*, 11 *Edward III*, *No.* 27.] For 20 marks paid in the hanaper.

March 12. Westminster. Presentation of Peter Camerynghan to the church of Benhangre, in the diocese of Bath and Wells.

Membrane 12—*cont.*

1401.
March 15. Westminster. Pardon, with the assent of the council, to the lords temporal and the commonalty of the county of Westmoreland of the tenth and fifteenth granted to the king in the last Parliament, in the same manner as the king pardoned the lords temporal and the commonalty of the counties of Northumberland and Cumberland. By p.s.

March 14. Westminster. Grant to the king's clerk Thomas Bekyngham of the prebend of Bekyngham in the collegiate church of Suthwell. By p.s.
Mandate in pursuance to R. archbishop of York.
Mandate in pursuance to the chapter of the said church.

1400.
Oct. 14. Westminster. Grant, by mainprise of John Metton of the county of Kent and William Kyerle of the same, to Edmund Parker of the custody of all lands late of Richard Lercedekene, deceased, tenant of the honour of Dertyngton or the manor of Dertyngton late of John, earl of Huntyngdon, who made forfeiture to the king, during the minority of Thomas his son and heir with the marriage of the latter without disparagement, paying 40*s.* at the Exchequer, provided that the lands do not exceed 60*s.* yearly, finding a competent sustenance for the heir, maintaining the houses and buildings and supporting all other charges. By bill of the treasurer.

1401.
March 18. Westminster. Pardon to Robert Thorley, esquire, of all actions for debts, including those for which divers sheriffs are charged for him at the Exchequer. By K.

March 17. Westminster Grant, by the advice of the council, to the king's esquire John More of Ireland that he shall be constable of the castles of Carlenforde in Coly and Grene Castell in Ireland during the minority of Edmund son and heir of Roger, late earl of March, and so from heir to heir, receiving such wages, fees and profits from the revenues of the castles as other constables have had. By p.s.

March 21. Westminster. Robert Keynesham, staying in England, has letters nominating Thomas Cussak and Thomas Fourneys, chaplain, his attorneys in Ireland for one year. Thomas Stanley, clerk, received the attorneys.

March 18. Westminster. Grant to the king's clerk John Aunsell of the custody of the king's free chapel of Hawnes, void by the resignation of John Draper, last warden, and in the king's gift by reason of the minority of Thomas Moubray, son and heir of Thomas Moubray, late duke of Norfolk. By p.s.

June 1. Westminster. Presentation of William Tesdale, chaplain, to a mediety of the church of Bampton, in the diocese of Carlisle, in the king's gift by reason of the minority of the son and heir of Miles de Stapulton.

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March 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Alan de Stodagh of Lancastre of the following:—

1. A writing of John Innocent, prior of the church of St. Mary, Lancastre, and his fellow-monks, dated at Lancastre, Monday after Midsummer, 49 Edward III, granting to him for life a yearly rent of 20*s.* and a new robe or 10*s.* for it yearly from their lands in Bulk, and his table in the priory as men of his estate now have there, and if he is so infirm that he cannot labour or go to the table he shall have daily two white loaves and one black loaf and a gallon of the better ale and a mess of the kitchen as becomes a man of his estate.

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2. Letters patent of the abbot and convent of St. Martin, Séez, of the order of St. Benedict, dated in their chapter-house, 23 September, 1399, granting that he shall have the rent and robe as above. For ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

March 11. Westminster. Grant to Robert Keten, warden of the free chapel of St. Radegund in the crypt of the cathedral church of St. Paul, London, of the prebend of Taghmon in the cathedral church of Ferns in Ireland, in the king's gift by reason of the temporalities of the see of Ferns being in his hands, on an exchange of benefices with John Keten. By K.

Mandate in pursuance to P. bishop of Ferns. By K.

Mandate in pursuance to the guardian of the spirituality of the bishopric of Ferns, the see being vacant. By K.

Mandate in pursuance to the dean and chapter of the said church. By K.

Jan. 27. Westminster. Licence for the alienation in mortmain by Thomas Thurkill and Robert Orwell, clerk, to the master or warden and brethren and sisters of the fraternity or gild of St. Christopher in the cathedral church of St. Peter, York, of two messuages and 4*s.* 6*d.* rent in the city and suburbs of York, held in chief in free burgage and worth besides the rent 25*s.* 4*d.* yearly, as appears by an inquisition taken before William Frost, mayor and escheator of York, to hold to the value of 4*l.* yearly in part satisfaction of a licence by letters patent of Richard II.

March 14. Westminster. Mandate to the dean and chapter of the king's free chapel of Hastynges to put Thomas Butiller in possession of the prebend of Brightlyng in the said chapel, to which Robert, bishop of Chichester, has admitted him at the king's presentation, and to assign to him a stall in the choir.

March 1. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John, bishop of Ely, of a charter dated at Westminster, 17 April, 22 Richard II. [*Charter Roll*, 21-23 *Richard II*, *No.* 3.] For 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

March 19. Westminster. Grant to John de Chytterne, clerk, by mainprise of James Billyngford of the county of Norfolk and John Cliderowe of the county of Lancaster, of the custody of all lands late of Thomas Romesey, tenant in chief, during the minority of Thomas his son and heir, with the marriage of the latter without disparagement, and so from heir to heir, he paying 100 marks at the Exchequer, finding a competent sustenance for the heir, maintaining the houses and buildings and supporting all other charges. By bill of the treasurer.

March 21. Westminster. Presentation of Thomas Walsyngham, chaplain, to the church of Shadenesfeld, in the diocese of Norwich, void by the resignation of Adam Thede.

March 21. Westminster. Grant to Thomas Merk, doctor in theology, late bishop of Carlisle, whom the pope has translated to the church of Samaston, in which there is no clergy or Christian people, so that he is in notable poverty, of licence to sue in the court of Rome for benefices to the value of 100 marks yearly, bishoprics excepted. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 10.

March 13. Westminster. Pardon to John Warrewyk, late sheriff of Northampton, for the escapes of Walter Hauk, John Carpenter, John Hathelkey, Robert Baker, Roger Hichecoc, Thomas Croft *alias* Kybworth, John Parker, Richard Taillour

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of Lutterworth, and John Wryght of Toucestre from the king's gaol within the castle of Northampton, where they were committed for divers felonies. By p.s.

March 14. Westminster. Licence, for 20 marks paid by him in the hanaper, for Walter Romeseye, 'chivaler,' to enfeoff Thomas Bonham and John Wykyng of his manor of Rokebourne, held in chief, and for them to re-grant the same to him and Alice his wife for life, with successive remainders to Thomas son of Thomas Romeseye son of the said Walter and the heirs male of his body, Walter brother of the said Thomas the son and the heirs male of his body and the right heirs of Margaret Byset, mother of the said Walter the elder.

March 16. Westminster. Presentation of Gilbert Bridde, parson of the church of Penesthorp, in the diocese of Norwich, to the vicarage of the church of Dokkyng, in the same diocese, in the king's gift by reason of the temporalities of the alien abbey of Ivry being in the king's hands on account of the war with France, on an exchange of benefices with William Wardeboys.

March 17. Westminster. Whereas John Hethe, merchant of Bristol, lately caused a ship of his called *la Trinite* to be laden with wine, salt, honey and other merchandise of himself and other merchants of the said town to the value of 1,000 marks in the port of the town to take to Lymeryk in Ireland and there to sell the merchandise, and the ship was driven by a tempest to the port of Dengle in the county or lordship of Desmond in Ireland and Maurice Whyteknyght, 'chivaler,' Maurice Fitz Richard, sheriff of Desmond, Makarth Whyte, steward of the county, one Ideles, 'chivaler,' Patrick Foxe and John his son, Gerard Hiberd and Richard Sloboze and others of the county seized the ship and merchandise and imprisoned the merchants and mariners and still detain them, and the said John Hethe has appealed to Maurice, earl of Desmond, and other persons but can get no redress; the king with the assent of the council grants licence for him to seize men and goods and merchandise of the rebels of the county to the value of 1,000 marks in reprisal. By p.s.

Memorandum. This enrolment was amended by writ dated December, in the fourth year.

March 8. Westminster. Whereas John de Barkeworth of Lincoln was lately accused before the treasurer and barons of the Exchequer of having in each of the last fourteen years and more shipped certain wool-fells in the ports of Kyngeston on Hull and Boston without payment of the custom and subsidy, amounting in each year to 10 marks and more, and he made fine of 200*l.* with the council for the forfeiture and trespass and to have his goods again, and 100*l.* have been paid and he and others have bound themselves to pay the remaining 100*l.* at the Exchequer at Easter and Michaelmas; the king pardons everything to him, provided that he pay the remaining 100*l.* and 85*l.* 15*s.* 11½*d.* due to the customers of the town of Kyngeston on Hull. By p.s.

March 10. Westminster. Pardon, at the supplication of the king's first-born son Henry, prince of Wales, to all the king's lieges of the counties of Caernervan, Angleseye, Merynneth and Dynbegh in North Wales for all treasons and insurrections from St. Hilary, 1 Henry IV, until the Epiphany last; except Owyn de Glendourdy, Reez ap Tudour, William ap Tudour and those who have been captured and are detained in custody or those who have persisted in rebellion. [*Fœdera.*] By K. & C.

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The like to the following :—.
The king's lieges of the county of Flynt in Wales. By K. & C.

May 6. Westminster. The king's lieges of the lordship of Thomas, earl of Arundel, of Chirke and Chirkelande in Wales. By K. & C.

May 10. Westminster. The king's lieges of the lordships of the king's kinsman Thomas, earl of Arundel, of Bromfeld, Yale and Oswestrehundred in Wales. By K. & C.

May 16. Westminster. The king's lieges of the lordship, late of John, lord Lestrange of Knokyn, deceased, of the hundred of Ellesmere in Wales. By K. & C.

June 25. Westminster. The king's lieges of the lordship of Fulk Fitz Waryn, knight, of his hundred of Whityngton in Wales. By K. & C.

April 6. Westminster. The like to Jevan ap Muruc ap Howell. By K. & C.

The like to the following :—
Jevan ap Howell, dwelling within the lordship of Abergeveny in South Wales.

May 6. Westminster Master Howel Kyffen, clerk, of the lordship of Thomas, earl of Arundel, of Chirkelande in Wales *alias* Master Howel Kiffen, dean of St. Asaph. By K. & C.

Aug. 24. Westminster. Howel ap Jorum Vighan *alias* Howel Collen *alias* Howel Cothelen.

MEMBRANE 9.

March 5. Westminster Presentation of John Gamull, canon of the cathedral church of Hereford and prebendary of Yeyne in the same and Wylmecote in the collegiate church or chapel of Tomworth, in the diocese of Lichfield, to the deanery of the free chapel of Hastynges, in the diocese of Chichester, on an exchange of benefices with Gilbert de Stone, dean, canon of the cathedral church of Wells and prebendary of Wedemour Secunda in the same. By p.s.

Grant for life to John Bost of Penreth of the office of the forestership which Geoffrey de Louthre had in the forest of Ingelwode, with the due wages and fees; the said Geoffrey having personally appeared in Chancery and acknowledged that he wished to demise his estate in the office to him and surrendered his letters patent. By p.s.
Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because with his assent on 14 *July, in the tenth year, the king granted the same to John Bost the younger for life.*

Feb. 1. Westminster Presentation of William Stoke, chaplain, to a mediety of the churches of Midelton and Colyntre, in the diocese of Lincoln, void by the resignation of Henry Rodeman.

Feb. 24. Westminster. Presentation of William Reson to the church of Stoure Prewes, in the diocese of Salisbury, void by the resignation of Richard Pauncefot.

March 8. Westminster. Mandate to all sheriffs and others to permit the tenants of Michael de la Pole, earl of Suffolk, of his honour of Eye to be quit of toll, stallage, cheminage, pontage, pavage, picage, murage and passage throughout the realm as they have been time out of mind.

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March 12. Westminster. Exemplification, at the request of the prior and convent of Montagu, of a petition in the last Parliament at Westminster concerning alien priories and the answer thereto. [*Rolls of Parliament*, III. 409.]

March 12. Westminster. Grant to the men of the county of Cumberland, in consideration of their losses, that they shall be quit of the tenth and fifteenth granted to the king in the last Parliament. By K.

Feb. 17. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Lovetoft of letters patent dated 8 October, 16 Richard II, granting to him for life 20*l.* yearly. By p.s. and for 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

March 14. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Thomas Ryngwod of the reversion (belonging to the king on account of the forfeiture of John, late earl of Salisbury,) on the death of Eleanor late the wife of John atte Ryde of a tenement with cottages and other appurtenances in the hundred of Ryngwod, not exceeding the value of 20*s.* yearly, to hold to that value, provided he answer for any surplus at the Exchequer, notwithstanding other grants to him. By p.s.

Jan. 2. Westminster. Grant to the king's servant Matthew Swetenham and his heirs and assigns of a tenement in Martelane, London, not exceeding the value of 6 marks yearly, granted to him for life by letters patent of Richard II, confirmed by letters patent of the king, surrendered, and a messuage and shop, each with a cellar underneath it, in the town of Norhampton, late of William Naillesworth and pertaining to the king as escheated because he held them in his demesne as of fee, and died without heir, worth 30*s.* yearly, to hold to that value, provided that he answer for any surplus, notwithstanding other grants to him. By p.s.

March 20. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Sturmy, 'chivaler,' of letters patent dated 6 October, 16 Richard II, granting to him for life 40 marks yearly. By p.s. and for 13*s.* 4*d.* paid in the hanaper.

March 20. Westminster. Grant, with the assent of the council, to the king's kinsman Henry de Percy 'le fitz,' warden of the town of Berwick and 'la Estmarche' towards Scotland, that he shall have payment for the custody from the customs and subsidy of wools, hides and wool-fells shipped to foreign parts in the ports of Boston and Kyngeston on Hull equally from 1 April next to the sum of 3,000*l.* yearly in time of truce, notwithstanding any grant or assignment in the said ports except the assignment for the town of Calais, provided that from that date he shall be paid nothing else for the custody. By p.s.

Mandate in pursuance to the collectors of the custom and subsidy in the port of Kyngeston on Hull.

The like in the port of Boston.

March 23. Westminster. Grant for life to Richard Wegge and Isabel his wife of 20*l.* yearly at the Exchequer, in lieu of a grant to them by letters patent dated 16 November last (*see p.* 886), surrendered because they could have no payment on account of a statute in the last Parliament. By p.s.

March 22. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Alan Newerk of letters patent dated 22 June, 14 Richard II, granting to him for life 40*l.* yearly. By K. on the information of the earl of Northumberland and for 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

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March 24. Westminster. Exemplification, at the request of Robert Busshey and Lucy his wife and Alice late the wife of John Bukelsmyth, tenants of certain tenements in London, of the tenour of the enrolment of letters patent dated 10 November, 40 Edward III, granting the same to Matilda the mother of John Beverle and her heirs.

March 29. Westminster. Mandate to the escheator in the county of Derby for the restitution of the temporalities of the abbey of Derley by Derby to Simon de Repyngdon, canon of the house, whose election as abbot John, bishop of Coventry and Lichfield has confirmed and whose fealty the king has taken.

The like to the escheator in the county of Nottingham.

Writ *de intendendo* in pursuance to the tenants.

MEMBRANE 8.

March 1. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Henry Notyngham of 100*s.* yearly from the issues of the counties of Norfolk and Suffolk. By p.s.

March 8. Westminster. Grant to the king's brother John, earl of Somerset, and his heirs of the manors of Sandford Peverell and Aller Peverell, co. Devon, late of William Asthorp, 'chivaler,' by acquisition, held in chief and in the king's hands by reason of escheat because the latter was a bastard and died without heir, not exceeding the value of 40*l.* yearly, with all lands, rents, services, fees, advowsons, franchises, liberties, wards, marriages, reliefs, escheats, forfeitures, parks, warrens, woods and other profits and commodities, provided that he answer for any surplus, notwithstanding other grants made to him. By p.s.

March 9. Westminster. Licence for John Prene, dean of the cathedral church of St. Patrick, Dublin, to absent himself from Ireland from Christmas last for three years and in the meantime to receive all issues from his said benefice, notwithstanding the statute. By K.

March 10. Westminster. Protection with clause *volumus*, for one year, for John Holme, staying on the king's service in the company of the king's knight John Stanley, lieutenant of Ireland, on the defence of the same land. By bill of p.s.

March 10. Westminster. Grant to John Hertishorne, one of the king's serjeants at arms, of the 40*l.* in which the alien prior of Modbury was bound to the earl of Huntyngdon, deceased, and which pertain to the king by the forfeiture of the earl, for the payment of the 40*l.* in which he is indebted to divers workmen for the works of the household of the said earl within the city of London. By p.s.

March 16. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John More of Brydeport of 10 marks yearly at the Exchequer.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 23 *November, in the eighth year, the king granted to Richard Gabriel, clerk, all the lands late of Nicholas de Wodeyrane in Chellesword* alias *Chollesworthy, in the king's hands by the exile of the Jews, all messuages and lands in la Forde in the parish of Ipplepenne which the alien abbot of Fougères in Brittany alienated to Henry atte Forde and Julian his wife without licence and a messuage and an acre of land within the manor of Ipplepenne which Henry Snelle acquired from the said abbot.*

March 7. Westminster. Grant to the bailiffs and good men of Scardeburgh of quayage for ten years.

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March 15. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Stephen Godechyld of a writing of John, the prior, and the convent of Tywerdrayth dated at Tywerdrayth, Saturday after St. Hilary, 1399, granting to him for life all their messuages and lands in the town of la Hay in dry and wet at a rent of 18*s.* yearly, paying to the chief lords 6*d.* of silver.
For ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 21. Westminster. Licence, in furtherance of letters patent dated 29 May, 20 Richard II, and other letters patent of the said king, not yet executed, and because the bodies of the ancestors of Thomas, late earl of Kent, are buried in the abbey of Brunne, for the alienation in mortmain by the abbot and convent of Beke Hellewyn to the abbot and convent of Brunne of the alien priory of Willesford, co. Lincoln, with the churches pertaining to it and all lands, rents, tithes, services, knights' fees, advowsons, pensions, portions, commodities and profits, at a rent of 5 marks yearly. By p.s.

March 22. Westminster. Licence, for 40*s.* paid in the hanaper by John Faconer, the master, and Robert Eland, John Kenne, Thomas de Bury and John Traygos, citizens and tailors of London, the wardens of the gild and fraternity of St. John Baptist of London, for the alienation in mortmain by John Westyerd, Walter Bacon, William Balle, Thomas Sibsay and John Dadyngton to the said master and wardens and the brethren and sisters of the gild of a messuage called 'le Sarazyneshed' and two shops in Fridaystrete, London, held in burgage, charged to the gild in ten marks, to the abbot and convent of Westminster in 20*s.* and in divers other parcels, and worth nothing more, as appears by an inquisition taken before John Fraunceys, mayor and escheator of London, for the support of certain works of piety.

March 26. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Dounton of the manor of Wythecok and a vacant plot of land called 'Sawaie,' co. Leicester, which manor is not built on and is worth with the land 8*l.* yearly, out of which Edmund Hastynge, esquire, and Alice his wife hold for the life of Edmund a messuage, a carucate of land, 5 marks rent and a rent of 8 pounds of pepper of the grant of Richard II, the said John rendering 40*d.* yearly, notwithstanding other grants made to him. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 7.

March 14. Westminster. Presentation of John Rodenhurst to the church of Wrokwardyn, in the diocese of Coventry and Lichfield.

March 16. Westminster. Grant to William Burgoigne, esquire, by mainprise of John Midelton and John Siclebrise of London, of the custody of all lands late of Thomas Dayvill of the county of York, deceased, tenant of Thomas, lord of Moubray, a minor and in the king's custody, during the minority of his son and heir with the marriage of the latter without disparagement, and so from heir to heir, paying 55*l.* at the Exchequer at the quinzaine of Easter next, finding a competent sustenance for the heir, maintaining the houses and buildings and supporting all charges. By bill of the treasurer.

March 17. Westminster. Presentation of Thomas Preston, chaplain, to the prebend of Marlepas in the king's free chapel of Hastynges, void by the resignation of the king's clerk Simon Hoke, one of the clerks of the king's chapel. By p.s.

March 18. Westminster. Presentation of John Giffard, chaplain, to the chantry of Womburley in the parish of Atherynton, in the diocese of Exeter.

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March 16. Westminster. Grant to the king's son John from 1 August last of the manor of Swalefeld, co. Berks, with all liberties and franchises as William Darundell, 'chivaler,' deceased, had it of the grant of Richard II. By p.s.
Vacated because in the third year.

March 21. Westminster. Grant to William Gamelyn, so long as he is a perpetual vicar in the cathedral church of Wells, of the chamber within the new close of the vicars of the church which Simon Erchefaunt lately had, in the king's gift by reason of the temporalities of the bishopric of Bath and Wells being in his hands. By p.s.

Like grant to William Hopere of the chamber which William Gamelyn had. By the same writ.

March 20. Westminster. Grant, with the assent of the council, to the king's kinsman Henry de Percy, earl of Northumberland, warden of the castle and town of Carlisle and 'la Westmarche' towards Scotland, that he shall have payment for the custody from the customs and subsidy of wools, hides and wool-fells shipped to foreign parts in the ports of Boston and Kyngeston upon Hull equally from 1 April next to the sum of 1,500*l.* yearly in time of truce, notwithstanding any grant or assignment in the said ports except the assignment for the town of Calais, provided that from that date he shall be paid nothing else for the custody. By p.s.
Mandate in pursuance to the collectors of the customs and subsidy in the port of Boston.
The like in the port of Kyngeston upon Hull.

Feb. 24. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the king's kinsman Henry de Percy, earl of Northumberland, of the enrolment of a charter dated at Westminster, 23 September, 8 Edward III [*Rotuli Scotiæ*, I. 280]; and grant to him of arrears in the time of Richard II and the king. By p.s.

March 26. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Walter Norhampton of Gloucestre of letters patent of William Forestarii, monk of St. Denis in France and prior of Durhurst in England, dated at Durhurst, 1 April, 1 Henry IV, granting to him for life, for his good service to the monastery, a yearly pension of 3*l.* and a robe with fur of the suit of his esquires or 13*s.* 4*d.* in place of it yearly, with power of distraint, in case on non-payment, on the manor of Okynton, co. Gloucester. For 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

March 18. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the prior and convent of St. James, Bristol, of letters patent dated 11 February, 20 Richard II, inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Carlisle, 1 July, 28 Edward I [*Charter Roll*, 28 *Edward I*, *No.* 17], inspecting and confirming a charter of Henry II.
For 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

MEMBRANE 6.

March 1. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the canons and clerks of the church of Beverley of letters patent dated 26 April, 5 Richard II, inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Westminster, 30 November, 4 Edward III [*Charter Roll*, 4 *Edward III*, *No.* 25], inspecting and confirming to Nicholas de Hugate, then provost, and the canons and clerks a charter dated at Newcastle on Tyne, 7 September, 4 Edward II [*Charter Roll*, 4 *Edward II*, *No.* 52], inspecting and confirming earlier charters.
For 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

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MEMBRANE 5.

March 1. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Robert de Manfeld, the provost, and the canons and clerks of the said church of letters patent dated 10 February, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming to Master John de Thoresby, then provost, and the canons and clerks the same charter dated at Westminster, 30 November, 4 Edward III. [*Charter Roll*, 4 *Edward III*, *No.* 25.] For 100*s.* paid in the hanaper.

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March 10. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William, the abbot, and the monks of St. Mary Graces by the Tower of London of letters patent dated 13 March, 1 Henry IV (*see p.* 274); and grant to them of the possessions there mentioned in frank almoin from the day of forfeiture of John de Holand, earl of Huntyngdon, notwithstanding that they are worth more than 200 marks yearly and that no mention is made of other grants to them, and grant that if they are expelled from the same they shall have 110 marks yearly at the Exchequer. In return the abbot and convent have granted certain chantries, anniversaries and obits, as appears by their writing dated at their chapter house, Christmas, 2 Henry IV, as follows:—They will celebrate the anniversary of Dame Mary, late countess of Derby and consort of the king, and her name shall be written in their martyrology and every year on the day preceding the anniversary, viz. on 1 July, her name shall be read in the chapter and her soul absolved by the abbot or president with psalms and collects for the dead and ringing of bells as is customary in the order for founders and abbots and the office of the dead, viz. *placebo* and *dirige* with music and all other solemnity, shall be sung in the choir by the abbot and convent with chaplains and four singers in the more noble vestments of the monastery, and on the day of the anniversary a mass of the Virgin with music and another solemn requiem mass shall be celebrated by the abbot, prior or president at the high altar with candles lit and the altar prepared as at Christmas. They will also celebrate the anniversary of John, late duke of Lancaster, father of the king, on 3 February every year as above, and a requiem mass with a special collect, viz.:—*Omnipotens Domine pro tua pietate miserere anime famule tue etc.* shall be celebrated daily by a monk at the altar of St. Katharine in the church of the abbey for the soul of the said Mary, and in every mass said by any monk there shall be memory with certain collects for the good estate of the king while he is alive and for his soul after death the special collect *Inclina Domine aurem tuam ut animam famuli tui regis Henrici etc.* shall be said, and on the day of his death his anniversary shall be celebrated as above. By K.

MEMBRANES 3 *and* 2.

Feb. 12. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the abbot and convent of Bordesley of letters patent dated 14 March, 11 Richard II, inspecting and confirming the following:—

1. A charter dated at Lichfield, 1 January, 1 Edward III [*Charter Roll*, 1 *Edward III*, *No.* 5], inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Kenilworth, 10 December, 51 Henry III [*Charter Roll*, 51 *Henry III*, *m.* 11], inspecting and confirming earlier charters.
2. A charter dated at Woodstock, 5 August, 47 Edward III. [*Charter Roll*, 47 *Edward III*, *No.* 25.]
3. Letters patent dated 16 February, 3 Richard II.

For 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

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March 2. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the abbot and convent of Beaulieu Regis of letters patent dated 15 May, 4 Richard II, inspecting and confirming the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 3 December, 31 Edward III, being an exemplification of a charter dated at York, 23 February, 2 Edward III [*Charter Roll, 2 Edward III, No.* 80], inspecting and confirming earlier charters.
2. A charter dated at Merton, 22 January, 20 Henry III. [*Charter Roll, 20 Henry III, m.* 7.] For 12 marks paid in the hanaper.

May 12. Westminster. Grant for life to Robert Stubbes, for his good service to the king's progenitors, of 4*d.* daily from the issues of the city of London. By p.s. *Vacated by surrender and cancelled.*

MEMBRANE 39d.

Feb. 8. Westminster. Commission to the prior of Christ Church, Twynham, Master Thomas Montagu, dean of the cathedral church of Salisbury, Master John Chaundeler, treasurer of the same, Humphrey Stafford, 'chivaler,' John Boore, clerk, and John Frome to enquire into the complaint of John Popham, 'chivaler,' that whereas an agreement of marriage was made between him and Walter Romeseye of Rokebourne, co. Southampton, 'chivaler,' that he should marry Isabel, one of the daughters of the said Walter, and for this the latter should enfeoff John Deakene, John Fauntleroy, John Top, 'chaplain,' and John Ropere, 'chaplain,' of the manor of Rokebourne, under the condition that immediately after the marriage they should re-grant it to Walter and Alice his wife for life without impeachment of waste with remainder to the said John and Isabel and the heirs of their bodies, and the said John made the marriage and at his own cost obtained licence from the king for the enfeoffment, because the manor is held in chief, nevertheless the said Walter refuses to make the enfeoffment.

MEMBRANE 38d.

Feb. 13. Westminster. Commission to Richard Botiller, Thomas Yokflete, clerk, and Robert Canne to enquire about divers wastes and destructions committed in the manors, lordships and lands late of Thomas, late duke of Norfolk, and in the king's hands by reason of the minority of Thomas his son and heir after they came into the hands of Richard II.

MEMBRANE 37d.

Jan. 30. Westminster. Commission to John Brook and Richard Bradbrigge and William Elyot, constables of the borough of Horsham, to arrest John Bukke, Robert Bekyngham, Martin Leson and Thomas 'Jonesservant Bukke,' and bring them before the king wherever he may be in England with all speed.

By the chancellor with the assent of William Gascoigne, the king's chief justice, because they are scoffers and gamblers.

Feb. 4. Westminster. Commission to the king's kinsman Henry de Percy, earl of Northumberland, constable of England, to hear and determine divers unaccustomed cases and businesses concerning the estate, fame and condition of the king's person and the dignity of the crown, although they are such that by their nature they cannot be discussed or determined by pretext of the office of constable or by the common law of the realm but only by the king's hearing or commission. By K.

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MEMBRANE 35d.

Feb. 8. Westminster. Commission to William Rykhill, John Frenyngham and the sheriff of Kent to enquire into the petition of the king's tenants William Berton, William Dolfyn and Walter Godfrey that whereas one William Fraunceys lately held of Edward III as of his manor of Eltham 9 acres of land in Eltham, co. Kent, of which the same William [Berton] is now tenant, by fealty for all services and the said William Dolfyn likewise held and still holds 5 acres and Richard Gray and John Edmond likewise held 4 acres, of which the said Walter is now tenant, and the said tenants held these lands peacefully until the year 47 Edward III and afterwards one William Spaldyng, bailiff of the manor during the whole life of the said king, unjustly levied each year 2*s.* 3*d.* from William Fraunceys, 15*d.* from William Dolfyn and 12*d.* from Richard and John, of which rent Edward III and afterwards Richard II and the king were seised at the hands of the tenants for the time, justice may be done to them. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 31d.

Feb. 21. Westminster. Commission to William Vaux, John Fossebrok, William Armeston, Robert Isham and the sheriff of Northampton to enquire what persons have occupied the lands late of Laurence Pabynham, 'chivaler,' tenant in chief of Richard II, the custody of which pertains to the king by reason of the minority of John his son and heir, from the time of his death, and received the issues thereof and what the same are worth.

MEMBRANE 24d.

Feb. 18. Westminster Commission to William Nevylle, 'chivaler,' William de Rempston, William de Leek and William Jorse to enquire into the destruction of salmon in the river Trent by men of the county of Nottingham, contrary to the form of the statute of Westminster the second, and to punish the offenders according to the statute.

MEMBRANE 23d.

March 2. Westminster. Commission to John de Leek, 'chivaler,' John de Clyfton, 'chivaler,' John Markham, John Foliambe and William Leek to enquire into the complaint of Thomas Rempston, 'chivaler,' that whereas William de Arundell, 'chivaler,' to whom Richard II by letters patent granted the custody of the castle of Notyngham with the mills called 'Castelmylnes' and all issues and profits from the same for life, granted his estate therein to the said Thomas, and the king, afterwards confirming the estate of Thomas, granted the same to him for life, and all tenants and others residing within the town of Notyngham have been accustomed time out of mind to grind all their corn at the said mills, one John Wryght has set up a horse-mill in the town at which many tenants and other residents grind their corn, by which the soke and suit of the king's mills are diminished, and the mayor and bailiffs of the town have made a dyke in the course of the water of the king's mills by which the course is so much narrowed that the mills can hardly grind 6 quarters of corn daily where they used to grind 20 quarters.

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MEMBRANE 22d.

Feb. 14. Westminster. Commission of oyer and terminer to John Hull, Hugh Huls, Walter Cokeseye, Robert Russell, Stephen Whyte, Thomas Belle and Henry Hakeleye, according to the form of an ordinance of Richard II in Parliament at Westminster, at the suit of Elizabeth la Despenser, lady of the manor of Hanleye, co. Worcester, whose bondmen and tenants in bondage at the manor have leagued together to withdraw their due customs and services. For 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

March 1. Westminster. Commission to Ralph de Neville, earl of Westmoreland, Thomas Musgrave, 'chivaler,' Thomas Coupeland, John Conyers, William Dent and the sheriff of York to enquire into the report that divers lands, rents, possessions, customs, profits and other emoluments, charters, writings, muniments and other evidences, chalices, vestments, books, jewels and other ecclesiastical ornaments and divers animals and goods pertaining to the hospital of St. Nicholas by Rychemund, which Richard II by letters patent lately granted to his clerk Richard Clifford the younger, have been subtracted, concealed and detained by divers late wardens of the hospital, and divers corrodies, pensions and annuities granted by them, to the impoverishment of the hospital.

MEMBRANE 21d.

Feb. 12. Westminster. Commission to the sheriffs of Gloucester and Worcester, Simon Blakburn, serjeant at arms, and Henry Motoun to arrest John Mountayn, 'bladsmyth,' William Mountayn, 'coteler,' John Davy and John Tommye of the county of Gloucester, Richard Tele of Hanleye and John Cade of the county of Worcester and John Wouryng the younger, John Wethir of Came, Roger Crouche, John Hoope, Henry Wethir, Henry Wodecok and Richard Bakere of the forest of Dene, and bring them before the king and council. By C.

Feb. 28. Westminster. Commission to William Brenchesley, John Tauke, Vincent Fynche and the sheriff and the escheator in the county of Sussex to enquire into the petition of Julian late the wife of Robert Bealknapp that whereas by a fine levied at Westminster, Michaelmas, 9 Richard II, Richard de Cristelton, clerk, and William Batelesford granted the manor of Knell and 90 acres of land and 32*s.* rent in Bekkele, co. Sussex, to John de Preston of Werehorn for the life of William de Welles of Canterbury with remainder to the said Robert and Julian and the heirs of the body of the said Robert and afterwards the said William de Welles died and the said Robert and Julian entered into and were seised of the above, and Alexander de Goldyngham, 'chivaler,' by charter granted to them and the heirs of Robert the manor of Wiltyng, co. Sussex, and Joan late the wife of William de Wyghtresham by deed indented granted to them and the heirs of Robert the manor of Wyghtresham by the name of all her lands, rents and services in Wyghtresham late of the said William with the reversion of 100 acres of land by the name of the reversion of two crofts and a piece of land on the death of Peter Wylmot, 'taillour,' and afterwards the said Peter died and they entered into the said 100 acres and continued their estate in all the premises until the same were taken into the hands of Richard II by force of a judgement against the said Robert in Parliament at Westminster on the morrow of the Purification, 11 Richard II, and the said Robert died on 19 January last, justice may be done to her. By K.

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Feb. 26. Westminster. Commission to Thomas Colvill, 'chivaler,' John Coniers, Gilbert Elvet, William de Lasyngby, John de Kirkeby and William de Lambeton to enquire into the report that divers men of the county of Northumberland and the bishopric of Durham have loaded and unloaded divers ships, boats and other vessels with divers victuals, merchandise and other things on either side of the river Tyne and have taken and retained prises, toll, custom, wreck of sea and other profits and commodities pertaining to the king, bought, sold and forestalled divers victuals and merchandise there in places unaccustomed in time past, built on either side of the river within certain places called 'le flodemark' and committed other purprestures, usurpations and offences within the liberty and port of the town of Newcastle on Tyne.

MEMBRANE 20*d*.

Feb. 28. Westminster. Commission to William Hankeford, Robert Hill the elder and the sheriff and the escheator in the county of Sussex to enquire into the petition of Julian late the wife of Robert Bealknap, 'chivaler,' concerning the manor of Wiltyng, co. Sussex (*as on p.* 460). By K.

MEMBRANE 19*d*.

Feb. 28. Westminster. Commission to William Makenade, John Colpeper and the sheriff and the escheator in the county of Kent to enquire into a like petition of the said Julian concerning the manor of Seintlynge, co. Kent, which Nicholas Bonde, 'chivaler,' by charter granted to the said Robert and Julian for life with remainders to Thomas their son and the heirs of his body, John brother of the latter and the heirs of his body and the right heirs of the body of Robert. By K.

Feb. 28. Westminster. Commission to Th. archbishop of Canterbury to govern the priory of Ambresbury and all its manors, granges, lands, rents, possessions and goods during the dissensions between the prioress and the prior and some of the nuns, to keep the common seal of the priory countersealed with the seal of the prioress without using the same, to distribute a competent sustenance to the prioress and prior and the brethren, nuns and servants, and to support all other charges of the priory and keep the residue of the profits safely; as certain destructions have been committed in the priory and its possessions by the king's commissioners by colour of letters patent of the king. (*See p.* 312.) By K.

MEMBRANES 16*d*—13*d*.

Commissions of the peace in various counties. (*See* Appendix.)

MEMBRANE 11*d*.

March 8. Westminster. Commission to Henry de Percy 'le fitz,' 'chivaler,' William Gascoigne, Peter de Bukton, 'chivaler,' John Scrope, 'chivaler,' Robert de Hilton, 'chivaler,' John Routhe, 'chivaler,' John Hothum, 'chivaler,' Robert Tirwhyt, William Lodyngton, Hugh Arderne, John de Redenesse and Richard Tirwhit, at the supplication of the mayor, bailiffs and commonalty of the town of Kyngeston on Hull, which is the key of the adjoining

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country and the whole county of York, to enquire how by watercourses or otherwise the town may be supplied with fresh water and whether this will be to the king's prejudice, and to execute such things as they may find necessary. The town is held of the king at fee-farm of 70*l.*, and is situated on the river Humber, which is an arm of the sea, and needs great expenses for defence against the same, and for this and because there is no fresh water running into the town but it is brought by boats and at expense the poor inhabitants leave the town in summer-time.

By K. & C.

MEMBRANE 10*d.*

March 5. Westminster. Commission to John Grenevyle, 'chivaler,' John Herle, 'chivaler,' John Wynter, John Waterton, William Carmynowe, John Moylle and Richard Reprenna to enquire into the petition of John atte Wode and Margaret his wife, John Upton and Margaret his wife and Ismania Mules, sister of the same Margaret and Margaret, that whereas one John Mules was seised of the manor of Trelosk and other lands in Trelosk, Haies, Driework, Tresebed and Northull and the advowson of the church of Northull, co. Cornwall, and certain lands in Ekesborn, Netherhenkesden, Fennytetteburn and Aleburn with the advowson of the church of Ekesburn, co. Devon, and afterwards by a fine he acknowledged them to be the right of one James Fraunceys by the name of two messuages, 5 mills, two carucates of land, 8 acres of meadow, 200 acres of wood, 8 marks 4*d.* rent and a rent of a pound of cumin in Trelosk, Hayes, Driework, Tresebed and Northull and the advowson of the church of Northull, co. Cornwall, and two messuages, two acres of land, 15 acres of meadow, 40 acres of wood and 20 marks 3*s.* 8*d.* rent in Ekesburn, Netherkenkesden, Fennytettesburn and Aleburn and the advowson of the church of Ekesborn, co. Devon, and the latter granted them to the said John and Isabel his wife and the heirs of their bodies with remainder to the right heirs of John and they were seised of the same in their demesne as of fee tail and issue one James and died and the premises descended to the said James and on his death to John his son and heir and on his death without issue to the said Margaret, Margaret and Ismania as his sisters and heirs, and afterwards Eleanor late the wife of the said John Mules entered into the manor and kept out the petitioners and afterwards granted it to Thomas Trewyn and his heirs and the latter enfeoffed Thomas Shelley, 'chivaler,' of it and subsequently the petitioners entered into the manor against the said Thomas Shelley long before he made forfeiture to the king and continued their estate therein in his life and afterwards until the manor was taken into the king's hands by his forfeiture, the manor may be restored to them with all issues. By p.s.

March 20. Westminster. Commission to William Mirreson of Lancastre and John Mirreson of Lancastre, collectors of the customs and subsidies in all ports of Ireland and searchers and wardens of the ports and passages of the same land, on information that woollen cloths, tin, hides, wool-fells and other merchandise not customed or coketted are often brought into Ireland and they have no power to correct or punish this without a special mandate, to seize all such as forfeited to the king and to answer thereon to the exchequer of Ireland, to enquire about such offences and arrest the offenders and put them to ransom and answer for the ransoms and to do other necessary things by the supervision of the treasurer and barons of the exchequer of Ireland. By C.

MEMBRANE 9d.

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Feb. 28. Westminster. Commission to William Rikhill, William Makenade, John Colpeper and the sheriff and the escheator in the county of Kent to enquire into the petition of Julian late the wife of Robert Bealknapp, 'chivaler,' concerning the manors of Wyghtresham and Seintlynge, co. Kent (*as on pp.* 460, 461). By K.

March 6. Westminster. Commission to Edmund de Pole, William Castelacre, Thomas Priour, Robert Goderych, Ralph Bateman and Nicholas Morys to enquire into the report that divers evildoers have entered the king's free warren pertaining to his castle of Cambridge at Chesterton, Milton, Histon, Cotenham, Gritton, Landbeche and Waterbeche, hunted therein and carried off hares, rabbits, pheasants and partridges.

March 14. Westminster. Commission to John Drax, serjeant at arms, to arrest John Pape, Herman Nettel, Richard Colbrook, Synkyll, Hans, Voytyn and Hullester and bring them before the king and council at Westminster with all speed. By C.

March 14. Westminster. Commission of oyer and terminer to John Markham, Hugh de Shirley, 'chivaler,' Nicholas Langeford, 'chivaler,' Nicholas Mungumry, 'chivaler,' Peter de la Pole and Thomas Foliambe on complaint by Walter Blount, 'chivaler,' that Aluered de Latthebury and William Tuttebury, prior of Rippyngdon, and others broke a weir lately erected in his several fishery at Welyngton, co. Derby, and the pales, instruments and engines fixed in it and cut them into small pieces and fished in the fishery and carried off fish and other goods. For 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

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Dec. 7. Westminster. Commission to William Gascoigne, John Cokayn, John Rocheford, 'chivaler,' sheriff of Lincoln, and John de la Launde to enquire into the petition of Robert Starclif, clerk, and Nicholas Gascoigne that whereas they were lately seised of the manor of Bylyngburgh of the enfeoffment of William Marmyon, 'chivaler,' and of all his lands in Broun to the effect that they should enfeoff Thomas, sometime earl of Kent, deceased, and Alesia his wife of the same and this enfeoffment was not made and they continued their seisin until they were expelled by John Asplion, clerk, and John Parant, serjeant at arms, by pretext of an inquisition taken before these latter by virtue of letters patent of the king, by which it was found that the said enfeoffment was made to them in the form aforesaid and that Thomas, late earl of Kent, deceased, son of the said earl, received the profits of the premises at the time when he rose in insurrection and before, justice may be done to them. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 8d.

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Feb. 28. Westminster. Commission to William Brenchesley, Robert Oxenbrigge, Thomas Oxenbrigge, Thomas Remys, William Marchant and the sheriff and the escheator in the county of Sussex to enquire into the petition of Julian late the wife of Robert Bealknapp, 'chivaler,' concerning the manor of Knell and 90 acres of land and 32*s.* rent in Bekkele, co. Sussex (*as on p.* 460). By K.

March 5. Westminster. Commission of oyer and terminer to William Thirnyng, Nicholas Strilley, John Leek, Hugh Anseley, John Markham, Thomas Bekeryng, Thomas Neuton and Robert Tirwhit on complaint by John Bolynbrok that Roger Abbot, John atte Welle, Robert Cust, John Blome, John Hamond, Philip Stannewell, Robert Abbot, Thomas Robertesson Grateson, Thomas Porter, Roger de Isname and others broke his close at Dounham,

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co. Nottingham, cut down his trees, fished in his stews and several fisheries, carried off fish, trees and other goods, depastured his grass and threatened him and his servants. For 20*s*. paid in the hanaper.

March 14. Westminster. Appointment of Peter Courtenay, 'chivaler,' John de Berkeley, 'chivaler,' Thomas Brook, 'chivaler,' William Bonevill, 'chivaler,' John Wadham, 'chivaler,' and John Manyngford as justices of the survey and custody of the rivers in the county of Somerset pursuant to the statutes of 25 and 45 Edward III and 1 Henry IV concerning the erection of weirs, mills, stanks, pales and kiddles.

2 HENRY IV.—PART III.

MEMBRANES 35—33.

1401.

Feb. 25. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the prior and convent of Lenton, saving to the king and his heirs the advowson of the church of Felmersham in exchange for that of Horsley as mentioned within, of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 20 October, 6 Richard II, inspecting and confirming the following:—
   (*a*) A charter dated at Westminster, 22 May, 30 Edward III [*Charter Roll, 30 Edward III, No.* 7], inspecting and confirming earlier charters.
   (*b*) Letters patent of Walter, sometime archbishop of Canterbury, dated 1319.
   (*c*) Letters patent of Walter, sometime archbishop of York.
2. Letters patent dated 7 October, 16 Richard II, granting that the prior and convent shall henceforth be denizen.

For 20 marks paid in the hanaper.

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April 18. Westminster. Pardon to William de Selby, gaoler of the town of Newcastle on Tyne, for having on 1 April, 1 Henry IV, at night entered the church of St. Andrew in the said town and there murdered William Forstre *alias* Patonson, indicted of having stolen a horse, dragged him out of the church and beheaded him without the cemetery. By K.

April 20. Westminster. Appointment, during pleasure, of Richard, lord of Grey, as admiral of the fleet from the mouth of the Thames to the north, with power to do all things pertaining to the office of admiral and to appoint deputies, provided that neither he nor they do anything contrary to the form of the statute in Parliament, 15 Richard II. By K.

April 22. Westminster. Pardon to John Marham for having knowingly received his servant John, who on Thursday after Easter, 1 Henry IV, broke the house of Richard Dene the younger at Holyngborne and carried off his goods, viz. leather to the value of 6*d.* and a shirt of the value of 6*d.*, and for all other offences committed by him, except treasons, murders and rapes. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 32.

Feb. 7. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Robert de Simondesbergh, the abbot, and the convent of Cerne of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 20 November, 10 Richard II, inspecting and confirming earlier charters.
2. Letters patent dated 21 February, 20 Richard II, granting that the prior and convent shall have the custody of the abbey and its temporalities during voidance, saving to the king knights' fees and advowsons and rendering to him 10*l.* for each voidance.

For 100*s.* paid in the hanaper.

April 14. Westminster. Grant to Thomas, archbishop of Dublin, that from 1 February last so long as he is archbishop he may freely receive all fruits of all possessions

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pertaining to his archbishopric in Ireland and that his attorneys, bailiffs and other ministers may freely collect the same and bring them to England for his use, notwithstanding the ordinances and statutes against absentees. By p.s.

April 1. Leeds Castle. Pardon to brother William Gaddisby of the order of Friars Preachers of Leycestre for all treasons and misprisions against the king's person. By K.

March 31. Leeds Castle. Janico Dartasso, going to Ireland by the king's licence, has letters nominating William Fyncham and John Mapilton, clerks, his attorneys in England for one year. The chancellor received the attorneys.

April 16. Westminster. Revocation of the protection with clause *volumus*, for one year, lately granted by letters patent to Master Nicholas Hethe, staying on the king's service in the company of John Norbury, captain of the castle of Guynes, on the safe-custody of the same, because he delays within the liberty of the city of London, as the sheriffs have certified.

April 1. Leeds Castle. Pardon, out of reverence for this present day Good Friday, to Thomas Wodeman of Westfeld, charged with having on Saturday before All Saints last stolen certain beasts in the parish of Westfeld, co. Sussex, to which he has pleaded guilty. By K.

General pardon, out of reverence for the day, to Gryffyn Brunley of Boley, co. Hereford, *alias* Griffyn Gogh of Elvell for all felonies, trespasses and misprisions committed by him except treasons, murders, rapes and homicides. By K.

April 5. Westminster. Protection with clause *volumus*, for one year, for William de Stanley, knight, staying on the king's service in the company of the king's knight John de Stanley, lieutenant of Ireland, on the safe custody of that land. By bill of p.s.

April 21. Westminster. Nicholas Haytale and Eleanor his wife, staying in England, have letters nominating John Cruce, 'chivaler,' and Janico Dartasso, esquire, their attorneys in Ireland for one year.
John Drax, serjeant at arms, received the attorneys by writ.

MEMBRANE 31.

March 21. Westminster Revocation of the protection with clause *volumus*, for one year, lately granted by letters patent to Dominic Cachini *alias* Kachyny *alias* Chachyny, staying on the king's service in the company of Thomas Swynbourne, knight, captain of the castle of Hammes, because he delays in the city of London, as appears by certificate of the sheriffs.

March 22. Westminster. Grant, with the assent of the council, to Richard Legg, lately convicted and outlawed at the king's suit for trespass against the king's peace, and Henry Popham, esquire, of his goods, appraised at 18*l.* 6*s.* 10*d.* by an inquisition taken by the escheator in the county of Southampton, which were taken into the king's hands on account of the outlawry. By p.s.

March 20. Westminster. Grant, with the assent of the council, to the king's kinsman Thomas Mountagu, son of John, late earl of Salisbury, of the manors of Crokham, co. Berks, Warblyngton, More and Hunton, co. Southampton, Knolle, co. Somerset, and Pyworthy, Okford and Seinte Marie Clist, co. Devon, late of the said earl and pertaining to the king by the forfeiture of the latter,

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to hold during his minority in aid of his maintenance to the value of 100*l.* yearly, so that he answer for any surplus yearly at the Exchequer according to an extent to be made before Midsummer and maintain the houses, buildings, woods, gardens and enclosures without waste. By p.s.

March 25. Westminster. William Pounfreyt the younger, citizen and skinner of London, staying in England, has letters nominating Richard Warynor his attorney in Ireland for one year.

The chancellor received the attorneys until the advent of William into Ireland.

March 22. Westminster. Whereas, as the king is informed by Hugh Setour, parson of the church of St. Thomas Martyr in the town of Wynchelse, a member of the Cinque Ports, which church is of the king's patronage, in divers places of the said ports the fishers pay to the parsons or vicars a parcel, portion or custom called 'Cristesshare' from the fish taken by them in the sea for their tithes, and in the said town of Wynchelse this portion has been for a long time paid to the bailiffs for the use of the king after his coronation and the use of certain of his progenitors, the king, considering that the fishers within the said town pay no other tithe to the parson for their fish, with the assent of the council grants to the said parson that he and his successors shall have the said portion in the town and port, notwithstanding that it is worth in time of war little or nothing and in time of truce or peace 20, 40 or 100*s.* or 10 marks yearly. By p.s.

March 24. Westminster. Commission, during pleasure, to Richard Cliderowe to control the moneys received by John Burnham, clerk, and John Mitford, appointed collectors by letters patent, from the subsidy of 2*s.* on each tun of wine and 8*d.* on the pound from Easter next granted to the king in the last Parliament in the port of Newcastle on Tyne and the ports and places from thence on one side to Berwick on Tweed and on the other side to Scardebergh and there, and to testify at the Exchequer. By bill of the treasurer.

The like to the following:—

Robert Wolmesty in the port of London and ports and places from thence on either side of the Thames to Graveshende and there and on the Essex side to Tillebury and there.

Thomas Middelton in the port of Southampton and ports and places from thence to Portesmuth and there and in the Isle of Wight and places from thence to Pole and there.

Thomas Dru in the port of Lenn and ports and places from thence on one side to Blakeney and on the other side to Wysebech.

John Belle in the port of Boston and ports and places from thence on one side to Grymesby and on the other side to Wysebech and there.

William Pund in the port of Kyngeston on Hull and ports and places from thence to Grymesby and there on one side and on the other side to Hornse.

Robert Lucas in the port of Ipswich and ports and places from thence to Tillebury.

William Oxney in the port of Great Jernemuth and ports and places from thence on one side to Ipswich and on the other side to Blakeney and there.

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John Bradbrugg in the port of Chichester and ports and places from thence on one side to Dover and on the other side to Portesmouth.

Stephen Peyntour in the port of Sandwich and ports and places from thence on one side to Graveshende and on the other side to Romney and there.

Richard des Armes, clerk, in the port of Bristol and ports and places from thence on one side to Newenham and Bruggewater and there and on the other side to Chepstowe and Gloucestre and there.

John Burgoun, clerk, in the port of Exeter and ports and places from thence on one side to Sydemuth and there and on the other side to the west by the counties of Devon and Cornwall to Briggewater.

Richard Laton in the port of Melcombe and ports and places adjacent except the port of Pole.

John de Werk in the port of Berwick and the towns of Norham, Rokesburgh and Jeddeworth and ports and places adjacent.

April 22. Westminster. John Clerk in the port of Boston, etc. (as above). By bill of the treasurer.

June 10. Westminster. John Hanley the younger in the port of London, etc. By bill of the treasurer.

June 19. Westminster. Robert Darcy in the port of Newcastle on Tyne, etc. By bill of the treasurer.

June 28. Westminster. Henry Totyng, clerk, in the port of Melcombe and ports and places on the east to Pole and there and on the west to Sydemouth. By bill, etc.

July 10. Westminster. Roger Raulyn in the port of Lenn and ports and places adjacent. By bill of the treasurer.

March 14. Westminster. Presentation of John de Santon, king's clerk, to the church of Kyldalke, in the diocese of Meath.

April 5. Leeds Castle. Grant for life, or until the king shall otherwise provide for their estate, to the king's esquire Thomas Bosevylle and Katharine his wife of 20*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By K.

April 5. Westminster. Grant to Richard Gylle *alias* Gille, during the minority of Edmund son and heir of Roger, late earl of March, and so from heir to heir, of the office of parker of the park of Trym with the office of serjeanty of Betahry within the lordship of Trym, co. Meath, with the accustomed wages, fees and profits. By p.s.

March 25. Westminster. Grant to John Gamull, canon of the cathedral church of Wells and prebendary of Wodemour Secunda in the same, so long as he remains such, of the canonical houses which Gilbert Stone, late canon and prebendary of the said prebend, had. By p.s.
Vacated because below.

April 11. Leeds Castle. Grant to the king's mother Joan, countess of Hereford, of the patronage of the hospital of St. Katharine by the Tower of London, which is of the foundation and patronage of the queens of England, with all liberties and jurisdictions pertaining to it so long as there is no queen. By p.s.

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April 11. Westminster. Presentation of Robert Tunstall, king's clerk, to the prebend which Richard Felde, deceased, had in the collegiate church of Thamworth, in the diocese of Coventry and Lichfield. By p.s.

April 1. Leeds Castle. Grant for life to Matilda Cifrewast late the wife of John Wolceley, out of reverence for this day Good Friday, of 4*l.* yearly at the hands of the king's almoner; as the king granted the same to her on Good Friday last and the almoner has only paid her 20*s.* and she has no letters patent. By K.

April 10. Westminster. Revocation of the protection with clause *volumus*, for one year, lately granted by letters patent to John Stiward *alias* Styward of London, 'corsour,' staying on the king's service in the company of the king's kinsman Henry de Percy, son of Henry de Percy, earl of Northumberland, keeper of the town and castle of Berwick on Tweed, on the safe-custody of the same, because he delays in the city of London, as the sheriffs have certified.

April 14. Westminster. Grant to the king's clerk William Repyngdon of the prebend or portion in the church of Boreford which Richard Felde had while he lived. By p.s. Mandate in pursuance to J. bishop of Hereford.

April 10. Leeds Castle. Grant for life to Richard Cote, merchant and mariner of the Cinque Ports, of the custody of the island of Dourbar in Ireland, rendering yearly at the exchequer of Ireland as much as used to be paid for it. By p.s.

April 5. Leeds Castle. Grant, during pleasure, to the king's servant John Cawode of the office of justice of labourers in Ireland and in the lordship of Meth in Ireland with all profits and commodities pertaining to the office, saving to the king fines and amercements and other things belonging to him, so that he have a suitable assessor or deputy learned in the law who shall be sworn before the chancellor of Ireland. By K.

MEMBRANE 30.

March 18. Westminster. Ordinances made on account of the late insurrection in North Wales:—

All lords having castles in North and South Wales shall keep them safely under pain of forfeiture.

Certain offices in North Wales shall be held by Englishmen only.

As for the constableships of the castles belonging to the prince of Wales in North and South Wales granted by the king to certain persons for life, if the castles are not sufficiently guarded the prince shall have the power of discharging the constables and appointing others.

Whereas in old time the commonalty of North Wales had the keeping of the peace and the right of answering for trespasses and the bodies of trespassers, the justices of those parts shall be charged with governing the commonalty in this according to ancient rights and customs.

No lord having a lordship in Wales shall receive any felon or evildoer by disclaim, avowry or otherwise, but he shall be brought to justice in the lordship where the felony was done, provided that each lord can have the fines and ransoms of his tenants.

The Welsh shall pay murage for the maintenance of the walls and gates of the towns and castles in North Wales and a contribution towards the garrisoning of the castles, for three years or more at the will of the king.

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No congregations shall be made by the Welsh except with the assent of the chief officers of the lordship.

If any insurrections or congregations are made the lords and their subjects shall use their power to bring them to the law and shall be bound to satisfy any lieges of the king who may be damaged by their default.

For three years no Englishman in Wales shall be indicted, accused or attached by any of the Welsh or convicted by inquest of the Welsh.

No quilage or comorthos shall be allowed in North Wales without special leave, except reasonable comorthos due of old.

Bards and other vagabonds in North Wales shall be restrained.

On 18 March at Coldeherbergh in the city of London the king assented to these ordinances in the presence of the bishop of Exeter, chancellor, the earls of Northumberland and Worcester, the king's secretary and John Prophete; and on 22 March at the Friars Preachers the council agreed that they should be sealed with the great seal, there being there the chancellor, the bishops of Durham, Hereford and Bangor, the earl of Worcester, the treasurer, the lord of Berkeley, Sir Hugh Watton, the keeper of the privy seal, Sir Hugh Sturmy, John Scarle, John Frome and John Prophete. *French.* [*Fœdera.*]

March 30. Leeds Castle. Grant for life to the king's esquire Thomas Wyssynden of 20 marks yearly at the Exchequer from 1 December last, in furtherance of a grant of that date for which he has not letters patent. By K.
Vacated because otherwise in the thirteenth year.

April 4. Leeds Castle. Presentation of William de Pilton, king's clerk, to the church of Shuffenale, in the diocese of Coventry and Lichfield.

April 10. Leeds Castle. Presentation of John Prophete, king's clerk, to the parish church of Ryngwode, in the diocese of Winchester. By p.s.

April 1. Leeds Castle. Pardon, out of reverence for this present day Good Friday, to John Croydon for having murdered Thomas Tayllour of Shulthurne on Saturday, the feast of St. Bartholomew, 22 Richard II, at Sultherne. By K.

April 18. Westminster. Commission to the king's kinsman Henry de Percy, justice of North Wales, to treat with William ap Tudur and other rebels of North Wales who have taken and hold the castle of Conewey and Rees ap Tudur his brother and others who have risen in insurrection in North Wales.
By p.s.

April 11. Leeds Castle. Whereas on 6 February last the king granted to William Hoper, vicar of the church of Wells, a house within the close of Wellis which Simon Erchefont, late vicar, had, and he has not yet had letters patent, and afterwards one William Gamelyn, who had a house there before, subtly sued the king for the house of Simon and has letters patent; the king grants the same to William Hoper for life, notwithstanding any other grant.
By p.s.

April 11. Leeds Castle. Grant to the king's clerk Thomas de Longley of the prebend of Alvetheley *alias* Alveley in the church of Bruggenorth. By p.s.
Mandate in pursuance to Thomas Tuttebury, dean of the church.
By the same writ.

April 20. Westminster. Grant to the king's clerk Master Henry Bowet, elect of Bath and Wells, of all the temporalities of the bishopric of Bath and Wells, with all

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honours, manors, hundreds, wapentakes, fines, issues, reliefs, wards, marriages, lands, rents, services and other possessions and all franchises, liberties, customs, jurisdictions and other appurtenances as Ralph, late bishop, deceased, had, so long as they remain in the king's hands, saving advowsons. By K.

MEMBRANE 29.

March 24. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the burgesses of the town of Bridgnorth of the following:—

1. A charter dated at Woodstock, 16 August, 40 Henry III, granting that their goods shall not be seized for any debt of which they are not pledges or principal debtors, unless they shall have failed in justice to the creditors.
2. Letters patent dated 10 May, 28 Edward III, inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Westminster, 3 April, 6 Edward II [*Charter Roll*, 6 *Edward II*, *No.* 11], inspecting and confirming the following:—
   (a) A charter dated at Westminster, 5 April, 11 Henry III.
   (b) A charter dated at Westminster, 20 June, 11 Henry III.
   (c) A charter dated at Woodstock, 16 August, 40 Henry III.
   (d) A charter of Henry II dated at Radnor.

For 4 marks paid in the hanaper.

March 4. Westminster. Appointment, during good behaviour, of the king's clerk Master John Kyngton as one of the king's clerks of the first form of Chancery as Master Richard Ronhale, lately deceased, was, receiving fees, profits and livery as he had. By p.s.

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April 24. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Ruyall, the prior, and the canons of St. Denys by Southampton of the following:—

1. A charter dated at Westminster, 7 February, 13 Richard II [*Charter Roll*, 11-13 *Richard* II, *No.* 7], inspecting and confirming earlier charters.
2. Letters patent dated 17 October, 5 Edward [II], granting that they shall be quit of corrodies.
3. Letters patent dated 4 February, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Westminster, 26 January, 6 Edward III. [*Charter Roll*, 6 *Edward* III, *No.* 54.]

For 60*s*. paid in the hanaper.

MEMBRANE 26.

March 25. Westminster. Signification to J. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield of the royal assent to the election of Simon de Repynden, canon of the house of St. Mary, Derleye, of the order of St. Augustine, as abbot of that place.

March 4. Westminster. Licence, for 40 marks paid in the hanaper by Robert Bell, clerk, John Govitz, and Robert Veel, for them to grant in mortmain 5 messuages and 11 acres of land in Dorchestre, held of the king in burgage, to William Asshe and John Blount, bailiffs of the town of Dorchestre, to

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find a chaplain to celebrate divine service in the church of Holy Trinity, Dorchestre, for the good estate of Elizabeth late the wife of John Syward the elder and John Syward the younger and Joan his wife and for their souls after death and the souls of the said John Syward the elder and Katharine his wife and Roger Syward his father according to the ordinance of the grantors.

April 20. Westminster. Presentation of Thomas Raylecombe, chaplain, to the vicarage of the church of St. Melorus, Lankenhorn, in the diocese of Exeter.

March 25. Westminster. Grant to John Gamull, canon of the cathedral church of Wells and prebendary of Wedemour Secunda in the same, so long as he remains such, of the houses which Gilbert Stone, late canon and prebendary, had by reason of his canonry in the town of Welles. By p.s.

March 28. Westminster. Commission to the sheriffs of London and Middlesex and Essex and Hertford to arrest sister Joan Adeleshey, nun of Roweney, professed in the order of St. Benedict, who wanders about in secular dress to the great scandal of her order, and to deliver her to the prioress of that place for chastisement.

April 4. Leeds Castle. Grant to Alfonso de Monterre, 'chivaler,' and Perin Michel, esquire, of the goods of Giles Flandres to the value of 100*l.* forfeited to the king for his outlawry in the county of Middlesex on Thursday after the Purification last. By K.

April 5. Leeds Castle Whereas William son and heir of Sir Roger de Ledes, 'chivaler,' is charged with having with others on Wednesday before St. Margaret the Virgin, 22 Richard II, come to Ledes in the highway in a place called Shepkerbrygge and there armed and of malice aforethought awaited the coming of John son of Robert Passelewe of Newton, apprentice of the law, to his lodging at Newton, to kill him by the abetting of the said Roger, the said John being then in the company of the duke of Lancaster at his hunt (*venacionem*) of Rothewell, and then after the setting of the sun murdered him there *super onus suum naturale deponendum sedentem*, and with being a common highwayman; the king, out of reverence for Good Friday last, pardons him. By K.

April 13. Westminster. Presentation of Edmund de Kyrketon, chaplain, to the vicarage of the church of Whaddon, in the diocese of Lincoln.

Grant to William Gyloth of the prebend in the king's free chapel within the castle of Wyndesore which Richard Felde, deceased, had. By p.s.

Mandate in pursuance to the dean or warden.

April 14. Westminster. Grant to the king's clerk John Oudeby, whom the king's kinsman the earl of Warwick, deceased, appointed one of the chamberlains of the Exchequer, of the said office with the fees and wages pertaining to it during the minority of the son and heir of the said earl. By p.s.

April 14. Westminster. Grant to the king's esquire Janico Dartas, to whom by letters patent the king has granted the custody of the manor and lordship of Trym in Ireland that he shall have allowance from his farm by the supervision and testimony of the king's lieutenant for any damage committed by the Irish or others during his custody. By p.s.

March 30. Leeds Castle. Grant for life to Nicholas Mawedyt, one of the king's serjeants at arms, of 20 marks yearly at the Exchequer. By K.

Vacated because in the third year.

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April 11. Leeds Castle. Mandate to the chancellor or keeper of the great seal in Ireland for the restitution of the temporalities of the bishopric of Ferns to Patrick Barret, whom the pope has appointed bishop on the death of Thomas Den, last bishop, and who has renounced everything prejudicial to the king in the papal bull and whose fealty the king has taken. [*Fœdera.*] By p.s.
Writ *de intendendo* in pursuance to the tenants.

April 14. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight, John Asshlee, whom the king has retained for life, of 100 marks yearly from the issues of the manor and barton of Marlebergh, co. Wilts, notwithstanding other grants already made to him. By p.s.

April 18. Westminster. Presentation of Henry Hokeshill, chaplain, to the chantry of Beauford, in the diocese of Exeter.

April 22. Westminster. Commission, during pleasure, to Richard de Hoghton, 'chivaler,' Robert de Twyer, 'chivaler,' Roger Floure of Okham and John de Caterhale, at the supplication of Isabel the wife of Robert de Plesyngton, of the custody of the body of the said Robert, who is not of sound mind but enjoys lucid intervals, and his lands and possessions, so that they properly maintain the said Robert and Isabel and their children and family and keep the residue of the issues for Robert when he recovers, rendering their account.

April 11. Westminster. Grant to John Gamull, canon of the cathedral church of Wells and prebendary of Wedemore Secunda in the same, so long as he remains such, of the canonical houses which Gilbert Stone, late canon and prebendary, had in Welles of the collation of Ralph, last bishop of Bath and Wells, and which are in the king's gift by reason of the temporalities of the bishopric being in his hands. By p.s.

Feb. 21. Westminster. Whereas the king by letters patent lately granted to his knight Roger Trumpyton 40*l.* yearly for life at the Exchequer; the king now, because he has retained Roger for life, grants to him in augmentation of his estate 100 marks yearly from Michaelmas last for life at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because Henry V on 16 October in his first year granted to him the custody of the priory of St. Michael's Mount, co. Cornwall, during the war with France.

MEMBRANE 25.

Feb. 7. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the burgesses of Portesmuth of letters patent dated 12 October, 8 Richard II, inspecting and confirming the following:—

1. A charter dated at Clarendon, 4 July, 40 Henry III.
2. A charter dated at Westminster, 13 October, 32 Edward III [*Charter Roll, 32 Edward III, No.* 4], inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Windsor, 12 February, 6 Edward II [*Charter Roll, 6 Edward II, No.* 28], inspecting and confirming earlier charters. For 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

April 27. Westminster. William Asshe, esquire, staying in England, has letters nominating Henry de Faryngton and Richard de Wynyngton his attorneys in Ireland for one year. Robert de Faryngton received the attorneys.

April 28. Manor in Windsor Park. Presentation of Simon Gaunstede to the church of Kegworth, in the diocese of Lincoln, in the king's gift by reason of his custody of the land and heir of Thomas, late duke of Norfolk. By p.s.

1401. *Membrane* 25—*cont.*

May 1. Westminster. Margaret Howard, late the wife of Walter Bermyngham, knight, staying in England, has letters nominating John Stanlee, knight, and Hugh Bavent her attorneys in Ireland for two years.

James Billyngford received the attorneys until her advent into Ireland by licence of Thomas Stanley, clerk.

May 3. Westminster. Walter Pafford, staying by the king's licence in Ireland, has letters nominating John Pafford the younger and Nicholas Twychyngton his attorneys in England for one year.

John Frank, clerk, by licence of Thomas Stanley, clerk, received the attorneys before his [departure] from England until his return to England.

May 3. Westminster. Exemplification, at the request of William Coubrigge, of the tenour of the enrolment of letters patent dated 5 November, 1 Henry IV (*see p.* 75), inspecting and confirming letters patent of Richard II. These letters have been accidentally lost, as he has made oath in Chancery, and will be surrendered if found.

May 4. Westminster. Presentation of John Pygeon, chaplain, to the vicarage of the church of Polyng, in the diocese of Chichester, in the king's gift by reason of the alien priory of Leomynstre being in his hands on account of the war with France.

May 5. Westminster. Grant to the king's clerk Thomas Langley of the prebend of Alvetheley *alias* Alveley in the church or free chapel of Bryggenorth which Richard Felde, deceased, had. By p.s.

Mandate in pursuance to Thomas Tuttebury, dean of the chapel.

May 6. Westminster. Presentation of Master Thomas Morton to the church of Brynkelee, in the diocese of Ely.

May 6. Westminster. Ratification of the estate which James Cole has as parson of the church of Titeleshale, in the diocese of Norwich.

MEMBRANE 24.

April 20. Westminster. Appointment, during pleasure, of Thomas de Rempston, 'chivaler,' as admiral of the fleet from the mouth of the Thames to the west, with power to do all things pertaining to the office of admiral and to appoint deputies, provided that neither he nor they do anything contrary to the form of the statute in Parliament, 15 Richard II. By K.

April 12. Westminster. Exemplification, at the request of the king's kinsman Thomas, earl of Arundell, of the tenour of the enrolment of a charter dated at Rhuddlan, 7 October, 10 Edward I [*Welsh Roll*, 10 *Edward I*, *m.* 3], granting to John de Warrena, earl of Surrey, and his heirs the castle of Dynasbran and the lands of Bromfeld and Yal.

April 21. Westminster. Commission, for half a year, to John Romayn and John Burton to take carriage for victuals and other harness for the king's household and person.

The like to the following:—
Simon Banbury and William Alnewyk.
Thomas Shordych.

March 25. Westminster. Grant to William Norton of London, 'spicer,' to whom lately by letters patent the king granted payment of 86*l.* 6*s.* 4*d.* from the manors of

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Bretby, Cotton and Roslaston, co. Derby, for a debt of the duke of Norfolk, deceased, for spices, as he has received 20*l.* but cannot get paid more because the manors have been assigned by the king to his kinswoman the duchess of Norfolk in dower, that he shall have payment of 66*l.* 6*s.* 4*d.* from the issues of the castle and manor of Framelyngham, co. Suffolk, at the hands of the king's knight Thomas Erpyngham, farmer of the same. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender.

April 18. Westminster. Grant to the king's esquire Janico Dartasso, in lieu of a grant to him of 100*l.* yearly for life from the customs and subsidies of wools, hides and wool-fells in the port of Boston by letters patent, surrendered, of 100*l.* yearly from 26 July last from the issues of the castle, manor and lordship of Trym in Ireland and the lands, rents, services and other possessions pertaining thereto so long as they remain in the king's hand by reason of the minority of Edmund, son and heir of Roger, earl of March, and afterwards for life at the exchequer of Ireland.

By p.s.

April 20. Westminster. Pardon, at their supplication, to William ap Tudur and Rees ap Tudur his brother of North Wales and their accomplices, who lately rose in insurrection and took the castle of Coneweye in North Wales and burned the town of Coneweye and despoiled the burgesses, for all offences committed by them from St. Hilary, 1 Henry IV, until this date, provided that they remain faithful to the king. They shall not be charged by anyone for their complicity in the said arson and spoliation before the end of half a year, and then one moiety of the inquisition impanelled shall be of Englishmen and the other moiety of Welshmen. By K. & C.

April 22. Westminster. Appointment, until 1 November, of Robert Bedford, the king's ferreter, to provide conies and fowl for the household. *French.*

April 22. Westminster. Grant to Thomas Pollard and his wife Margaret de la Chambre of the earl of March of 10*l.* yearly from Michaelmas last from the issues of the castle, manor and lordship of Wyggemore during the minority of Edmund son and heir of Roger, late earl of March, deceased, in lieu of a like grant to her on 3 December last by letters patent, surrendered because insufficient because no mention is made of the terms of payment.

By p.s.

MEMBRANE 23.

March 7. Westminster. Order, by the advice of the great council, that all farms, apports and profits from any alien priories in England and Wales and the rents, ferms, issues and profits from all lands and possessions late of Roger, late earl of March, Thomas, late duke of Norfolk, Aubrey, late earl of Oxford, Thomas, late earl of Kent, John, late earl of Huntyngdon, John, late earl of Salisbury, Thomas, late lord le Despenser, Ralph de Lumley, 'chivaler,' Thomas Blount, 'chivaler,' and Benedict Sely, 'chivaler,' now in the king's hands and all profits of custodies and marriages likewise in the king's hands, with all arrears, from 10 March last so long as they remain in the king's hands shall be reserved in part support of the costs and expenses of the household and the payment of its debts by the supervision of the king's kinsman Thomas, earl of Worcester, steward, the king's clerk Thomas More, treasurer, and Thomas Brounflet, controller of the household, notwithstanding other assignments made on the said farms etc. By K.

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Mandate in pursuance to the king's clerk Thomas More, treasurer of the household. By K.

April 20. Westminster. Licence for Richard Redmayn, 'chivaler,' and Elizabeth his wife to enfeoff John de Ingelby and William Authorpe, parson of the church of Dyghton, of a moiety of the manor of Harwod, held in chief, and for the latter to re-grant the same to them for life with successive remainders to Matthew their son and the heirs male of his body, Richard his brother and the heirs male of his body, the heirs male of the bodies of Richard and Elizabeth, Brian Stapilton son of Elizabeth and the heirs of his body and the right heirs of Elizabeth. By p.s.

April 14. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight Richard de Langyn, doctor in laws, whom the king has retained for life, of 40*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

April 25. Westminster. Licence, for 4 marks paid in the hanaper by the dean and chapter of the cathedral church of Wells, for the alienation in mortmain to them by Thomas Byngham, Robert Rygge and Richard Trenedyk of two messuages in Welles, one in the street called 'Chamberleynstrete' between the messuage of John Harewell called 'Monereshyn' on the west and the messuage now of John Russell on the east and the other in 'la Mountrilane' between the messuage of the abbot and convent of Muchelney on the north and the king's highway leading from the cathedral church to Beystwall on the south, not held in chief, as found by an inquisition taken by Henry Vyoll, escheator in the county of Somerset, to celebrate the obits of Walter Hull and William Yatton, deceased, yearly and to support other charges and works of piety according to the ordinance of the grantors.

April 28. Westminster. Whereas one William de Woxebrugg on Wednesday last on the Thames when casting an anchor out of a boat of John Wynchecombe of Poules-wharf, London, was unfortunately wrecked (*naufragatus*) in the Thames and drowned, and so the boat was forfeited to the king; the king, because the said John has not wherewithal to live besides the said boat, of the value of 20*s.*, grants it to him. By p.s.

April 20. Westminster. Pardon to Augustine Fissher of Depyng for having aided Robert Benne of Depyng to murder one Alan Frere of Spaldyng on Sunday before St. Thomas Martyr, 12 Richard II. By p.s.

April 22. Westminster. Whereas the king's lieges inhabiting his warren of Purbyk, co. Dorset, and its vicinity have been impoverished and their corn, meadows and pastures consumed and trampled by the great quantity of game (*savagine*) there, as the king understands from his kinswoman Alesia late the wife of Thomas, sometime earl of Kent, keeper of the castle of Corf and the said warren; the king grants that she may take and dispose of all the said game within the warren except hares and rabbits. By p.s.

April 29. Westminster. Grant to Katharine Faukener, until the king shall make other ordinance for her estate, of the manor called Woneford, co. Devon, of the value of 10 marks [yearly], late of John de Monte Acuto, late earl of Salisbury, and in the king's hands by his forfeiture, provided that she answer for any surplus at the Exchequer. By K.

May 1. Westminster Pardon to Griffin ap Howell of Mokylton, bailiff of the hundred of Bradeford, co. Salop, for all felonies committed by him except murder and rape. By p.s.

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May 7. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the prior and convent of St. Wolstan of letters patent dated at Kilkenny, 24 April, 18 Richard II, granting to them all lordships, messuages, lands, rents and services in Bakbyeston which the king had of the grant of Henry Marlebergh, clerk, and Thomas Hayne, chaplain, to the value of 5 marks yearly to celebrate divine service daily in their church for the good estate of the said king and for his soul after death and the souls of his progenitors.

For 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

May 4. Westminster. Grant to John Werlowe, during the war with France, so long as he lives, of the pension of the church of Westekyngton, co. Wilts, due to the abbot of Fouchers in Normandy, of the value of 4*l.* 10*s.* yearly.

By p.s

MEMBRANE 22.

April 20. Westminster. Licence for —— paid in the hanaper, for Philip le Despenser, knight, James Roos, knight, Eudo la Zouche, clerk, Richard de Wynnewyk, clerk, Richard de Chesterfeld, clerk, Henry Malbys, parson of the church of Wylughby, and Thomas Fitz William of Malberthorpe to grant in mortmain a toft and 4 bovates of land in Wyspyngton and the advowson of the church of the same town, not held in chief, to the abbot and convent of Kirkstede in aid of their maintenance.

April 22. Westminster. Grant for life to Walter de la Hyde, 'chivaler,' of Ireland, whom the king has retained for life, of 40 marks yearly from the fee-farm which the prior and brethren of the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in Ireland are bound to render to the king for the castle and manor of Salmon Leap and Chapelizod in Ireland. By p.s.

Mandate in pursuance to the prior and brethren.

April 15. Westminster. Whereas on 3 May last more than 200 houses in the town and port of Hethe were unfortunately burned with all goods in them to the value of 600*l.* and more and 5 ships of the town with 100 men in them were lost at sea, and the men remaining in the town propose to leave it for these reasons and on account of pestilences and other losses, and the town is charged at the service of the Cinque Ports with serving the king for 15 days with 5 ships with 100 men and 5 knaves (*garcionibus*) in them; the king releases to the barons and commonalty of the town this charge for five times except in case of great necessity. By p.s.

April 28. Windsor. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Manchestre of Gloucestre of letters patent (*French*) of William Beauchamp of Poywyke, constable of the castle of Gloucester, dated at Gloucester, 2 January, 1 Henry IV, granting to him for his own life the offices of gaoler and porter of the castle, receiving 7*d.* daily from the profits pertaining to the constableship, as granted to him by Thomas Filz al Roy, duke of Gloucester, earl of Essex and Buckingham, constable of England; and grant that he shall have the same for life. By K. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

May 1. Westminster. Presentation of John Haywode, chaplain, to the church of Charleton on Ottemore, in the diocese of Lincoln, void by the resignation of John Caterik. By K.

April 30. Westminster. Grant to the king's clerk William Dyonys of the prebend which Giles Wenlok lately had in the king's free chapel of St. Stephen within the palace of Westminster. By p.s.

Mandate in pursuance to the dean and college. By p.s.

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May 1. Westminster. Presentation of Thomas Cateryk, chaplain, to the church of Egremond, in the diocese of York and of the immediate jurisdiction of the archdeacon of Richmond.

April 24. Westminster. Grant for life to Walter Merewe, master of the mint within the Tower of London, of 20*l.* yearly from 19 February, 1 Henry IV, from the issues of the counties of Bedford and Buckingham; in lieu of a like grant by letters patent of that date, surrendered because invalid because of a variation from the letters patent of Edward III, granting to Walter Barde, late master, 20*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

May 1. Westminster. Grant to the king's knight Hugh Waterton of the custody of an inn in the city of London during the minority of the son and heir of Aubrey de Veer, earl of Oxford, provided that he maintain the houses, buildings, enclosures and gardens and support all other charges; in lieu of a like grant to him by letters patent dated 27 April, 1 Henry IV (*see p.* 257), surrendered because he was prevented from enjoying the inn by the earl's wife, now deceased, who claimed to have an estate therein jointly with her husband. By p.s.

March 19. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Robert Hurlebat of 4*d.* daily from the issues of the castle and lordship of Odiham; in recompense of the office of keeper of the park of Odiham and the wood of Whitmondeslee with 3*d.* daily, granted to him by letters patent of the earl of Rutland, wages of confirmed by the king, which the king afterwards granted to his esquire John Leventhorpe. By p.s.

May 4. Westminster. Licence, for 100*s.* paid in the hanaper by John Gournay, John Drewe, clerk, Robert de Botekysham and Robert de Brunham of Bishop's Lenne, for Thomas Boyvill of Stokfaston, knight, to enfeoff them of his manor of Bealfus in South Creyk, co. Norfolk, held in chief.

May 6. Westminster. Whereas Roger Poghden, one of the clerks of the Common Bench, sued John Broun of Ireland on a charge of robbery of 30*l.* in money and other goods to the value of 10*l.*, and the latter was convicted and condemned to death and before his death confessed that he had delivered to Walter, prior of the Friars of Houndeslowe, co. Middlesex, 20 marks of the money and goods to the value of 40*s.*; the king grants the same to the said Roger. By p.s.

May 6. Westminster. Appointment, during pleasure, of Robert Egerley and John Mathewe to audit the particular accounts of all bailiffs and ministers of the castle and town of Sweynse and the lordship and land of Gower called Gowerland, in the king's hands by the death of Thomas, earl of Nottingham, tenant in chief, and the minority of his heir, and to deliver the accounts to the treasurer and barons of the Exchequer after Michaelmas for a process for levying the arrears beyond the moneys received by Hugh Waterton, the king's receiver of the said castle, town, lordship and land. By C.

MEMBRANE 21.

May 2. Westminster Licence for Philip le Despenser, 'chivaler,' James de Roos, 'chivaler,' Ivo la Zouche, clerk, Richard Wynnewyk, clerk, Richard Chestrefeld, clerk, Henry Malbys, parson of the church of Wylughby, and Thomas Fitz William to grant in mortmain a toft and 4 bovates of land in Wispyngton and the advowson of the church of the same town, not held

1401. *Membrane* 21—*cont.*

in chief, to the abbot and convent of Kirkested in aid of their maintenance, and for the latter to appropriate the church in mortmain and serve it by a chaplain, monk or secular. By K.

May 3. Westminster. Exemplification, at the request of Almaric Bynart *alias* Tourville, of the tenour of the enrolment of letters patent dated 17 September, 1 Henry IV, granting to him 10 marks yearly during pleasure. He has made oath in Chancery that the letters are lost and will be surrendered if found.

May 1. Westminster. Pardon to Joan, countess of Kent, late the wife of Thomas, earl of Kent, who made forfeiture to the king, of certain sums demanded from her at the Exchequer by colour of a schedule delivered by John Heryng by the king's mandate to John Norbury, treasurer of England, and delivered by the latter in the Exchequer, viz. 64 marks delivered by her mandate at the hands of the said John Heryng to Edmund brother of the said Thomas for the maintenance of his horses after he came from Ireland to England, 6 marks 6*s.* 8*d.* delivered by her as a gift to divers servants of the king's son Henry, prince of Wales, and others, 500 marks spent by her and Edmund her brother and their servants in their expenses of shipment from Ireland and divers rewards to her servants in Ireland, 15 marks paid by her chamberlain for divers parcels of her chamber and 12 marks 7*s.* 10*d.* delivered by her to divers of her servants for payment in Ireland. By K.

May 5. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Thomas de Erpyngham, Nicholas de Wychyngham, Edmund Oldhalle, Ralph Bateman and Stephen Bastwyk, now tenants of the manor, and the heirs of Nicholas of a charter dated at Westminster, 12 November, 30 Edward I, granting to Guy Buteturte that he and his heirs shall have a market and fair at their manor of Upton, co. Norfolk. [*Charter Roll*, 30 *Edward I*, *No.* 4.]
For ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

May 2. Westminster. Grant for life to Eleanor the wife of Nicholas Dagworth, 'chivaler,' of 40*l.* yearly at the Exchequer from 31 October, 1 Henry IV, in furtherance of a grant by letters patent of Richard II, and also of the manors of Mansfeld and Lyndeby in Shirwode, co. Nottingham, to the value of 40 marks yearly from 1 October, 1 Henry IV. By p.s.
Vacated because otherwise in this year.

April 29. Windsor. Mandate to the mayor and bailiffs of Dublin to pay without delay 40 marks to Thomas, archbishop of Dublin, who has shown the king that whereas he lately occupied the office of chancellor in Ireland from 30 September, 1 Henry IV, on which day the king undertook the governance of the realm, until 4 January following, viz. for a quarter of a year and 4 days, and for his charges, costs and occupation it was ordained by the king's lieutenant and council there that he should have 40 marks, and he had a tally levied for the payment of this sum on the farm of the city, the mayor and bailiffs, although they had allowance for the same in their account before the barons of the exchequer there, nevertheless refused to pay by colour of certain letters patent by which on 6 November last, long after the date of the tally, the king granted to them and the commonalty of the city that in each of the next two years they should be quit of 100 marks out of their farm of 200 marks. They shall have allowance for the said 40 marks from their farm in the third year. By K.

May 6. Westminster. Appointment, for half a year, of William Mounkton to take wines for the expenses of the household and carriage for the same.
By bill of the chief butler.

1401. *Membrane* 21—*cont.*

The like of the following:—
Richard Fraunceys.
Thomas Walsyngham.
John Fowghlere.
Peter Assheborne.
John Brokhirst.
Perin Derwyn.

May 8. Westminster. Revocation, at the supplication of Robert, bishop of London, of the grant by letters patent dated 24 May, 20 Richard II, confirmed by letters patent of the king, to the abbot of Stretford Langthorn that he and his successors should not be made collectors of tenths or other quota or subsidies granted by the pope or the clergy of the realm; as the grant would be to the prejudice of the king and the prelates and a pernicious example to other abbots and priors. By K.

Presentation of John Biryton, chaplain, to the church of Biryton, in the diocese of Coventry and Lichfield.

April 26. Westminster. Commission to William Wodeward, 'foundour,' and Gerard Sprunk to take brass and copper and charcoal and 'salpetir' for the making and working of certain guns, and workers and makers of guns and other labourers in the city and suburbs of London and elsewhere, and carriage, with power to arrest and imprison the disobedient. By p.s.

May 14. Westminster. Presentation of Master Thomas Colham, parson of the church of Toong, in the diocese of Coventry and Lichfield, to the church of Langoytmawere, in the diocese of St. Davids, on an exchange of benefices with Master William Admaston.

May 12. Westminster. Pardon to Edward Benstede, 'chivaler,' late sheriff of Essex and Hertford in the first year, of 157*l.* 10*s.* 8*d.*, of which he was in arrear at the end of his account. By K.

MEMBRANE 20.

March 28. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation for life to Henry, bishop of Annaghdown, and John Doreward and Isabel his wife of letters patent dated 27 June, 1 Henry IV (*see p.* 308), inspecting and confirming the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 29 May, 1 Henry IV (*see p.* 293).
2. An indenture of Guy, the abbot, and the convent of St. Ouen, Rouen, dated 20 June, 1400, granting to them for life the manor or priory of Mersea, co. Essex.

From the Michaelmas therein mentioned they shall not be charged with the yearly farm of 140 marks at which the priory was committed to the said John from that date during the war with France by letters patent dated 24 November, 1 Henry IV, nor with the ancient apport rendered to the king's progenitors in time of peace, notwithstanding that in the petition on which the licence was granted and the licence and confirmation no mention was made of the value of the priory or a previous grant to the said John or that the abbot and convent are schismatics or that they held the priory of the grant of the king's progenitors or that it is parcel of the foundation of the abbey. By p.s.

May 1. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the abbess and convent of Shaftesbury of charters dated at Westminster, 31 May, 9 Richard II [*Charter Roll*, 9-10 *Richard II*, *No.* 14], and 11 March, 16 Richard II [*Charter Roll*, 15-17 *Richard II*, *No.* 20]. For 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

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Membrane 20—*cont.*

May 1. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John le Pee of letters patent dated 9 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 18 March, 40 Edward III, granting to him for life 2*d.* daily at the Exchequer; and grant to him for life of 2*d.* more daily at the Exchequer.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

May 1. Westminster. Grant, during good behaviour, to the king's servant John Lambe, one of the yeomen of the king's chamber, of the office of gauger of wine in the port of Sandwich with the due wages, fees and profits. By p.s.

May 17. Westminster. John Tyre, parson of the church of Payneston Dullard, staying in England, has letters nominating Robert de Sutton, clerk, and Henry Stanyhurst his attorneys in Ireland for one year.
Henry Maupas, clerk, received the attorneys until the return of the nominator to Ireland.

March 9. Westminster. Grant, in approbation of a grant by letters patent dated 20 November, 3 Edward III, to the same effect, that the vicar of the church of St. Mary, Lincoln, whom the dean and chapter granted to celebrate divine service in the church for the good estate of Edward II and Isabel, queen of England, and Edward III and their ancestors and heirs, shall have 40*s.* yearly from the farm of the city until the king shall make other ordinance for his estate. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

MEMBRANE 19.

April 24. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the burgesses of Plympton of letters patent dated 6 February, 9 Richard II, inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Westminster, 12 June, 13 Edward I [*Charter Roll*, 13 *Edward I*, *No.* 64], inspecting and confirming the following:—
1. A charter of Baldwin de Redvers, earl of Devon and lord of the Isle, dated at Plympton, the Annunciation, 26 Henry III.
2. A charter of Isabel de Fortibus, countess of Albemarle and Devon and lady of the Isle. For 33*s.* 4*d.* paid in the hanaper.

May 8. Westminster. Ratification of the estate which William Payn has as parson of the church of Delgeny, in the diocese of Dublin, in Ireland, providing that no one else has been presented to it by the king and no plea is pending in the king's court.

May 10. Westminster. Pardon to Henry son of John Lond, indicted in the county of Norfolk of having on Monday after the Invention of the Cross, 12 Richard II, at Great Plumstede stolen from John Whythild and others a hundred sheep by the great hundred, worth 6*l.*, and of being a common thief.
By p.s.

May 12. Westminster. Grant to the abbot of Westminster that for the next five years he may signify by letters patent to the chancellor the names of all in his jurisdiction who may be excommunicated by his authority and continue in excommunication for 40 days, and the chancellor shall issue writs under the great seal for the taking of the same, as at the signification of a bishop. By K.

April 15. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 2 December, 9 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 7 February, 8 Edward II, ordering the arrest of apostate Friars Minor. By p.s.

1401. *Membrane* 19—*cont.*

April 15. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of a writ patent dated 10 June, 5 Richard II, directing the guardian and convent of Friars Minor of London not to permit alien friars of the order, whether sent at the mandate of the superiors or visitors of the order or others, to remain in their house for more than two days and to remove such as may be there at present, except any who may be necessary and for whom they are willing to answer at their peril, as these aliens bear little or no affection to the king and the realm and disclose the secrets of the realm to the king's enemies. By p.s.

May 1. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Hugh Bavent of letters patent dated 27 November, 12 Richard II, granting to him for life 100*s.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

May 16. Westminster. Presentation of William Caton, chaplain, to the church of Bonyngton, in the diocese of York.

May 14. Westminster. Grant, during good behavour, to the king's esquire John Reuell of the office of constable of the king's castle called 'le Novel Chastel' of Makynnegan in Ireland, with the due fees, wages and other profits. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 18.

May 4. Westminster. Presentation of William Ardern, king's clerk, to the church of Hemyngton, in the diocese of Bath and Wells.

May 2. Westminster. Exemption for life of John Shadworth, citizen of London, from being put on assizes, juries, inquisitions, attaints or recognitions and from being made trier of panels, mayor, warden, alderman, sheriff, escheator, coroner, knight of the shire, collector, assessor, surveyor or controller of tenths, fifteenths, taxes or other charges against his will. By K.

April 14. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Thomas Monyn of 20*l.* yearly from the profits of Chapelizod in Ireland at the hands of the prior and brethren of the house of St. John of Jerusalem there. By p.s.
Vacated by surrender.

May 5. Westminster. Ratification of the estate which Roger Sare has as parson of the church of Alfyngton, in the diocese of Exeter.

The like for the following:—

May 12. Westminster. Walter Malet, parson of the church of St. Mary le Bow, London.

May 13. Westminster. Robert Wytton, prebendary of Combe Quintadecima in the cathedral church of Wells. By K.

May 5. Westminster. John Skyllyngton, precentor of the cathedral church of St. Patrick, Dublin. By p.s.

May 18. Westminster. John Bradeshawe, parson of a mediety of the church of Gamelyngeye, in the diocese of Ely.

May 18. Westminster. Gilbert Gaueler, parson of the church of Spectebury, in the diocese of Salisbury.

June 8. Westminster. John de Brunne, parson of the church of Wadenowe, in the diocese of Lincoln.

June 24. Westminster. Master William Poteger, parson of the church of St. Aldate, Oxford, in the diocese of Lincoln.

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June 28. Westminster. Robert de Appilton, parson of the church of Stretton in the Clay, in the diocese of York. By p.s.

June 30. Westminster. John Trefnant, parson of the church of Rosse, in the diocese of Hereford. By K.

July 2. Westminster. William Langeton, prebendary of Wysebergh in the cathedral church of Chichester. By p.s.

July 16. Westminster. John Preston, parson of the church of Welbourne, in the diocese of Lincoln. By p.s.

William Hanney, parson of the church of Chesthunte, in the diocese of London. By p.s.

June 28. Westminster. Nicholas Bubbewyth, king's clerk, parson of the church of Bishop's Clyve, in the diocese of Worcester. By K.

Aug. 4. Westminster. John Bathe, parson of the church of Wroxale, in the diocese of Bath and Wells. By p.s.

Aug. 17. Westminster. Nicholas de Rissheton, parson of the church of Clyve in the deanery of Shorham, co. Kent, of the immediate jurisdiction of the archbishop of Canterbury. By p.s.

Aug. 30. Westminster. William Langeton, prebendary of Appelduram in the free chapel of Bosham, in the diocese of Chichester. By p.s.

Aug. 28. Westminster. William Purcell, portioner in the parish church of Llaundynan, in the diocese of Bangor. By p.s.

Sept. 22. Westminster. Laurence Hankyn, parson of the church of Northmolton, in the diocese of Exeter. By K.

Sept. 25. Westminster. Master Ralph Erghum, precentor of the cathedral church of Wells and parson of the church of Pylton, co. Somerset, annexed to the precentorship, and prebendary of St. Decuman's in the said church of Wells. By p.s.

Master Ralph Erghum, parson of the church of Bokeland Marie, in the diocese of Salisbury.

Sept. 27. Westminster. Nicholas Gibbes, parson of the church of Camelegh, in the diocese of Bath and Wells.

May 1. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Stourton and his heirs of letters patent dated 13 July, 19 Richard II, granting licence for him to enclose certain pasture and wood. For ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

May 9. Westminster. Grant to the king's knight John Cornewaill and the king's sister Elizabeth Lancastre, countess of Huntingdon, his wife, of the manors of Fremyngton, Combe Martyn with the borough, Barnestaple with the borough, Southmolton with the borough, Dertyngton, Wynkeletracy and Blakeberghboty with parks, hundreds, franchises and other appurtenances late of John Holand, earl of Huntingdon, so long as they remain in the king's hands by reason of the minority of his heir, and so from heir to heir, to hold to the value of 218*l.* 15*s.* 8*d.* yearly in deduction of 1,000 marks yearly which they have of the king's grant by letters patent from the petty custom in the port of London. By p.s.

Vacated because otherwise in this year.

1401. *Membrane* 18—*cont.*

May 6. Westminster. Whereas John Dynham, 'chivaler,' on Wednesday after St. Matthias the Apostle, 20 Richard II, bound himself to the said king in 1,000 marks, to be levied on his lands and chattels in England, to keep the peace towards Philip, abbot of Hertylond, and others of the king's people, and John de la Pomeray, 'chivaler,' John Prideaux, 'chivaler,' Giles Aysse and John Stantorre made mainprise for him in 200*l.* each; the king, at the supplication of the said John Dynham, releases him and his mainpernors from these obligations and grants a general pardon to him.

May 14. Westminster. Ratification of the estate which John Symmes has as parson of the church of Aston by Wardon, in the diocese of Lincoln, provided no plea be pending in the king's court.

The like for the following :—

July 4. Westminster. Richard Conyngston, prebendary of Norwell *alias* Paleyshalle in the collegiate church of St. Mary, Suthwell. By K.

June 28. Westminster. John de Burgh, parson of the church of Ryton, in the diocese of Durham. By p.s.

June 29. Westminster. John Colle, archdeacon of Cardigan in the cathedral church of St. Davids. By p.s.

July 8. Westminster. John Forest, prebendary of Banbury in the cathedral church of St. Mary, Lincoln; and John Cateryk, parson of the church of Creek, in the diocese of Lincoln. By K.

July 7. Westminster. Hugh Hanworth, parson of the parish church of St. Mary, Tidde, in the diocese of Lincoln, and prebendary of Bukden in the cathedral church of St. Mary, Lincoln. By K.

May 18. Westminster. John Walkyngton, parson of the church of Rouley, in the diocese of York. By p.s.

July 12. Westminster. John Tetta, chaplain, vicar of the church of Seynt Goron, co. Cornwall, in the diocese of Exeter.

July 11. Westminster. Thomas del Grene, parson of the church of Whityngton, in the diocese of York.

July 22. Westminster. William ap Jevan Veyghat, parson of the church of Gwernesny, in the diocese of Llandaff.

Aug. 21. Westminster. Robert de Oxton, parson of the parish church of Mépursale. By p.s.

John Martyn, prebendary of Bekyngham in the collegiate church of Southwell. By p.s.

Aug. 20. Westminster. Roger Bolter, parson of the church of Blakeaueton, in the diocese of Exeter.

John Carles, parson of the church of Wermyncham, in the diocese of Coventry and Lichfield.

Aug. 24. Westminster. Robert Raulyn, parson of the church of St. Leonard, Walyngford, in the diocese of Salisbury.

Sept. 12. Westminster. Robert Falbek, parson of the church of Gymyngham, in the diocese of Norwich.

Sept. 19. Westminster. Thomas Wyot, prebendary of Whytchurche in the cathedral church of Ferns in Ireland. By K.

1401. *MEMBRANE* 17.

May 8. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the prior and monks of Barnstaple of a charter dated at Nottingham, 25 December, 10 Edward II [*Charter Roll, 10 Edward II, No.* 39], inspecting and confirming earlier charters. For 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

May 1. Westminster. Grant for life to Richard Deth of the office of porter of the castle of Bristol with the wages pertaining to it, saving the right which anyone may claim. By p.s.

May 8. Westminster. Whereas on 14 November, 1 Henry IV, by letters patent (*see p.* 88) the king granted the close of Touthwayt to William Stapilton and afterwards on 12 May last in forgetfulness by other letters patent committed the custody of the close to John son of Thomas Forster by the name of the herbage of the lawn of Thoghtwayt, and the said William complained that he had been unjustly expelled by the said John by pretext of these latter letters, and the king directed the sheriff of Cumberland to summon the said John to appear in Chancery at a certain day now past to show cause why the letters should not be revoked, and the sheriff has returned that he summoned him by William Brounstele, William Sawer, John Lycok and Thomas Scot, and the said John did not appear and judgement was given against him; the king hereby revokes the said letters patent to him.

May 11. Westminster. Pardon to Thomas Rider for the death of Henry Wesku on Thursday before St. John of Beverley, 1 Henry IV, in the field of Weston. By p.s.

April 11. Leeds Castle. Grant to the king's clerk Thomas de Longley of the prebend of Alvetheley *alias* Alveley in the church or free chapel of Bryggenorth which Richard Felde, deceased, had. By p.s.
Mandate in pursuance to Thomas Tuttebury, dean.

May 12. Westminster. Presentation of Godfrey son of Thomas de Ilsyngton, chaplain, to the vicarage of the church of Stanford, in the diocese of Norwich, in the king's gift by reason of the temporalities of the bishopric being lately in the hand of Richard II.

May 12. Westminster. Presentation of Thomas Morton, king's clerk, to the church of Brynkley, in the diocese of Ely. By p.s.

May 12. Westminster. Pardon to Edward Benstede, 'chivaler,' late sheriff of Essex and Hertford in the first year, of 157*l.* 10*s.* 8*d.* of which he was in arrear at the end of his account. By K.

May 8. Westminster. Pardon to Thomas Webster *alias* Moulton of Coventre, 'mercer,' for the death of John Barton of Coventre, 'spicer,' at Coventre on Thursday after St. Chad, 1 Henry IV. By p.s.

April 15. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 13 February, 8 Richard II, granting protection to the Friars Minor. [*Fœdera.*] By p.s.

May 1. Westminster. Pardon to Valentine Betleston, indicted of having on Friday before Shrovetide last stolen a red cow worth 7*s.*, a brazen pot worth 3*s.*, two ells of blue cloth worth 5*s.*, a 'coverlit' and a pair of sheets worth 20*d.* and a parcel of canvas and linen worth 6*d.* of Thomas Bollynge at Godmersham. By p.s.

May 18. Westminster. Grant to the king's servants Robert de la Warderobe, John Bradwater Hunt and Robert Herlebat Hunt of the moneys pertaining to the king incurred by the marshal of the King's Bench for the escapes of John Taunton, Walter Ross and William Wymbeldon, lately committed to his custody for divers felonies. By p.s.

1401. *MEMBRANE* 16.

March 1. Westminster. Licence, for 40 marks paid in the hanaper by the prioress and sisters of the hospital of St. James, Wynchepe, in the suburb of Canterbury, for John Baroun of Hetcroune, Peter Colpepir, esquire, and John Hardyng of Lynton to grant to them in mortmain, in aid of their maintenance, a messuage, 155 acres of land, 12 acres of meadow, 32 acres of wood, 40*s.* rent and a rent of 6 cocks, 20 hens and 100 eggs in Egerton and Charryng, co. Kent, not held of the king, as appears by an inquisition taken before Thomas Kemp, escheator in the county.

May 6. Westminster. Grant for life to Thomas Talbot of 100 marks yearly from the issues of the county of Lincoln, in recompense of a grant to him by letters patent of Richard II, surrendered, of the 100 marks yearly which the abbot and convent of Cokersand used to pay at the Exchequer for the farm of the alien priory of Lancaster and its lands and possessions, which priory is discharged of the said farm; notwithstanding another grant made to him. By p.s.

April 24. Westminster. Whereas the prior and convent of Coldenorton, co. Oxford, have informed the king that Richard Abberbury, 'chivaler,' deceased, by charter made on Sunday before St. George, 36 Edward III, granted to Robert, then prior, and his successors, 4 acres of land in Stepulaston, co. Oxford, and the advowson of the church of the same town and the same prior received them by licence of Edward III, and because the said 4 acres of land are not specified in the licence and also the licence bears date 17 days later than the charter they fear that they may be molested; the king, with the assent of the council and at their supplication and because they cannot spend more than 20 marks yearly beyond the said 4 acres, pardons the forfeiture and grants the premises to them in mortmain. By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

May 16. Westminster. Writ of aid, during pleasure, for Richard Knapp, whom the king has appointed purveyor of the works under William Dyonys, clerk of the works, at the palace of Westminster and the mews by Charryngcrose, with power of arrest. By bill of the clerk of the works.

April 15. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 1 May, 19 Richard II, granting to the minister, wardens, guardians and superiors of the order of Friars Minor authority over the friars of their order. By p.s.

May 8. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight Thomas Hawley of the county of Lincoln, whom the king has retained for life, in recompense of his expenses on the king's service in Scotland and elsewhere, of 40*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

May 14. Westminster. Pardon to Thomas Wodeman of Westefelde, son of John Wodeman, indicted of having on Saturday before All Saints, 2 Henry IV, broken the close of John, abbot of Battle, at Marle in the parish of Battle and stolen a cow with a calf and two heifers of the age of three years of the said abbot, a heifer of the age of two years of John Notekyn, two heifers of Peter Shedere, a bull of Thomas Beche of Sedlyscombe and two heifers of the age of two years of William Fairman worth 5 marks and in the agistment of the abbot and also of having on 31 October in the said year at Bataylle stolen a cow and a calf worth 10*s.* of the abbot, a bull worth 8*s.* of the abbot and two cows of William Fairman worth 16*s.* By p.s.

1401. *Membrane* 16—*cont.*

May 6. Westminster. Grant to the king's clerk John Santon, parson of the church of Balysonan in Ireland and prebendary of Yagoeston Barbedore in the cathedral church of St. Patrick, Dublin, in Ireland, that from Midsummer last till Midsummer next he may receive by his proctors and attorneys all fruits of his said benefices, notwithstanding any ordinances against absentees.

May 16. Westminster. Grant to the prior and convent of Hurle within the forest of Wyndesore, which is of the foundation of the progenitors of the king's consort Mary, deceased, and of the king's patronage, of licence to cut down and sell and receive to their own use wood suitable for timber and other wood to the value of 100 marks of their own wood within the forest for the repair of their church, belfry and houses, which are ruinous, saving vert for the king's deer there by the supervision of the king's foresters and other officers. By p.s.

May 18. Westminster. Commission, with the assent of the council, to Stephen Fedeler and John Canewey to warn all persons whom they may think fit not to permit any ships and vessels of the portage of 80 tuns of wine and more now in the ports of Pole and Lymynton and those at present in foreign parts on their return to quit the said ports until ordered by the king. By C.

The like to the following:—

John Haweley and John Corp in the ports of Dertemuth, Kyngesbrigg and Torrebay. By C.

Thomas Cole and Henry Forde in the ports of Waymouth and Melchecombe. By C.

Simon atte Ford and William Mounford in the ports of Lyme and Seton. By C.

Thomas Curteys and John Moyle in the ports of Loo, Porpirr and Fawy. By C.

Ralph Trenewyth the elder and John Shireston in the ports of Padistowe and le Wadell. By C.

Adam Scutte and John Talbote in the ports of Buddeleixh, Otermouth and Excestre. By C.

Maurice Garland and Gilbert Smyth of Nieuton in the ports of Pole and Teignemouth.

Richard Rowe and Henry Bous in the ports of Plymouth and Saltaissh. By C.

John Treweof and John Trewesweden in the ports of Mountesbay and Moweschole. By C.

John Pitman and Thomas Webber in the ports of Appelthurre, Barstaple and Ilfercombe. By C.

William Thomer and Richard Taverner in the ports of Dunstarre and Briggewater. By C.

John William and Richard Symons in the port of Falmouth. By C.

John Godestone and John Seborough in the ports of Colcestre with the creeks (*les Crykes*), Maldon, Lee, Schobery and Walflete. By C.

John Bernard and John Horsley in the port of Ipswich. By C.

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William Thorp and William Egmere in the ports of Orwell, Gosford and Manitre. By C.

Hugh atte Fen, Philip Egmere and John Monke in the ports of Jernemuth and Laystofte. By C.

Simon Dyrham, Robert Bedon and Robert Godewyn in the port of Blakeney. By C.

John Brandon and John Waas in the port of Lenn. By C.

John Belle, Richard Ayllord and Richard Stevyns in the port of Boston. By C.

William de Wele and William Elmessale in the port of Grymesby. By C.

Robert Barnalby and William Blakbourne in the port of Barton on Humbre. By C.

William Leversegie, Simon Grymesby and William Pounde in the port of Hulle. By C.

John Mosdale, William Percy and John Acclome in the port of Scardeburgh. By C.

William Halle, William Herbetyl, John Smyth and John Legette in the port of Whytby. By C.

William Joneson, Robert Hebbourne and Sampson Hardynge in the port of Newcastle on Tyne. By C.

John Wytratte and John Goldsmyth in the port of Hertilpole. By C.

May 16. Westminster. Grant for life of the king's alms to Christina Houchon of 4*d.* daily from 24 February, 1 Henry IV, from the petty custom in the port of London; in lieu of a like grant by letters patent of that date (*see p.* 250), which were not valid because it was not mentioned that she was to have the 4*d.* from the petty custom and which have been accidentally lost. By p.s.

May 20. Westminster. Presentation to Robert Etton, chaplain, to the vicarage of the church of Whaddon, in the diocese of Lincoln, in the king's gift by reason of the temporalities of the alien priory of Newenton Longvyle being in his hands on account of the war with France.

April 28. Windsor. Grant for life to the king's esquire Arnald de Pallays of 40 marks yearly at the Exchequer besides the 10*l.* yearly which he has for life of the grant of the king's father and the king's confirmation. By K.

May 18. Westminster. Writ of aid for Janico Darteys, esquire, whom Thomas Rempston, admiral of the fleet from the mouth of the Thames to the west, has appointed as his deputy in Ireland.

MEMBRANE 15.

May 12. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the burgesses of Clifton Dertemouth Hardenesse of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 14 December, 2 Richard II, inspecting and confirming a charter dated at the Tower of London, 14 April, 15 Edward III. [*Charter Roll*, 15 *Edward III*, *No.* 18.]

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2. A charter dated at Westminster, 5 November, 17 Richard II. [*Charter Roll*, 15-17 *Richard II*, *No.* 10.]
For 4 marks paid in the hanaper.

May 20. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire John Blaket and Margaret, late the wife of Roger Heron, 'chivaler,' whom he is about to marry, of 40*l.* yearly at the receipt of the Exchequer, in lieu of a like grant to the said John by letters patent surrendered. By p.s.
Vacated because otherwise below.

May 17. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Robert Scourman of 6*d.* daily from 16 November, 1 Henry IV, from the issues of the counties of Norfolk and Suffolk, in lieu of another grant to him by letters patent of that date, surrendered. By p.s.

May 16. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire John Heron of 20*l.* yearly from the issues of the county of Northampton; on the surrender of letters patent dated 2 November, 19 Richard II, granting to Edward, earl of Rutland, 30*l.* yearly for life from the same on the death of Richard la Souche, 'chivaler.' By p.s.

Like grant to the king's esquire John Knyght of 10*l.* yearly; on surrender by the earl as above and by the said John of letters patent of Richard II granting to him for life 100*s.* yearly at the Exchequer.
By the same writ.

April 1. Westminster. Licence for John, bishop of Hereford, to found a college of a master or warden and eight chaplains in the parish church of Ledbury, in the diocese of Hereford, to celebrate divine service in the same church for the good estate of the king and the said bishop and Masters John Prophete and Robert Prees and for their souls after death, and to grant to them in mortmain the advowsons of the prebends or portions of Overhall and Netherhall in the said church, and for the said John and Robert, prebendaries or portioners of the said prebends respectively and patrons of the vicarage of the church, to grant to them in mortmain the advowson of the vicarage, and for the warden or master and chaplains to appropriate the said advowsons in mortmain. [*Monasticon*, VIII. 1398.] By K.

May 28. Westminster. Pardon to the king's serjeant at arms John Elyngham of 20*l.* of the debts and accounts demanded from him at the Exchequer. By p.s.

May 31. Westminster. Commission, during pleasure, to the king's clerk Laurence de Allerthorp of the office of treasurer of England with all things belonging to it.
By p.s.

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May 16. Westminster. Grant during office, with the assent of the council, to John Cokeyn, chief baron of the Exchequer, for the better maintenance of his estate and his expenses in office, of 110 marks yearly from 15 November last and two robes yearly, one at Whitsuntide with lining and the other at Christmas with fur, beyond the accustomed fee. By p.s.

May 16. Westminster. Order by the advice of the great council, that the 2*s.* on each tun of wine and the 8*d.* on the pound, granted to the king by the commonalty of the realm in the last Parliament from Easter last for two years, shall be reserved for the part support of the expenses of the household and the payment of the debts of the household by the supervision of the king's

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kinsman Thomas, earl of Worcester, steward, the king's clerk Thomas More, treasurer, and Thomas Brounflete, controller of the household. By K.

Mandate in pursuance to the said Thomas More to collect the said subsidy and apply it as above. By K.

May 11. Westminster. Grant for life to Robert Wythele of 20*l.* yearly from the issues of the counties of Oxford and Berks, in recompense of the offices of the rhaglawry and ryngildry of Turkelyn in Wales, which were granted to him by letters patent of Richard II, surrendered, and which the king's kinsman Henry de Percy now holds. By p.s.

May 18. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Thomas Portere of 6*d.* daily from 26 November, 1 Henry IV, from the issues of the counties of Norfolk and Suffolk. By p.s.

May 3. Westminster. Whereas Christopher Holiwode holds of the king certain lands in Killenyn, Burnne, Staghnawayne, Lesnekyll, Staghcony, Killowane and Bothurtolyng, co. Dublin, rendering yearly at the exchequer there 6*l.* 15*s.*, out of which the king lately granted to William Savage 5 marks yearly for life; the king grants for life to the said Christopher that he shall be quit of the residue and also on the death of William of the said 5 marks. By p.s.

May 15. Westminster. Grant for life to William Landesdale of 6*d.* daily from 12 November, 1 Henry IV, from the custom of wools, hides and wool-fells in the port of Kyngeston on Hull; in lieu of a like grant to him from the custom and subsidy of the same by letters patent of that date, surrendered because invalid because the mention of the subsidy was contrary to the ordinance in the last Parliament. By p.s.

May 12. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the abbot and convent of the place of St. Edward called Lettele of the following:—

1. A charter dated at Norwich, 20 March, 35 Henry III. [*Charter Roll, 35 Henry III, m.* 10.]
2. A charter dated at Portsmouth, 4 July, 37 Henry III, granting to them in frank almoin 3 carucates of land of 100 acres each in the New Forest within specified bounds, with licence to enclose and cultivate the same.
3. A charter dated at Westminster, 12 April, 40 Henry III, granting licence for them to enclose the same against the king's deer.

For 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

May 20. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire John Blaket and Margaret late the wife of Roger Heron, 'chivaler,' whom John is about to marry, of 40*l.* yearly at the Exchequer; in lieu of a like grant to the said John by letters patent, surrendered. By p.s.

May 28. Westminster. Grant to the king's esquire John de Skidmore of 20 marks yearly from the issues of the manor of Malmeshull Lacy, co. Hereford, during the minority of the son and heir of Roger, late earl of March, and so from heir to heir. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 13 *November in the tenth year the king granted to him all lands late of William Gwyn ap Rees and the lands late of William Gwyn ap Jevan within the lordship of Kedwelly.*

May 27. Westminster. Presentation of John Hurle to the church of Farneham by Stratford, in the diocese of London.

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May 27. Westminster. Pardon to Roger Hamond of Stevenache for having on Wednesday after St. Dunstan, 1 Henry IV, killed John Howe of Stevenache in the street of Stevenache. By p.s.

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Pardons of outlawry to the following:—

Oct. 12. Westminster. Henry Folvyle, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench of Richard II to answer John Garlekmongre touching a debt of 10*l.*; he having surrendered to the Flete prison, as William Thirnyng, chief justice of the Bench, has certified. London.

John Wykynggeston, clerk, for not appearing before William Thirnyng and his fellows, justices of the Bench of the late king, to answer Thomasia Furnyvale touching a debt of 10*l.* Suffolk.

Oct. 13. Westminster. John Maxhay of Sentyves, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench of the late king when sued with Henry Stoke of Yakeslay to answer William Lonnesdale of Scardeburgh touching a debt of 20*l.* York.

Oct. 25. Westminster. John de Dunston of the county of Lincoln, for not appearing before Robert Cherlton and his fellows, justices of the Bench of the late king, to answer John Bredon, citizen and tanner of London, touching a debt of 4*l.* London.

Oct. 27. Westminster. John Boldere, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench of the late king to answer Robert Pynchere touching a debt of 40*s.* Devon.

Oct. 28. Westminster. Robert Bolyn of the county of Essex, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench to answer John Pygot the younger touching a debt of 10*l.* London.

Oct. 30. Westminster. Richard Dalron, for not appearing before Robert de Cherlton and his fellows, justices of the Bench of the late king, to answer Richard Fode of Shaldeburn touching a debt of 4*l.* Berks.

Nov. 5. Westminster. Robert Gouke, for not appearing to answer William de Belesby, 'chivaler,' touching a debt of 40*s.* Lincoln.

Nov. 6. Westminster. Walter Studey, 'whelere,' for not appearing before the justices of the Bench to answer Geoffrey Nightyngale touching a debt of 17 marks. Essex.

Nov. 12. Westminster. Agnes late the wife of Nicholas Bedyngton, executrix of the will of Nicholas Bedyngton, late citizen and mercer of London, for not appearing before Robert de Cherlton and his fellows, justices of the Bench of the late king, to answer a plea that she render 10*l.* to Salamon Salman, citizen and mercer of London. London.

Nov. 15. Westminster. William Galby, clerk, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench of the late king to answer Robert Legh touching a debt of 20*l.* Sussex.

Nov. 24. Westminster. John Grys, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench to answer Richard Braundeston of Leycestre touching a debt of 113*s.* 4*d.* Leicester.

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Nov. 26. Westminster. Henry Beare, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench of the late king to answer James Gervays touching a debt of 8*l.* Devon.

Dec. 1. Westminster. Nicholas Slake, parson of the church of Lenteglos, co. Cornwall, for not appearing before Robert Bealknap and his fellows, justices of the Bench of the late king, to answer Drugo Barentyne of London, goldsmith, touching a debt of 8 marks. London.

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Jan. 25. Westminster. Richard Condelowe of Ayleston, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench of the late king to answer Robert Smyth of Ayleston, John Leyre, clerk, and John Broun of Ayleston touching a debt of 20*l.* London.

Henry Payn of Bromle, co. Kent, for not appearing before Robert de Cherlton and his fellows, justices of the Bench of the late king, to answer Gerard Belhes of Bordeaux, merchant, touching a debt of 21 marks.

Jan. 24. Westminster. John Sergeaunt of Little Fambregge, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench to answer John, prior of Leighes, touching a debt of 40*s.* Essex.

Jan. 25. Westminster. John Loue of Thorny, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench of the late king to answer William Bonevill, knight, touching a debt of 20*l.* Devon.

Jan. 24. Westminster. Hugh Courtenay, 'chivaler,' for not appearing before the justices of the Bench to answer a plea that he render 100*s.* to William Wynslawe, chaplain, Simon Tredenek and Stephen Edyngdon, executors of the will of John Butterlegh, late citizen of Salisbury. Wilts.

Feb. 3. Westminster. Almaric de Husecote, for not appearing before Robert de Cherleton and his fellows, justices of the Bench of the late king, to answer a plea that he render his account to Nicholas de Somerton for the time when he was his receiver. Oxford.

Jan. 30. Westminster. John Felledewe, for not appearing before Robert Bealknap and his fellows, justices of the Bench of the late king, to answer Hugh atte Welle and Katharine his wife touching a debt of 100*s.* Berks.

Feb. 3. Westminster. George de Ryslep, 'maltman,' lately dwelling in Tettesworth, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench of the late king to answer Thomas atte Doune and John Matheu touching a debt of 10 marks. Middlesex.

Feb. 3. Westminster. John Chese of Bergham, co. Suffolk, for not appearing to answer Henry Hamond, parson of the church of Lolleworth, touching a debt of 14*l.* Cambridge.

John Jurdan of Bergham, for not appearing to answer the said Henry touching a debt of 42*s.*

Feb. 6. Westminster. William de Burton of Habramhall at Norwich and Agnes his wife for not appearing to answer John Eyre, late yeoman of the chamber of Richard II, touching a debt of 40*s.* Middlesex.

Feb. 4. Westminster. Philip Ween of Wales, clerk, for not appearing to answer John Garlykmonger touching a debt of 11*l.* 7*s.* London.

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John Noteman, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench to answer Thomas Bekyngham, clerk, touching a debt of 20*l.* Middlesex.

Feb. 8. Westminster. Henry Benfeld, for not appearing to answer William de Brantyngham, 'chivaler,' touching a trespass. Berks.

Feb. 10. Westminster. John Wilcok of Penryn, for not appearing to answer a plea that he render his account to Richard Gabriell, parson of the church of Seynt Maunan, for the time when he was his receiver. Middlesex.

John Penwern, for the like. Middlesex.

Feb. 9. Westminster. John Grey of Bedeford, for not appearing to answer John Shyngly, clerk, touching a trespass. Warwick.

Feb. 10. Westminster. John Littelbury, 'chivaler,' for not appearing to answer John Eustace touching a debt of 7 marks. Middlesex.

Feb. 8. Westminster. John Lost, for not appearing to answer William Barnefadir, clerk, touching a trespass. Kent.

Feb. 11. Westminster. John de Skendelby of Grantham, for not appearing before Robert de Cherlton and his fellows, justices of the Bench of the late king, to answer the said king and William de Lyndesey of Morton for leaving the service of the latter. Lincoln.

John Jordan of Chesthunte, for not appearing before William Thirnyng and his fellows, justices of the Bench of the late king, to answer Thomas Clifton, citizen and cutler of London, touching a debt of 56*s.* 8*d.* Middlesex.

Feb. 8. Westminster. Thomas Upton, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench to answer John Dautre, clerk, touching a debt of 20*l.* Middlesex.

Feb. 9. Westminster. Ralph Wilkyn, for not appearing to answer a plea that he render his account to Richard Gabryel, parson of the church of Seint Maunan, for the time when he was his receiver. Middlesex.

John Truru the younger, for the like. Middlesex.

Feb. 10. Westminster. John de Sutton of Letwell, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench of the late king to answer the prior of St. Oswald, Nostell, touching a debt of 36*l.* 10*s.* York.

Feb. 12. Westminster. Gerard Abraham of Aylesbury, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench to answer Thomas Denton, citizen and mercer of London, touching a debt of 14*l.* London.

Feb. 10. Westminster. John Coueley of the county of Gloucester, esquire, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench of the late king to answer Hugh Worship, citizen and tailor of London, touching a debt of 60*s.* London.

Feb. 14. Westminster. Simon Crewe, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench to answer John Eustace touching a debt of 7 marks. Middlesex.

Feb. 14. Westminster. William de Flotburgh of Newerk, 'leche,' for not appearing before William Thirnyng and his fellows, justices of the Bench of the late king, to answer William de Grene, clerk, touching a debt of 60*s.* Lincoln.

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Feb. 12. Westminster. William del Cotes of Cotes, for not appearing to answer John del Cotes of York, 'fourbour,' touching a debt of 10 marks. York.

Feb. 13. Westminster. Alexander Fetherstanhalgh of the county of Northumberland, esquire, for not appearing before Robert Cherlton and his fellows, justices of the Bench of the late king, to answer a plea that he render 10*l.* to Marjory late the wife of John Dymmok, John Gilbert, John Dadyngton, Robert Here and John Mere, executors of the will of John Dymmok, late citizen and tailor of London. London.

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Feb. 15. Westminster. John son of Roger Cooke of Holbech, for not appearing to answer William de Dacre, 'chivaler,' touching a trespass. Lincoln.

Feb. 18. Westminster. Adam Waryn of Ely, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench of the late king to answer the prior of St. Mary's, Huntyngdon, touching a debt of 57*s.* Huntingdon.

Feb. 19. Westminster. Giles Flaundres, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench to answer a plea that he render his account to Philip Vannoche of Sene for the time when he was his receiver. Middlesex.

Feb. 18. Westminster. William Chinale *alias* Chinal *alias* Chinall of the county of Hertford, *alias* of Bolbrykhull, for not appearing before William Thirnyng and his fellows, justices of the Bench of the late king, to answer Nicholas Walsshe, citizen and draper of London, touching a debt of 40*s.*, to answer a plea that he render 64*l.* 7*s.* 4*d.* to Albreda late the wife of John Curteys, William Hyde, John Sibille, John Foderyngeye, William Huwet, chaplain, Roger Penyell and William Hilteslee, executors of the will of John Curteys of Wymyngton, and to answer Thomas Totysham of the town of Westminster, 'taillour,' touching a debt of 40*s.* London. Middlesex.

April 20. Westminster. Thomas Gildon, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench of the late king to answer the said king and Roger Dayrell for leaving the service of the latter at Wouburn before the term agreed upon without reasonable cause. Buckingham.

April 21. Westminster. John Gussenare of Gussenare, co. Lancaster, for not appearing before Robert Bealknap and his fellows, justices of the Bench of the late king, to answer John More, citizen and mercer of London, touching a debt of 22*l.* 10*s.* London.

April 20. Westminster. Henry de Thorpe, for not appearing before William Thirnyng and his fellows, justices of the Bench of the late king, to answer a plea that he render 6*l.* 11*s.* 8*d.* to Robert Bussheye and Richard Spark, executors of the will of William Olyver, late citizen and skinner of London, and Thomas Fitz Nicholl, 'chivaler,' and Agnes his wife, their co-executrix. London.

John Hale, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench when sued with John Ewer, Thomas Brook, 'laborer,' Thomas Hugh of Legh, Adam Honythorn and Joan late the wife of William Brid, to answer Thomas Benet touching a trespass. Somerset.

The said Adam for the same.
The said Thomas Brook, for the same.
The said Thomas Hugh, for the same.
The said Joan for the same.

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Thomas Adams, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench of the late king to answer the prior of Castelacre touching a debt of 40*s*. Norfolk.

April 25. Westminster. John Snapp, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench to answer John Salerne of Idenne touching a debt of 11*l*. Sussex.

Richard Pal, clerk, for not appearing to answer Nicholas Morys touching a trespass. Somerset.

William Trode, for the like. Somerset.

April 21. Westminster. Thomas Banaster, esquire, for not appearing to answer Ralph Whithors of the county of Surrey, knight, touching a debt of 4 marks. Middlesex.

May 2. Westminster. Adam Godeyeve of Aylesbury, 'mason,' for not appearing before Robert de Cherlton and his fellows, justices of the Bench of the late king, to answer John Hosyere of Potterespirye touching a debt of 40*s*. Northampton.

Henry atte Yate of Mapelbergh, co. Warwick, for not appearing to answer William Belchamp touching a debt of 40*s*. Worcester.

William Hulle, clerk, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench to answer Thomas Eode of Campeden and Thomas Causeford of Campeden touching a debt of 10*l*. Gloucester.

Walter Skynner of Newmarket, 'osteler,' for not appearing before William Thirnyng and his fellows, justices of the Bench of the late king, to answer John Bernard of Ipswich touching a debt of 4*l*. 3*s*. 4*d*. Suffolk.

May 3. Westminster. Nicholas Stergeon, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench to answer a plea that he render a writing obligatory to Joan Stergeon. London.

May 2. Westminster. John Wodeward, 'brasyer,' for not appearing to answer Oliver Belleyetter touching a debt of 10*l*. 10*s*. Oxford.

May 3. Westminster. John Coleman of Neweton in the Isle of Wight, 'soutere,' for not appearing before the justices of the Bench of the late king to answer John Hebber touching a trespass. Southampton.

May 5. Westminster. John Boteler, chaplain, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench to answer Stephen Brakkele, chaplain, touching a debt of 40*s*. London.

May 8. Westminster. John Bene, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench of the late king to answer a plea that he render chattels to the value of 10*l*. to John Ekhils and Alice his wife. Middlesex.

May 11. Westminster. John Gardyner, parson of the church of Shakynden *alias* Chakenden, for not appearing before William Thirnyng and his fellows, justices of the Bench of the late king, to answer Simon Kelly, citizen and tailor of London, touching a debt of 10*l*. and to satisfy the abbot of Thame of 18 marks of 20 marks awarded as damages for trespass. Oxford. London.

May 18. Westminster. Thomas Classe, for not appearing before William Rikhill and his fellows, justices of oyer and terminer for the late king, to answer Giles Esse touching a trespass. Devon.

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May 12. Westminster. William Bryd of St. Neots, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench to answer Robert Harsyk touching a debt of 4*l.* Norfolk.

May 11. Westminster. Robert Clerk, chaplain, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench of Edward III to answer John Scot touching a debt of 7*l.* Huntingdon.

May 18. Westminster. Richard, parson of the church of Flevorth, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench to answer John Bannebury, merchant of Gloucestre, touching a debt of 82*l.* 11*s.* 8*d.* Gloucester.

May 14. Westminster. John Ludeseye of Burnham, for not appearing to answer John Grene of Burnham touching a debt of 12 marks. London.

May 12. Westminster. William Newenham, for not appearing before Robert de Cherlton and his fellows, justices of the Bench of the late king, to answer a plea that he render his account to William Feryby, clerk, for the time when he was his receiver. Devon.

William Heyre for not appearing before the justices of the Bench to answer Ivo Fitz Waryn, 'chivaler,' touching a trespass. Dorset.

May 16. Westminster. Adam Waryn of Ely, for not appearing before Robert Bealknap and his fellows, justices of the Bench of the late king, to answer John Suzran, John Marlere, parson of the church of Ilsyngton, and Paul de Middelton touching debts of 4*l.*, 18*l.*, and 20 marks respectively, and before Robert Cherlton and his fellows, justices of the Bench of the said king, to answer Ralph Giddyng of Huntyngton touching a debt of 30*l.* Norfolk. Cambridge. Huntingdon.

May 3. Westminster. John Pyxstoke of Leycestre, for not appearing before William Thirnyng and his fellows, justices of the Bench of the late king, to answer John Hosteler of Neuportpaynell touching a debt of 40*s.* Buckingham.

May 17. Westminster. John Cleydon, clerk, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench to answer Katharine Besyles touching a debt of 20 marks. Oxford.

May 18. Westminster. Roger Taillour of Hecham for not appearing when sued with Richard Neel of Mendlesham to answer Katharine Arnold of Elde Newton touching a debt of 40*s.* Suffolk.

May 16. Westminster. John Hexhame of Gatesheved, *alias* John Exham, *alias* John de Hexham of the bishopric of Durham, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench of the late king to answer Richard Peterburgh, citizen and saddler of London, touching a debt of 8*l.* and a plea that he render to him two writings obligatory, to answer Robert de Malteby, citizen and 'bladesmyth' of London, William Venour, citizen of London, and William Duresme the elder touching debts of 5 marks, 40*s.* and 10 marks respectively, to answer a plea that he render his account to William atte Gate, citizen and 'haberdassher' of London, and John Lamplogh, citizen and 'taillour' of London for the time when he was their receiver and to answer Edmund Burgeys, citizen of York, touching a debt of 40*s.* London. Northumberland. York.

May 17. Westminster. John Coffe of Lowestoft, 'baxtere,' for not appearing before the justices of the Bench to answer William Spitlyng and William Cove touching a debt of 40*s.* Suffolk.

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June 8. Westminster. Ralph Smyth, chaplain, for not appearing to answer Henry Smyth of Holym touching a debt of 40*l.* York.

June 9. Westminster. Robert Chyshull, for not appearing to answer Henry Bamme, citizen of London, touching a debt of 4*l.* London.

John Thorpe of Kyngeston on Thames, for not appearing to answer Hugh Tretheven touching a debt of 7*l.* London.

June 9. Westminster. William Coke of Yarum, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench of the late king to answer a plea that he render 88*l.* to Katharine late the wife of Roger Spark of Jernemuth, executrix of his will. London.

June 10. Westminster. Thomas Bonham, clerk, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench when sued with John Chate, clerk, as executors of the will of Katharine late the wife of Bernard Brocas, knight, to answer a plea that they render 40*s.* to Alexander Dayvell, citizen and tailor of London. London.

Roger Fayreman, for not appearing before Robert Cherlton and his fellows, justices of the Bench of the late king, to answer Robert Napton touching a debt of 40*s.* Devon.

June 12. Westminster. William Chevall of Gerston in the parish of Watford, co. Hertford, esquire, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench to answer a plea that he render 40*s.* to Richard Polhille, citizen and skinner of London, and Isabel his wife, executrix of the will of Robert de Huntyngton, late citizen and scrivener of London. London.

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June 13. Westminster. John Smyth of Baildon, for not appearing before William Thirnyng and his fellows, justices of the Bench of the late king, to answer a plea that he render his account to the prior of Bolton for the time when he was his receiver. York.

June 14. Westminster. Walter Beneyt, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench to answer Thomas Baud of Chestirford touching a debt of 40*l.* Middlesex.

June 15. Westminster. Hugh de Burton of Shrouesbury, for not appearing to answer Adam Juhyn touching a debt of 75*s.* Bristol.

June 16. Westminster. John Hacon the elder, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench of the late king to answer William Wyght touching a debt of 40*s.* Suffolk.

June 16. Westminster. Roger Terry of Horsham, co. Sussex, for not appearing to answer John Wyngode of London, 'brewer,' touching a debt of 6 marks and John Cheyham of London, citizen and goldsmith of London, and Henry Irton, citizen of London, touching a debt of 20*l.* London. Middlesex.

June 20. Westminster. Michael Sagher and Katharine his wife, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench to answer Mary Rascall touching a trespass. London.

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Robert Pocok of Hals, for not appearing to answer John Ralegh of Netelcombe touching a debt of 40*l.* Somerset.

Nicholas Treue of Fulburn, for not appearing to answer John Cuppere, John atte Lane and Henry Petrisburgh touching a debt of 20*l.* Suffolk.

June 21. Westminster. Robert Cartwright, 'chapman,' for not appearing to answer Roger de Walton of Beverley, 'taillour,' and Agnes his wife touching a trespass committed against her. York.

June 20. Westminster. John Chate, clerk, for not appearing when sued with Thomas Bonham, clerk, as executors of the will of Katharine late the wife of Bernard Brocas, knight, to answer a plea that they render 40*s.* to Alexander Dayvell, citizen and tailor of London. London.

June 23. Westminster. John Beek the younger, for not appearing before Robert de Cherlton and his fellows, justices of the Bench of the late king, to answer Henry, abbot of Thame, touching a debt of 20 marks. Oxford.

June 18. Westminster. John Aldewyn, 'boucher,' for not appearing before William Thirnyng and his fellows, justices of the Bench of the late king, to answer John Vyen, clerk, touching a trespass. Somerset.

Adam Ponder, for the like. Somerset.

June 21. Westminster. Robert Fysshewyk of York, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench of the late king to answer Peter Fayrechild touching a debt of 10*l.* York.

Richard Rawdon of Berwyk in Elmet, co. York, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench to answer Alexander Dayvell, citizen and tailor of London, touching a debt of 40*s.* York.

June 30. Westminster. John Gody of the county of Cornwall, for not appearing before William Thirnyng and his fellows, justices of the Bench of the late king, to answer Marjory Alet touching a debt of 40*s.* London.

June 29. Westminster. John Conam of Grymesby, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench to answer Stephen del Dale of Kyngeston on Hull touching a debt of 11*l.* York.

June 24. Westminster. John Childemelle, for not appearing to answer William Tornour, citizen and baker of London, touching a debt of 60*s.* Kent.

July 1. Westminster. John Reede *alias* Rede of Colyford, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench of the late king to answer Thomas Raulyn, clerk, and Philip Muleward touching debts of 25*l.* 8*s.* and 40*s.* respectively. Devon. Dorset.

July 2. Westminster. William Potton, chaplain, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench to answer John, abbot of Croxton, touching a debt of 12*l.* Leicester.

July 5. Westminster. Nicholas Dremer of Fowy, for not appearing when sued with Thomas Hogge of Polruan to answer Andrew Borlas touching a debt of 60*s.* Cornwall.

July 6. Westminster. John Daunce of Bloundene, 'plowryght,' for not appearing to answer William Hulle touching a debt of 40*s.* Warwick.

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July 5. Westminster. Robert Wyndesore, esquire, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench of the late king to answer Robert Thorley, esquire, touching a debt of 166*l.* 18*s.* 4*d.* London.

July 6. Westminster. Edith Bryddys, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench to answer William Grene, esquire, touching a debt of 86*l.* Middlesex.

July 9. Westminster. William Yeo, for not appearing before William Thirnyng and his fellows, justices of the Bench of the late king, to answer John Hicke, chaplain, touching a debt of 8*l.* London.

July 12. Westminster. John Dun and John his son, for not appearing before the justices of the Bench to answer a plea that they render their account to Christiana late the wife of Edmund Lucas for the time when they were her receivers. Suffolk.

July 14. Westminster. Thomas Court of the county of Kent, for not appearing to answer John Andrewe of Sothewerk touching a debt of 6 marks. Surrey.

John son of Gilbert Skynner, for not appearing before the king to answer Thomas Bernard, clerk, touching a trespass. Devon.

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Oct. 28. Westminster. Writ of aid, until Whitsuntide, for William Burton, appointed to buy capons, geese, hens, pullets, eggs and all other things pertaining to the office of the poultry of the household and provide carriage for the same in accordance with the statute at Westminster, 36 Edward III. *French.*

The like for the following, to buy various victuals and things :—

Nov. 18. Westminster. John Gys, until Midsummer. By bill of the treasurer.

Nov. 17. Westminster. Adam Cok. By bill of the treasurer of the household.

Dec. 10. Westminster.
Adam atte Welle, serjeant of the office of the acatry. By bill etc.
William Buxton. By bill etc.
Henry Kyrkeby. By bill etc.
Henry Stokes.
Arnold Hukkere.
John Wyndesore.
Ralph atte Welle.
Hamond Wysman.
Thomas Passelegh. } By bill etc.

Dec. 12. Westminster. Robert Inwode.
Thomas Norfolk.

Dec. 20. Westminster. Thomas Prophete.

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Feb. 4. Westminster. John Caylok, until 1 September.

Feb. 6. Westminster. William Askham.
Nicholas Bekenisfeld.

Feb. 12. Westminster. John Foller.

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Feb. 8. Westminster. Thomas Issynden, yeoman of the bakery.

Feb. 24. Westminster. William Gyll, until Michaelmas.

Feb. 27. Westminster. William Rye.

March 15. Westminster. Henry Wynnegold.
John Baker.

April 1. Leeds Castle. Robert atte Were, for half a year. By bill of the treasurer of the household.

April 12. Westminster.
John Dunnesmore. By bill etc.
John Blakesley. By bill etc.
Robert Huwet. By bill etc.

April 16. Westminster.
John Herfeld, until Michaelmas. By bill etc.
William Burton. By bill etc.

May 1. Westminster. John Pope of Seint Albons, until 1 November. By bill etc.

July 6. Westminster.
Henry Kyrkeby, until Candlemas.
Hamond Wysman.
John Wyndesore.
Henry Stokis.
John Weston.

July 6. Westminster. Ralph atte Welle, until Candlemas.

Sept. 12. Westminster. William Buxton, until the Annunciation. By bill etc.

Sept. 17. Westminster.
Hankyn Michel.
John Baker.
Simon Swan. } until the Annunciation.
Richard Alcot. By bill etc.
John Robyn.
John Thorne.
Thomas Issynden, yeoman of the bakery.

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Nov. 8. Westminster. Grant to the king's brother John, earl of Somerset, of the custody of all lands and other possessions late of the lady of Haryngton, deceased, late the wife of Robert de Haryngton, 'chivaler,' and of Elizabeth, lady Daudeley, deceased, not exceeding the value of 800 marks yearly, during the minority of Fulk Fitz Waryn, kinsman and heir of William Cogan, knight, and Nicholas Daudeley, knight, both deceased, with knights' fees, advowsons, chaces, parks, warrens, franchises, wreck of sea and other profits, and so from heir to heir, maintaining the houses and buildings and supporting all charges.

MEMBRANE 9.

1401.

May 4. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the prior and canons of Maxstoke of letters patent dated 20 August, 2 Richard II, inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Westminster, 1 September, 11 Edward III. [*Charter Roll*, 11 *Edward III*, *No.* 9.] For 20 marks paid in the hanaper.

1401.

Membrane 9—cont.

June 8. Westminster. Grant, during pleasure, to the king's clerk John Ikelyngton of the office of chamberlain of the Exchequer, which John Godmanston lately had, receiving the accustomed fees and wages. By p.s.

June 20. Westminster. Presentation of William Wylly, chaplain, to the church of Fisshbourn, of the jurisdiction of Master John Maydenhithe, dean of the cathedral church of Chichester, and in the diocese of Chichester.

May 20. Westminster. Pardon to the king's kinsman Robert Braybrok, bishop of London, of the escapes of Thomas Gaddesby, John Colsell, Thomas Marys, John Compon and Walter Webbury, chaplains, John Skermere, John Broxson, William Appelby, John Colsell and John Steven, convicted clerks, lately in his prison in his castle of Storteford, co. Hertford. By p.s.

June 17. Westminster. Pardon to Geoffrey Ardern for the death of David Somer late servant of John Russell, 'chivaler,' on Monday in Whitsun Week, 1 Henry IV. By p.s.

June 18. Westminster. Presentation of Master William Flete, chaplain, to the church of Rathaspoc, in the diocese of Ferns.

June 28. Westminster. Grant to Robert Lincoln, in lieu of a like grant to him by letters patent dated 19 February, 1 Henry IV (*see p.* 204), surrendered because invalid because the king was not informed of the value of the priories, of the custody of the priory of Wenghale, of the value of 10*l.* yearly, and the priory of Ravendale, of the value of 20 marks yearly, from Michaelmas, 1 Henry IV, during the war with France, with all profits and all arrears due to the king, and grant that if he be removed by the conclusion of peace or otherwise he shall have 20*l.* yearly for life at the Exchequer. By K.

June 27. Westminster. Appointment, during pleasure, of the king's clerk Thomas Tuttebury as second baron of the Exchequer, receiving the accustomed fee. By K.
Mandate in pursuance to the treasurer and barons.

June 28. Westminster. Pardon to Simon Walsh of Derby for all felonies and misprisions committed by him, except treason, murder, rape and larceny. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 8.

May 11. Westminster. Whereas Richard II by a charter and letters patent, confirmed on 24 November, 1 Henry IV, granted to the king's uncle Edmund, duke of York, 400*l.* and 500 marks yearly from the customs and subsidy of wools, hides and wool-fells in the ports of Kyngeston on Hull and Boston respectively, with a provision that any deficit should be paid at the Exchequer, and in the last Parliament at Westminster it was ordained that all annuities charged on any subsidies of wools, hides and wool-fells should cease, and out of the said sums until 4 April last 200*l.* and 833*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* respectively were in arrears, the king, by the advice of the council, grants to his said uncle that he shall have payment of these arrears from the customs and subsidies of wools, hides and wool-fells due to the king from the tenants of his uncle of his lordship of Grantham, saving the assignment on the same for the town and marches of Calais. By K. & C.

May 20. Westminster. Pardon to Alan Bakster of Saltmersh for the murder of William de Thornthoft at Saltmersh on Monday before St. Gregory the Pope, 6 Richard II. By p.s.

1401. *Membrane* 8—*cont.*

May 8. Westminster. Exemplification, at the request of William Bagot, 'chivaler,' of the tenour of an article (*French*) in the last Parliament, restoring him to law. [*Rolls of Parliament*, III, 458.]

June 8. Westminster. Revocation of the protection with clause *volumus*, for one year, lately granted to John Hammyngherst, staying on the king's service in the company of the king's knight John Dabriggecourt, captain of the castle of Calais, on the safe-custody of the same, because he delays in the county of Kent, as the sheriff has certified.

June 6. Westminster. Licence, for 5 marks paid in the hanaper by John Bell of Doncastre and Robert Swaluhill, for them to grant in mortmain two messuages, two gardens, 20 acres of land, 6 acres of meadow, a cucking-stool (*scabellum*) and 8*s.* rent in Doncastre and Whaytlay, co. York, not held in chief, to William Lewer, chaplain of the chantry in the chapel of St. Mary Magdalen, Doncastre, to celebrate divine service daily in the chapel for the good estate of the king and for his soul after death and the souls of the founders and supporters of the chantry.

June 8. Westminster. Exemplification, at the request of the men and tenants of the town of Witlei, of a certificate sent into Chancery by the treasurer and chamberlains of an entry in Domesday Book under the title of the land of Gislebert son of Richer in the county of Surrey. [*Domesday Book*, *fol.* 36 *b.*]

June 12. Westminster. Commission, during pleasure, to John Lassy the younger of the office of tronage and pesage of wools in the port of Newcastle on Tyne, receiving the accustomed wages and fees. By bill of the treasurer.

June 7. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Roger Elmham and Elizabeth his wife of 20*l.* yearly from Michaelmas, 1 Henry IV, from the issues of the county of Norfolk in addition to the 10*l.* yearly which he has of the grant of Richard II and the king's confirmation; in lieu of a like grant to them by letters patent dated 29 March, 1 Henry IV (*see p.* 245), which are invalid because no mention is made of the said 10*l.* yearly; and pardon to them of the trespass. By p.s.

June 14. Westminster. Commission to Master Thomas Stowe, dean of the church of St. Paul, London, Master John Barnet, clerk, Master John Prophete, clerk, John Cheyny, knight, Hugh Waterton, knight, John Frome, esquire, and John Durward, esquire, to hear and determine an appeal by Geoffrey Wynkeley, chaplain, of the diocese of Exeter, in a maritime case concerning the unjust detention of 12 marks, the fourth part of a crayer called *le Wolfaire* of Portelemouth and 2 marks 2*s.* 6*d.* formage between the said Geoffrey, plaintiff, and Walter Brogge of Kyngesbruge in the same diocese, defendant. John Hauley, late lieutenant of Thomas Percy, earl of Worcester, late admiral of England, gave judgement for Geoffrey and against Walter and the latter appealed and Richard Cradok, knight, and Master Simon Sidenham, doctor of laws, late lieutenants of the said admiral, dismissed the appeal with costs, and afterwards Thomas Organ, lieutenant of Thomas Rameston, admiral of the west, without calling on or warning Geoffrey upset the said judgement and dismissal and condemned him in a sum of money for expenses.

June 26. Westminster. Janico Dartasso, esquire, going on the king's service to Ireland, has letters nominating Drugo Barentyn, citizen of London, and John Hertilpole, clerk, his attorneys in England for one year.

Robert de Faryngton, clerk, received the attorneys until his return to England.

1401. *Membrane* 8—*cont.*

June 28. Westminster. Pardon to Simon Walsh (*as on p.* 501). By p.s.

July 1. Westminster. Grant to Seman de Tonge of the custody of all lands late of John son of John Frogenale in the county of Kent, tenant in chief, during the minority of William his son and heir, with the marriage of the latter without disparagement, and so from heir to heir, maintaining the houses and buildings and supporting all other charges and finding a competent maintenance for the heir. By K.

Aug. 21. Westminster. Pardon to Adam Nicholson, 'hegman,' for having with others on Tuesday after the Assumption of St. Mary, 14 Richard II, murdered Adam de Loblay of Walden in Richemondshire in Walden by Burton. By K.

MEMBRANE 7.

May 26. Westminster. Grant to John Preston, parson of the church of Chesthunte, in the diocese of London, of the prebend which William Norton sometime had in the free chapel of St. Stephen within the palace of Westminster, on an exchange of benefices with William Hanney, parson of the church of Welbourn, in the diocese of Lincoln, and prebendary of the said prebend. By p.s.
Mandate in pursuance to the dean and college.

May 7. Westminster. Presentation of John Turney, parson of the church of Yevelton, in the diocese of Lincoln, to the church of Belgrave, in the same diocese, in the king's gift in right of the alien priory of Ware, on an exchange of benefices with Reginald Braybrok. By p.s.

May 30. Westminster. Pardon to Michael, prior of Longebenyngton and Filddalyng, and Michael Moretayn, monks of Saveneye, of 10*l.* yearly from the farm of 50*l.* which they are bound to render yearly to the king so long as they are farmers of the priory. By p.s.
Mandate in pursuance to the sheriff of Lincoln.

May 29. Westminster. Exemplification, at the request of the said John (*sic*), of the tenour of the enrolment of letters patent dated 25 June, 1 Henry IV (*see p.* 311), granting licence for Thomas Brake to sue John Boor for possession of the church of Oundell.

May 30. Westminster. Pardon to John Walter the elder, son of Robert Walter a bondman of the earl of Stafford of Overton, co. Northampton, for the death of Richard Walter of Overton at Overton on Tuesday before St. Augustine the bishop, 12 Richard II. By p.s.

June 1. Westminster. Pardon to Ralph Barbour of Frome for all offences committed by him before the Purification, 1 Henry IV, except murders and rapes; provided that he is not a common thief indicted before that date or an approver nor appealed of the death of a man nor taken with mainour, and that he has not broken the king's prison before that date and was not at the murder of the king's uncle Thomas, late duke of Gloucester. By p.s.

May 14. Westminster. Commission to Thomas Abberbury, John Burgh and John Styward, 'cosour,' to take horses for the king's kinswoman Isabel, queen of England, who is going to France with her household, and take them to the city of London. [*Fœdera.*] By C.

June 3. Westminster. Presentation of William Fyncham, king's clerk, to the church of Dounham, in the diocese of London.

1401. *Membrane 7—cont.*

June 6. Westminster. Presentation of William Pisthorne to the church of St. Andrew, Estchepe, London, in the diocese of London, void by the resignation of William Ryel.

June 3. Westminster. Grant to the king's clerk Richard Dereham of the prebend which Nicholas Salisbury had in the free chapel of St. Stephen within the palace of Westminster. By p.s.
Mandate in pursuance to the dean and chapter.

June 11. Westminster. Writ of aid for Walter Horstede, appointed to take bush and litter anywhere from the city of London to Dover and there for the expenses of the household of the king's kinswoman Isabel, queen of England, who is returning to France. By C.
The like for Thomas Boydon, appointed to take beeves and muttons. By C.
The like for Thomas Malton, appointed to take hay and oats. By C.

June 27. Westminster. Order, by advice of the great council, that the profits of the temporalities of the bishopric of Worcester from the death of Tideman, last bishop, so long as they remain in the king's hands shall be reserved for part support of the expenses of the household and the payment of the debts of the household by the supervision of the king's kinsman Thomas, earl of Worcester, steward, the king's clerk Thomas More, treasurer, and Thomas Brounflete, controller of the household, notwithstanding other assignments. [*Fœdera.*] By K.

April 29. Manor in Windsor Park. Grant, during pleasure, to the king's servant Richard Barbour of the office of keeper of 'le wolbeme' and the pesage of wools of the town of Suthampton with the fees and profits pertaining to it as Edmund Gyssynges had of the grant of Edward III, provided that he stay at the office in person. By p.s.

July 2. Westminster. Pardon to John Spicer of Tikhill of his outlawry in the city of York for not appearing before William Thirnyng, and his fellows, justices of the Bench of the late king, to answer the said king and Edmund de Barneburgh of York, 'sadeler,' for having retained John son of Peter Wright of Wadworth who left the service of Edmund at York before the term agreed upon; he having surrendered to the Flete prison, as the said William, now chief justice of the Bench, has certified.

MEMBRANE 6.

June 10. Westminster. Licence, for 40*s.* paid in the hanaper by William de Pounfrayt, citizen and draper of York, and John de Thornton, citizen and draper of York, for them to grant in mortmain a messuage in York called Stanebowe, held of the king in free burgage as is all the city, to the chaplain of the chantry at the altar of St. John Baptist and St. Katharine in the church of All Saints, Ousegate, York, in aid of his maintenance.

May 26. Westminster. Grant to the dean and college of the free chapel of St. Stephen within the palace of Westminster of 35*l.* 14*s.* 7*d.* yearly from the farm of the city of York at the hands of the sheriffs until they shall be provided by the king or his heirs with rents and possessions to that value, deduction being made for any such provision in part and any deficit being paid at the Exchequer; as Edward III by letters patent confirmed by the king granted the same to them at the hands of the bailiffs of the city and

1401. *Membrane* 6—*cont.*

Richard II granted to the citizens that they should have two sheriffs instead of bailiffs and the sheriffs refuse to pay the rent because the letters mention bailiffs and not sheriffs. By p.s.

June 12. Westminster. Licence, for 10 marks paid by him in the hanaper, for Nicholas Wychyngham to grant in mortmain a messuage, 110 acres of land, 2 acres of meadow, 4 acres of pasture, a free fold and two fisheries in the water of Bernham in Bernham, not held in chief, to the prioress and convent of St. George, Thetford, in aid of their maintenance.

June 20. Westminster. Licence for the prior and convent of the cathedral church of Worcester to elect a bishop in the place of Tideman, last bishop, deceased. By p.s.

Licence, for 12 marks paid in the hanaper by the prior and convent of Ulvescroft, for William Elysson of Bradmare and Beatrice his wife to grant in mortmain to them a messuage, a toft, three bovates and three roods of land and 8½ acres of meadow in Boney, not held in chief, in aid of their maintenance.

June 18. Westminster. Presentation of Robert Ekynton, chaplain, to the church of Maglas, in the diocese of Ferns.

June 19. Westminster. The abbot of Oseneye, staying in England, has letters nominating John Oxeburgh his fellow canon and Thomas Mauclerk his attorneys in Ireland for one year. John Hull received the attorneys by writ.

June 24. Westminster. Presentation of John Bradelegh, parson of the church of Heryngeswell, in the diocese of Norwich, to the church of Stansfeld, in the same diocese, on an exchange of benefices with Nicholas Blundel.

June 18. Westminster. Grant to the king's knight William Wakeleyn of the goods and chattels late of John Tubbe of Frutewell, co. Oxford, pertaining to the king by his forfeiture and taken into the king's hands, to hold to the value of 10*l.* provided that he answer for any surplus. By p.s.

Feb. 10. Westminster. Grant in frank almoin to the prior and convent of St. Denys by Suthampton, which is of the king's patronage and of the foundation of the king's progenitors, of the hospital of St. Mary Magdalen without the walls of Suthampton with its lands, rents, profits and emoluments without any charge or condition except that they shall pray within their priory for the good estate of the king and for his soul after death and the souls of his father and mother and progenitors and heirs. In the year 1179 pope Alexander by bull confirmed to them among other possessions the said hospital by the name of the chapel of St. Mary Magdalen, and the charters, evidences and muniments of the priory in the time of Edward III were burnt and carried off by the French who then burned the town, and afterwards the said king by letters patent dated [1 June,] 21 Edward III, granted the hospital to them in frank almoin and they continued their possession until they were removed by colour of an untrue inquisition taken before John Tauk, escheator of Richard II in the county, at the procurement of their rivals. The hospital at present consists of one small house. By p.s.

June 30. Westminster. Presentation of John Ricke, chaplain, to the church of Great Blakenham, in the diocese of Norwich.

June 27. Westminster. Pardon to Walter de Foteby of Manby for the death of Adam Petit of Manby on Sunday before St. Augustine, 1 Henry IV, at Manby. By p.s.

1401. *Membrane* 6—*cont.*

July 1. Westminster. Grant for life during the war with France to friar Thomas Kynersley of the order of Carmelite Friars of the 100*s.* which the parson of the church of Westkyngton, co. Wilts, renders yearly to the alien abbey of Fugiers. By K.

July 2. Westminster. Pardon to Walter Bury of his outlawry in the county of Devon for not appearing before the king to satisfy him of his ransom for a trespass against Giles Asshe, of which he was convicted; he having surrendered to the Marshalsea prison and satisfied the said Giles of the damages, as William Gascoigne, chief justice, has certified.

March 14. Westminster. Presentation of John de Santon, king's clerk, to the church of Kildalke, in the diocese of Meath. The letters are directed to J. archbishop of Armagh, keeper of the spiritualities of the bishopric, the see being vacant.

July 1. Westminster. Grant to the king's clerk Thomas Longeley of the deanery in the cathedral church of York. By K.

Mandate in pursuance to R. archbishop of York.

Mandate in pursuance to the chapter.

July 1. Westminster. Grant, during pleasure, to the Friars of the order of Mount Carmel of 10*l.* each year for their provincial chapter at the Exchequer of the king's alms, in furtherance of a like grant by letters patent of Richard II. By K.

June 26. Westminster. Whereas by an inquisition taken before Nicholas Dudle, mayor of Coventre, Richard Clerk, Thomas Purfray, John Onley, John Smythrer and John Styward by the king's commission (*see p.* 517) it was found that after the marriage between John Grauntpee of Coventre and Agnes the sister of William de Feriby, clerk, deceased, who made forfeiture to the king on account of a judgement against him, the said John by charter enfeoffed the said William in fee simple of all his lands, rents, services, meadows, pastures and hays with commodities and liberties in Coventre and elsewhere within the county of Warwick, to the effect and under the condition of re-enfeoffing him and Agnes of the same, to hold to them and the heirs of their bodies with remainder to his heirs, and the said William had no estate therein except under that condition; the king, with the assent of the council, grants to them all the premises, which were taken into his hands by the escheator in the said county, to hold to them and their heirs from the time of the said judgement. By p.s.

Vacated because elsewhere in this year.

MEMBRANE 5.

June 24. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the master and brethren of the hospital of St. Leonard, York, of letters patent dated 1 December, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 18 September, 3 Edward II.
2. A charter dated at Westminster, 5 February, 35 Edward III. [*Charter Roll, 34 and 35 Edward III, No.* 9.]

For 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

July 5. Westminster. Exemplification, at the request of John, archbishop of Armagh, primate of Ireland, of letters patent dated at Drogheda, 29 November, 11 Edward III, witnessed by John de Cherleton, justiciary of Ireland, exemplifying, at the request of David, then archbishop, certain clauses in a bull of pope Urban IV confirming to the archbishop of Armagh the primacy of Ireland and granting licence for him to have a cross borne before him. [*Fœdera.*]

1401. *Membrane 5—cont.*

June 27. Westminster. Whereas lately by letters patent the king granted to Eleanor, countess of Salisbury 100*l.* yearly during pleasure from the manors of Erlestoke, Erleswynterbourne and Aumesbury, co. Wilts, and afterwards because the manors of Erleswynterbourne and Aumesbury are annexed to the duchy of Lancaster the king by letters patent of the duchy dated 29 September last granted to her during pleasure 60*l.* out of the said 100*l.* from the said manors, and she has surrendered the first letters; the king grants to her the said manor of Erlestoke, extended at 40*l.* yearly, to hold from the said 29 September during pleasure in recompense of the remaining 40*l.* By p.s.

July 6. Westminster. Presentation of Thomas Brodcroft to the church of St. Margaret, Burgh in Fleg, in the diocese of Norwich.

Grant to the king's clerk Thomas Bache of the archdeaconry of Meath in Ireland with the church of St. Columba, Kenles, annexed to it, in the king's gift by reason of the temporalities of the bishopric of Meath being in his hands. By p.s.

Mandate in pursuance to R. bishop of Meath.

July 7. Westminster. Stephen Lescrope, 'chivaler,' going on the king's service in the company of the king's son Thomas de Lancastre, lieutenant of Ireland, has letters nominating Richard Lescrope, 'chivaler,' and Henry Maupas, clerk, his attorneys in England for one year.

Thomas Stanley, clerk, received the attorneys until his return to England.

He also has like letters nominating John Innocent, clerk, and William Audele, esquire. The same Thomas received them.

He also has like letters nominating John Tybbey, clerk, and Nicholas Morys. The same Thomas received them.

July 6. Westminster. Edward Pereres, 'chivaler,' going on the king's service to Ireland, has letters nominating Richard Pereres and Thomas Thornburgh his attorneys in England for one year.

Robert de Faryngton, clerk, received the attorneys until his return.

July 6. Westminster. Grant to the king's clerks John Prentys and John Arundell of the 80*l.* late of Thomas Shelle, 'chivaler,' deceased, and pertaining to the king by his forfeiture, now in the hands of Guy Bracy, late escheator in the county of Buckingham. By p.s.

Vacated because otherwise in this year.

June 27. Westminster. Appointment of the king's son Thomas de Lancastre, steward of England, as the king's lieutenant of Ireland for six years from 18 July next according to the form of a certain indenture, with power to keep the king's peace and punish all who offend against it, to receive and pardon rebels and grant them letters patent of pardon under the seal used in Ireland, to receive to the king's use fines and ransoms, to make war upon and pacify the king's enemies and rebels and to do all things pertaining to his office, and to take victuals necessary for his household and his men. By p.s.

July 8. Westminster. Whereas Edward III by letters patent granted licence for John de Kyneton, parson of the church of Radeclyf on Trent, to grant a messuage, 36 acres of land, 8 acres of meadow and 24*s.* rent in Blyth and Torworth to the abbot and convent of Roche to find a secular chaplain to celebrate divine service daily in the chapel of Holy Trinity, Kyneton, for the souls

1401. *Membrane 5—cont.*

of the said John and his father and mother, and for the abbot and convent to grant to him a corrody in the abbey for the maintenance of the chaplain and for him to grant this corrody to the chaplain, and these grants were made; the king now, for 2 marks paid by the abbot, grants licence for the abbot and convent to grant the said messuage, land, meadow and rent to the chaplain in mortmain, in exchange for the corrody.

July 2. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the abbot and convent of Vale Royal of a charter dated at Bordeaux, 21 January, 15 Edward I, granting that they shall have a market weekly on Thursday at their manor of Kirkeham, co. Lancaster, and a fair there yearly for five days, viz.: on the eve, the day and the morrow of Midsummer and the two days following.
For 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

MEMBRANE 4.

July 1. Westminster. Exemplification, at the request of the king's kinswoman Philippa late the wife of Robert de Veer, duke of Ireland, of her petition (*French*) for dower in the last Parliament and the answer of the king thereto. [*Rolls of Parliament*, III, 460.]

July 2. Westminster. Pardon to the king's clerk Robert de Faryngton, late treasurer of Richard II in Ireland, of 21*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* due to the king for the arrears of the account which he has now rendered at the Exchequer for divers sums of money sent from England to Ireland for the works of the castle of Dublin. By K.

July 2. Westminster. General pardon to John Massy of Potynton, 'chivaler.' By K.

July 2. Westminster. Writ *de intendendo* for the king's clerk Master Richard de Clifford, to whom by letters patent the king has granted the custody of the temporalities of the bishopric of Worcester so long as they remain in his hands, saving knights' fees and advowsons of churches, notwithstanding any assignment made for the expenses of the household.

July 3. Westminster. Exemplification of the tenour of the enrolment of letters patent dated 8 May, 14 Richard II, granting to John Lincolne three cottages in York. These letters have been accidentally lost, as he has taken oath in Chancery, and if they are found he will surrender the present letters.

July 5. Westminster. Whereas a certain progenitor of the king lately granted to Richard Dammary, 'chivaler,' and his heirs the manor of Hedyngton with the hundred of Bolyngdene and the hundred without the north gate of Oxford, rendering 81*l.* yearly at the Exchequer, and afterwards the said Richard with licence of Edward III enfeoffed John Chandose, 'chivaler,' and his heirs of the same, and Edward III by letters patent granted for life to Amice late the wife of John de Beverley 17*l.* out of the said rent, and Richard II on 11 May, 22 Richard II, because the said rent was in arrear and could not be levied by letters patent, confirmed by letters patent of the king, granted the manor and hundreds to William Willicotes and his heirs, paying 40*l.* yearly at the Exchequer, and in these letters mention is not made of the said 81*l.* or the said 17*l.*; the king confirms the estate of the said William in the manor and hundreds and grants them to him and his heirs quit of the said 81*l.* and the said 17*l.* after the death of Amice but saving the said 40*l.* By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

1401. *Membrane* 4—*cont.*

April 14. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Thomas Monyn of 20*l.* yearly from the fee farm which the prior and brethren of the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in Ireland are bound to pay at the exchequer of Ireland for the castle and manor of Salmon Leap, co. Kildare, and for the chapel of Iseult (Chapelizod) in Ireland. By K.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 27 January in the seventh year the king granted the same for life to Edward Perers and Joan his wife.

Mandate in pursuance to the prior and brethren.

July 8. Westminster. Whereas Richard II by letters patent granted to the king's kinsman Edward, earl of Rutland, for the maintenance of his estate during the life of his father the duke of York lands, rents and possessions to the value of 800 marks yearly and in satisfaction thereof the castle, town and lordship of Okeham according to extent and the residue at the Exchequer, and this extent after deducting all assignments did not reach 95*l.* 5½*d.* and afterwards 100*l.* more fell in to the earl on the death of Richard Stury, 'chivaler,' and because the earl should have surrendered these letters patent, the said king by other letters patent granted to him, then duke of Albemarle, and the heirs male of his body the said castle, town and lordship and the first letters patent by the will of the said king remained whole and uncancelled and so the said earl in the time of the said king received the residue of the said 800 marks at the Exchequer; the king grants that he shall have the residue at the Exchequer during the life of his father with all arrears. By K.

July 8. Westminster. Grant to Thomas More, treasurer of the household, with respect to assignments lately made for the expenses of the household (*see m.* 28 *etc.*), that he shall not be charged with anything that he cannot be shown by tallies and other evidence to have received. By K.

July 5. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's kinswoman Joan, lady of Mohun, of 50 marks yearly from the issues of the county of Somerset, in recompense for the castle of Ledes, which Richard II granted to her for life by letters patent and which has been taken out of her hands. By K.

July 10. Westminster. Mandate in pursuance to the sheriff. By K.

July 8. Westminster. Licence for John, bishop of Hereford, to grant in mortmain 4 messuages 5 shops, 6 tofts, 60 acres of land, 3 acres of meadow and 2*s.* 6*d.* rent in Ledbury Foreyne, Estnouere and Ledbury within the lordship which he holds of the king in chief, worth 40*s.* yearly, as appears by inquisition taken before John Holgot, escheator in the county of Hereford, to John Thony, chaplain of the chantry which he had licence by letters patent of the king (*see p.* 62) to found at the altar of St. Mary in the collegiate church of Ledebury, to celebrate divine service daily at the said altar for the good estate of the king and the bishop and for their souls after death, in full satisfaction of the said licence.

July 11. Westminster. Exemption for life of Thomas de Watton of the county of Northumberland from being put on assizes, juries, attaints, inquisitions or recognitions and from being made mayor, sheriff, escheator, coroner, justice, collector, taxer or assessor of tenths, fifteenths or other tallages or subsidies or other bailiff, minister or officer of the king against his will. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 3.

April 26. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the abbot and monks of Mellifonte of a charter dated at Drogheda, 17 March, 18 Richard II, inspecting and

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confirming a charter dated at Westminster, 28 September, 22 Edward III [*Charter Roll*, 22 *Edward III*, *No.* 7], and granting that they may make weirs and hatches in their fishery there mentioned and that they and their men shall be quit of service.
By p.s. and for 4 marks paid in the hanaper.

June 22. Westminster. Grant to Ranulph del See, esquire, that he shall be one of the king's serjeants at arms, receiving for life from 1 November, 1 Henry IV, 12*d.* daily for his wages from the issues of the city of York with a livery yearly at Christmas at the great wardrobe; in lieu of a like grant by letters patent of that date, surrendered because invalid because no mention is made of the issues of the city. By p.s.

July 1. Westminster. Mandate in pursuance to the sheriffs.

June 30. Westminster. Grant for life to Isabel the wife of Walter Styward, 'chivaler,' of 100 marks yearly at the Exchequer. By K.

Aug. 18. Westminster. John Belyng, prebendary of Crospaterik and Rosclare in the cathedral church of Ferns, staying in England, has letters nominating Robert Ramseye and William Gilton, clerk, his attorneys in Ireland for one year.
Nicholas Bubbewyth, clerk, received.
He also has like letters nominating Thomas Cod, clerk, and Nicholas Broun. The same Nicholas ——.
He also has like letters nominating John Barry and John Frenssh.
The same Nicholas ——.

MEMBRANE 2

July 12. Westminster. William Ireby of London, staying in England, has letters nominating John Corner and Walter Boston his attorneys in Ireland for one year.
John Rome, clerk, received the attorneys.

Grant, during pleasure, to Robert Lucas of the office of controller of ths customs and subsidy of wools, hides and wool-fells and the subsidy of 2*s.* in the tun and 12*d.* in the pound in the port of Ipswich, receiving the accustomed fee, provided that he execute the office in person, with the custody of one part of the coket seal. By bill of the treasurer.

Edmund Noon, 'chivaler,' going on the king's service to Ireland in the company of the king's son Thomas de Lancastre, lieutenant of Ireland, has letters nominating Imbert Noon and John Noon his attorneys in England for one year.
John Rome, clerk, received the attorneys until his return.

He also has like letters nominating James Billyngford and John Bokenham. The same John Bokenham received the attorneys as above.

The following have like letters:—

Sept. 22. Westminster Alfonso Monterre, chivaler, nominating Edmund Mille, clerk, and John Hastynges.
Thomas Stanley, clerk, received the attorneys as above.

Sept. 19. Westminster John Asshele, 'chivaler,' nominating William Hungate and John Leventhorpe. The chancellor received the attorneys as above.

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May 27. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 14 July, 17 Richard II, granting to Thomas de Percy and others the reversion of certain possessions held by Matilda de Veer, countess of Oxford. For 100*s.* paid in the hanaper.

July 15. Westminster. Protection with clause *volumus*, for one year, for Andrew Borlas *alias* Burlas, going on the king's service to Ireland in the company of the king's son Thomas de Lancastre, lieutenant of Ireland, on the safe-custody of those parts. By bill etc.

The like for the following:—

Roger Coly. By bill etc.

July 18. Westminster. Nicholas Scolall *alias* Haster of Cobley. By bill etc.

July 15. Westminster. Nicholas de Haywod, esquire. By bill of p.s.

July 20. Westminster. Richard Sandford *alias* Sanford of Tamworth. By bill etc.

Aug. 1. Westminster. John Benet *alias* Sandwich *alias* Bristowe. By bill etc.

Aug. 6. Westminster. John Top. By bill etc.

Sept. 2. Westminster. Thomas Bache, clerk. By bill etc.

Sept. 15. Westminster. William Hotot. By bill etc.

Sept. 19. Westminster. John Aschelee, knight. By bill etc.

Sept. 8. Westminster. Walter Bittusley, knight. By bill etc.

Sept. 23. Westminster. Richard Clopton, esquire. By bill etc.

Sept. 25. Westminster. Simon Blakeborne. By bill of p.s.

Sept. 23. Westminster. John Boure. By bill etc.

Sept. 28. Westminster. John Ogan. By bill etc.
Henry Branketre. By bill etc.
John Northridyng. By bill.

Sept. 7. Westminster. Robert Rameseye, esquire. By bill etc.

July 15. Westminster. Grant, during pleasure, to Laurence atte Grove of the office of tronage and pesage of wools in the port of Cicestre and ports and places adjacent, receiving the accustomed fees. By bill of the treasurer.

July 12. Westminster. Acquittance of John Swaldale of London, 'taillour,' who by the king's command has delivered to the king's brother the earl of Somerset a pair of 'plates' of Milan and a pair of 'vambras,' to the king's brother Thomas Beaufort a pair of 'brigantiers' and to William de Byngeley and Claws Nakerer six yards of blue cloth and six yards of cloth of mixed colour and 21 'rayes' of cloth rayed on a ground murrey (*stragulati le chaump murreye*), late of John, late earl of Huntingdon, and forfeited to the king by reason of a judgement against him. By p.s.

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July 16. Westminster. Edward Charleton, 'chivaler,' staying in England, has letters nominating Edward Perres, 'chivaler,' and John Fitz Adam, esquire, his attorneys in Ireland for one year.

John Ikelyngton, clerk, received the attorneys by writ.

July 18. Westminster. Revocation of letters patent dated 5 October, 1 Henry IV (*see p.* 6), granting to Thomas Horneby the custody of the court called 'Princecourt,' co. Leicester. The late king, by letters patent dated 17 July, 17 Richard II, granted the same to William Outeby for life to the value of 40*s.* yearly, and the latter complained that he has been expelled by colour of the said letters patent of the king, and the king directed the sheriff of Leicester to summon the said Thomas to appear before him in Chancery in the octaves of St. Hilary last to show cause why the letters to him should not be revoked and the said William restored to possession with issues from the said 5 October, and the sheriff returned that he had summoned him by John Folvyll, Richard Mariot, John Clerk and John Hasteler, and at the appointed day Thomas appeared by Thomas Smyth his attorney and William by John Pygot the younger his attorney and Thomas alleged that he had the custody of the king's grant and therefore ought not to answer and prayed aid of the king, which was granted, and adjournment was made till the quinzaine of Easter and William was told to sue the king for licence to proceed and at the quinzaine the parties appeared and the process was continued until the octaves of Trinity, and then William produced a writ of privy seal of licence to proceed and Thomas had nothing to say and William was told to sue the king for licence to proceed to judgement, and afterwards in Trinity term he produced another writ of privy seal of licence to this effect and judgement was given for him.

MEMBRANE 1.

July 2. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire William Fynbarowe of the office of marshal of the Bench, with the fees and profits belonging to it. By K.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 16 *August in the tenth year with his assent the king granted the same to his esquire John Preston for life.*

March 28. Westminster. Grant for life to William Chaundeler of the office of porter of the king's castle of Quenesburgh, receiving such wages as Peter, late porter, deceased, had. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender.

June 30. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent (*French*) of Henry de Percy, earl of Northumberland, constable of England, dated at Kardoill, 2 October, 1 Henry IV, granting for his own life to Thomas Hamme, yeoman of his chamber, 100*s.* from the issues of the manor of Haveryng atte Boure, co. Essex; and grant that the said Thomas shall have the same for life after the death of the earl.

By K. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

July 4. Westminster. Pardon to Thomas Nevylle, 'chivaler,' and Ankeret late the wife of Richard Talbot, 'chivaler,' tenant in chief, of their trespass in intermarrying without licence. By K.

July 4. Westminster. Commission, during pleasure, to Thomas, archbishop of Dublin, of the office of chancellor of Ireland, receiving the accustomed fee. By K. & C.

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June 27. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John de More of letters patent dated 16 February, 20 Richard II, granting to him for life 100*s.* yearly at the Exchequer. By K. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because with his assent on 16 *February in the third year the king granted to John de* [*Do*]*kwra* 100*s. yearly for life from the issues of the county of Cumberland.*

The like to Hugh del Hall. By K. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

July 4. Westminster. Grant, during good behaviour, to Matthew Lappyng of the office of clerk of the works within the castle of Dublin in Ireland, with the accustomed wages and fee. By p.s.

July 6. Westminster. Order, by the advice of the great council and of the king's certain knowledge, that 80*l.* remaining in the hands of Richard Roos and his fellows, late collectors, from a tenth and a fifteenth granted to Richard II in Parliament at Westminster, 18 Richard II, by the commonalty of the realm in the county of Westmoreland shall be reserved in part support of the costs and expenses of the household and the payment of its debts by the supervision of the king's kinsman Thomas, earl of Worcester, steward, the king's clerk Thomas More, treasurer, and Thomas Brounflete, controller of the household, notwithstanding other assignments. By K.

July 7. Westminster. Presentation of Thomas Burdet, king's clerk, to the church of Aston Cauntelowe, in the diocese of Worcester.

July 8. Westminster. Janico Dartoys, esquire, going by the king's licence to Ireland, has letters nominating John Pygot, clerk, and Robert Walsham his attorneys in England for one year.

Thomas de Stanley received the attorneys until the return of the nominator to England.

July 7. Westminster. Grant to the king's esquire Richard Chalouns of the 15*l.* which Thomas Lodelowe, sheriff of Kent, has incurred because Simon Skynner, Robert Roust and John 'that was the man of crise' escaped from the king's prison of Canterbury, where they were detained in his custody for felonies. By p.s.

July 8. Westminster. Grant to John Cornewaill, 'chivaler,' and Elizabeth de Lancastre, countess of Huntyngdon, his wife, of certain goods late of John, late earl of Huntyngdon, her late husband, which came into her hands on his death and which are of the value of 225*l.* 20*d.* and pertain to the king on account of his forfeiture, viz. a chapel of red cloth of gold with golden herons and falcons with 'orfreys' of divers images comprising a dosser (*dorserium*), a frontal (*frontem*), a frontlet (*frontellum*), three copes, a chasuble (*casulam*), two tunicles with albs, amices, stoles, maniples, girdles, a sudary and two curtains (*redellis*) struck with gold, a red cloth of gold for a lectern; a chapel of blue, white and red cloth of gold with golden swans comprising a dosser, a frontal, a frontlet with an altarcloth (*tuella*), three copes, a chasuble, two tunicles, three albs with amices, stoles, maniples, parures (*paruris*), girdles and a corporas (*corporali*); a chapel of black cloth of gold comprising a dosser, a frontal, a frontlet with an altarcloth, three copes, a chasuble, two tunicles, three albs with amices, stoles, maniples, parures and girdles, a corporas and two curtains of black 'tartaryn'; a chapel of blue (*blodeo*) cloth of gold comprising a dosser, a frontal, a frontlet with an altarcloth, three copes, two chasubles, two tunicles, four albs with amices, stoles, maniples, parures, girdles and two curtains of blue 'tartaryn'; a

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chapel of white silken cloth comprising a dosser, a frontal, a frontlet with an altarcloth, three copes, a chasuble, two tunicles with amices, stoles, maniples, parures and girdles, a corporas and two curtains of white 'tartaryn' and a cope of white cloth of gold; a chapel of blue and white silken cloth comprising a dosser, a frontal, a frontlet with an altarcloth, three copes, a chasuble, two tunicles, three albs with amices, stoles, maniples, parures and girdles, two curtains of blue 'tartaryn' with a corporas; a chapel of blue, white and red comprising a dosser, a frontal, a frontlet with an altarcloth, three copes, a chasuble, two tunicles, three albs with amices, stoles, maniples and parures and two curtains of blue 'tartaryn'; a chapel of white 'tartaryn' comprising a dosser, a frontal, a frontlet with an altarcloth, a chasuble, an alb, an amice, a stole, a maniple and two curtains of white 'tartaryn'; a chapel of black 'sarisenet' containing a dosser, a frontal, a frontlet with an altarcloth, a chasuble, an alb, an amice, a stole, a maniple, four albs, four amices with parures and girdles of blue 'chamelet' for choristers, four albs, four amices with parures and girdles of red silk for choristers; a chapel of blue, white and red silken cloth comprising a dosser, a frontal, a frontlet with an altarcloth, a chasuble, an alb, an amice, a stole and a maniple; three blue cloths of gold with golden falcons, a red cloth of gold with golden trees, a red and white cloth of gold with golden leopards, a red cloth of gold *ragomas*, a blue and white cloth of 'baudekyn,' a chalice of silver-gilt with the arms of the countess on the foot, a pair of basins of silver-gilt, twelve silver dishes, five silver basins, two 'escuchons' and two rings (*circulos*) and a pair of basins of silver, two spoons of which one is golden and the other of beryl set (*hernesiatum*) in gold, a sword for the lists, a shield, a lance-head, eleven napkins (*mappas*), eleven cloths and towels (*manutergia*), two basins with a laver of silver, six dishes and four saltcellars (*sausaria*) of silver, a pot of silver, two silver pieces, a covered silver-gilt cup, six silver spoons, a covered silver saltcellar (*salsarium*), six brazen pots, three great pipkins (*patellas*), four pipkins of 'meslyng,' two little kettles, four spits (*verua*), a pair of 'rakkes,' a frying-pan (*cartaginem*), an iron gridiron (*craticulum*), dozens of vessels of 'peutre,' a black and red bed of 'baudekyn' containing a coverlet, a 'testur,' a 'celure' with three curtains (*curtinis*) of red 'tartaryn' and seven cloths (*tapetis*) of red 'worstede,' a missal, a vestment of red and white 'baudekyn' with a frontal, a dosser, a frontlet, two altarcloths and two curtains of red 'tartaryn.' By K.

May 4. Westminster. Whereas lately by letters patent (*see p.* 97) the king granted to John Caterynton and Petronilla his wife the custody of Joan Spenser, idiot, and all her lands within the city of London to the value of 20 marks yearly for her maintenance, and he now understands that there are other lands within the said city to the value of 10*l.* yearly belonging to her; he grants the custody of these to John Mareschall of Rycall, co. York, so long as they remain in his hands by reason of the said idiotcy. By p.s.

July 14. Westminster. Presentation of William atte Kyrk, parson of the church of Snelleslonde, in the diocese of Lincoln, to the church of Hawardeby, in the same diocese, on an exchange of benefices with Richard Bradley.

July 14. Westminster. Exemplification, at the request of John, bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, of the tenour of the enrolment of letters patent dated 11 August, 18 Richard II, granting licence for Richard, then bishop, to acquire in mortmain the advowson of the church of Denford, co. Northampton.

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July 16. Westminster. Licence, for 4 marks paid in the hanaper by the warden and college of vicars of the choir of the cathedral church of Exeter, for Richard Talbot, clerk, Roger Burnard, clerk, Adam Scot and Thomas Smyth, executors of the will of William Gervays, deceased, to grant in mortmain to them a shop in the city of Exeter, held of the king in burgage, in aid of their maintenance and for the celebration of the anniversary of the said William yearly in the said church.

July 16. Westminster. Grant to the king's kinsman Thomas Percy, earl of Worcester, steward, Thomas More, treasurer, and Thomas Brounflete, controller of the household, of all goods pertaining to the king by the forfeiture of Richard Colbroke *alias* Richard Frowyn of Colbroke, late one of the grooms of the scullery, who carried off at divers times a quantity of vessels of gold and silver of the household, and by the forfeiture of John York of Colbrok, 'spicer,' receiver of the same, who has had true justice, as appears by his acknowledgement before the coroner of London, to be applied to the making of other vessels of gold and silver to the king's use. By p.s.

Sept. 21. Westminster. Presentation of Nicholas Slake, king's clerk, to the church of Staneford, in the diocese of Lincoln. By p.s.

May 1. Westminster. Grant, during good behaviour, to the king's servant John Lambe, one of the yeomen of the king's chamber, of the office of gauger of wine in the Cinque Ports and their members, with the due wages, fees and profits. By K.

MEMBRANE 34*d.*

April 22. Westminster. Commission to John Drax, serjeant at arms, to seize all ships, barges and other vessels of the portage of 80 tuns of wine and more in all ports and places in the north with sufficient masters and mariners and in the presence of the mayor and bailiffs of the adjoining towns to order the owners and masters under pain of forfeiture to have them ready at Sandwich on Wednesday in Whitsun week at the latest to serve the king on his voyage, and to certify thereon to the king, and to arrest and imprison the disobedient. By K. & C.

The like to Thomas Wodyfeld, serjeant at arms, in the south and west; the ships to go to Southampton. By K. & C.

MEMBRANE 33*d.*

April 18. Westminster. Commission to John Arnold, serjeant at arms, to arrest John French and Robert Breme and bring them before the king and council with all speed. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 31*d.*

March 27. Westminster. Commission to John Wadham, 'chivaler,' William Burleston, John Copleston, Robert Frensshe, William Gibbe of Fenton and John Berye to enquire into the petition of Henry atte Beare and Margaret his wife that whereas Margaret Martyn and Thomas Heyham, clerk, were seised in their demesne as of fee of three cottages and one ferling and three acres of land in Aspryngton and two messuages, 6 cottages, 10 ferlings and 12 acres of land, 4 acres of meadow and 8 acres of wood in Hurberton, co. Devon,

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and in the time of Edward III granted the same to Henry Hastynge and Joan his wife and the heirs of their bodies, and accordingly Henry and Joan were seised of the premises and had issue one Robert and the said Margaret wife of Henry, and afterwards they died and the said Robert entered into the premises as their son and heir and had issue one John, and afterwards he died and during the minority of his son John Henry Cornu and Matilda his wife intruded into the premises without reasonable cause and granted the same to John, late earl of Huntingdon, for 10 years from Michaelmas, 17 Richard II, and afterwards the said John the son died without issue and the premises ought to descend to the said Margaret as his aunt and heir, and by an inquisition taken before John Lokyngton, clerk, and Richard Kays, one of the king's serjeants at arms, on the death of the said earl it was found that he was seised of the manor of Hirberneford at the time of his forfeiture and the premises were accordingly taken into the king's hands by the name of the manor and are still in his hands, restitution may be made to them. By K.

MEMBRANE 26*d*.

March 26. Westminster. Commission of oyer and terminer to Thomas Berkeley of Berkeley, Hugh de Waterton, Maurice Russell, Robert Whitynglon, John Derehurst and Robert Burdon, on information that, whereas all victuals of the king's lieges of the counties of Salop, Stafford and Hereford going by the river Sevarne to those counties from the towns of Bristol and Chappestowe and any other town and place have been accustomed time out of mind to be taken in boats without payment of custom or prest unless they were exposed for sale on land within the boroughs and towns adjoining the river, nevertheless the bailiffs and ministers of the town of Gloucester and city of Worcester have lately taken and still daily take such customs and prests, and the same bailiffs and ministers and the men of the forest of Dene compel the king's lieges aforesaid thus carrying corn and victuals along the river to sell them against their will, and divers of the king's lieges of the towns of Wircestre and Teukesbery and other boroughs, towns and hamlets within the counties of Worcester and Gloucester hinder divers lieges of the king from coming with corn to the town of Gloucester to sell the same there and commit divers extortions, oppressions, misprisions, forestallings and regratings. By C.

April 14. Westminster. Commission to Payn Tiptoft, Thomas Hesilden, Thomas Priour, Robert Goderych, Ralph Bateman and Nicholas Morys to enquire into the report that divers evildoers have entered the king's free warren pertaining to his castle of Cambridge at Chesterton, Milton, Histon, Cotenham, Gritton, Landbeche and Waterbeche, co. Cambridge, hunted therein and carried off hares, rabbits, pheasants and partridges.

MEMBRANE 23*d*.

April 29. Westminster. Commission of oyer and terminer to Thomas Berkelee, John Lovell, Peter Courtenay, Robert de Haryngton, Matthew Gournay, Humphrey Stafford, Ivo Fitz Waryn, William Stourton and John Manyngford touching certain evildoers who, when Thomas Neuton, esquire, late collector of the ulnage of cloths in the county of Somerset, came to Phelippes Norton, co. Somerset, and wished to proclaim the king's letters patent and other things touching his office in the fair lately held there to

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the effect that he and his deputies might more quietly use their office there, rose in insurrection and incontinently after the raising of three hearings by him assaulted him and killed one of his servants exercising the said office there, inflicting on the said Thomas more than a hundred mortal wounds, and followed certain deputies of his to kill them so that they scarcely escaped alive from the fair, and not content with this wander about from place to place doing evil. By K.

May 5. Westminster. Commission *de wallis et fossatis* to John de Staverton, one of the barons of the Exchequer, Robert de Asshefeld, John Cokerell and John Glemham in the marshes of the towns of Orford, Subbourn and Categrave, co. Suffolk.

MEMBRANE 20d.

May 20. Westminster. Commission to Thomas Clanvowe, 'chivaler,' John Brugge of Staundon, Stephen White and John Manus to enquire what lands Simon de Burley, knight, held of Richard II or others in the county of Hereford, what they are worth, on what day he died and who is his heir and who have occupied them since his death.

MEMBRANE 19d.

May 6. Westminster. Commission to Nicholas Dudle, mayor of Coventre, Richard Clerk, Thomas Purfray, John Onley, John Smythier and John Stiward to enquire into the petition of John Grauntpe of Coventre and Agnes his wife, sister of William de Feriby, clerk, deceased, who made forfeiture to the king on account of a judgement against him, that as after the marriage the said William was seised in fee simple of all lands, rents, services, meadows, pastures and hays with commodities and liberties late of them in Coventre and elsewhere within the county of Warwick to the effect of re-enfeoffing them jointly of the same and at the time of the judgement he died seised of the same without any such re-enfeoffment having been made and the premises were taken into the king's hands by the escheator of the county as forfeited, a remedy may be provided. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 18d.

May 5. Westminster. Commission to Payn Tiptot, Thomas Aylesbury, John Brunne, Thomas Hasylden and Ralph Bateman to enquire about certain evildoers who burnt the houses of the manor of Baldwin Seynt George at Sheperede, co. Cambridge, and perpetrated other evils. By C.

MEMBRANE 17d.

May 10. Westminster. Commission to Walter Fitz Wauter, on information that divers persons have found a mine of gold within the realm and conceal it from the king, to arrest all persons who may have knowledge of it and bring them before the king and council. By C.

April 22. Westminster. Commission to John de la Launde, Roger Welby, John Repyngale and the sheriff of Lincoln to enquire into the petition of Robert Scarclyf, clerk, and Nicholas Gascoigne that whereas they and John, lord le Warre,

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deceased, were seised of the manor of Bilyngburgh and all lands late of William Marmyon, 'chivaler,' in Broune, co. Lincoln, of the feoffment of William Ayrmyn, 'chivaler,' and William Palmere of Bilyngburgh to the effect that they should enfeoff Thomas, sometime earl of Kent, and Alesia his wife and their heirs of the same, and the three in the lifetime of John and after his death the said Robert and Nicholas continued their seisin without making the said feoffment until they were removed by John Asplion, clerk, and John Peraunt, serjeant at arms, by pretext of an inquisition taken before these by virtue of letters patent, by which it was found that they and others were enfeoffed in fee simple of the said lands in Broune, to the use of Thomas, late earl of Kent, son of the said earl, long before he rose in insurrection and likewise of the said manor and the said late earl received the profits of the manor, justice may be done.

By p.s.

May 17. Westminster. Commission to William Fulthorpe, 'chivaler,' Thomas Graa of York, Master Alan Newerk, Thomas Stanley of York, Nicholas Warthill of York and William Waghen of York to enquire into the alienation of divers lands pertaining to the hospital of St. Nicholas in the suburb of York, which is of the foundation of the king's progenitors and of the king's patronage, and the concealment of rents and services due to it.

MEMBRANE 16*d*.

May 16. Westminster. Commission to Robert Cadell, 'chivaler,' David Ogan, 'chivaler,' John Eustace, William Scryvener, the sheriffs of Dublin and Kildare and the mayor and bailiffs of Dublin to arrest brother Robert White wherever he may be in Ireland and bring him before the king and council in England.

By K. & C.

MEMBRANE 15*d*.

May 18. Westminster. Commission to Thomas Gerberge, 'chivaler,' William Argentein, 'chivaler,' the sheriff of Suffolk and Thomas Cravene, esquire, to summon Adam Payn, parson of the church of Brampton, before them and examine him about divers dishonest words and reasonings touching Richard II, deceased, and the king's estate and person spoken in the presence of him and Henry Benacre, lately his parish chaplain, by friar William Hedersete, of the order of Friars Minor, and to certify thereon to Chancery, or if the said Adam is unwilling to be examined before them to bring him before the king and council with all speed.

MEMBRANE 14*d*.

May 16. Westminster. Commission to John Chaundos, 'chivaler,' Walter Devereux, 'chivaler,' Kinard de la Bere, 'chivaler,' John Pauncefot, 'chivaler,' John Oldecastel, 'chivaler,' John Greyndore, 'chivaler,' John ap Henry and John Skydemore, on information that divers evildoers have assembled in the parts of South Wales in the lordship of Bergeveny and there committed divers homicides and other evils and propose to go from thence to the county of Hereford and the march of Wales to do the same or worse, to resist and take all such with the posse of the county and march if necessary, and after obtaining sufficient information to punish them. By C.

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May 27. Westminster. Commission of oyer and terminer to John Markham, William Hankeford, Robert Tirwhit, Robert Hull, Robert de Teye and Thomas Horneby, on complaint by the king's kinswoman, Matilda de Veer, countess of Oxford, that brother Henry Kebell, monk, brother John Sudbury, monk, John Inglesthorpe, John Broun, chaplain, John Thurgow, Richard Heved, Thomas Aleyn, John Wright of Colne, John Croydon, John Sonyld, Adam Cardemaker, Robert Bery, Stephen Tylere, John de Asshe, Geoffrey Hervy, Thomas Frensh, William Ookham, John Jegun, clerk, John Brigge of Halstede, John Glover of Teye, John Nowers, Robert Witton, clerk, Thomas Sonyld, John Hyherd of Hengham at the Castle, Robert Middilton, John Lok of Halstede, John Glasier of Halstede, William Otes of Little Hadham, Thomas Debenham, John Rampton the younger, John Stoure, Robert Oghan and other evildoers went armed to her mansion at Earl's Colne, co. Essex, broke her close, park and certain chests there, entered her free warren, hunted in the park and warren, besieged her in her mansion and threatened her with arson and other evils so that for a long time she dared not leave it, fished in her stews and several fishery there, carried off fish, deer, hares, rabbits, pheasants and partridges and charters, writings and other muniments concerning her right and inheritance and the right of the king after her death, assaulted, bound and illtreated her men and servants, threw some of them in ditches and detained them until they delivered up six horses of hers worth 20*l.* and goods and chattels. For 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

MEMBRANE 9*d.*

June 6. Westminster. Commission to John Scarle, clerk, Master Thomas Stowe, dean of the church of St. Paul, London, Master John Barnet, clerk, John Cheny, knight, Hugh Waterton, knight, John Frome, esquire, and John Durward, esquire, to hear and determine an appeal by Reginald Davy against a judgement given by Thomas Ogden, lieutenant of Thomas Rempston, the king's admiral in the west, in a maritime case lately brought in the king's maritime court before William Knoll, late substitute of John Hauley, late deputy of Thomas de Percy, earl of Worcester, late admiral of England, between the said Reginald, plaintiff, and John Broun, merchant of Bristol, defendant, on account of certain broken agreements and trespasses.

June 8. Westminster. Commission to Richard Kays, serjeant at arms, to arrest William Smyth of Tenderden and bring him before the king and council with all speed. By C.

June 14. Westminster. Commission to John Bellewe, 'chivaler,' Bartholomew de Verdon, 'chivaler,' David Ogane, 'chivaler,' William Nugent, 'chivaler,' Simon Loundres, Walter Plunket and James Verdon to arrest Thomas Flemyng, 'chivaler,' and Elizabeth his wife, Christopher son of Thomas Flemyng, Walter son of Matthew de Bermyngeham, Robert Sheffeld, John Fox, Henry Haberge, Henry Lange, John Cruys of Dromconragh, John Mey, John Cruys of Newcastle of Crewane, John Jordan and Peter Durford wherever they may be in Ireland and imprison them until the king by advice of the council of England shall make order for their delivery. By C.

June 15. Westminster. Mandate to the lieutenant, chancellor, justices and other officers and ministers of the king in Ireland not to deliver them from prison without such order. By C.

1401. *Membrane 9d—cont.*

June 28. Westminster. Commission of oyer and terminer to William Gascoigne, William Thirnyng, John Markham, Robert Tirwhit and Robert Morton, on complaint by Richard, archbishop of York, that whereas he and his predecessors have had time out of mind a ferry or passage across the river Trent at Flyntham and Gippesmere, co. Nottingham, and certain staithes there on either side of the river for the easement of men, horses and other animals crossing over, repaired at his own cost when necessary, Hugh Husee of Flyntham, 'chivaler,' and other evildoers assaulted his men and servants keeping the ferry and divers of the king's lieges wishing to cross and his tenants there, and used such threats that his tenants dared not stay on their holdings and the king's lieges dared not cross.
For 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

MEMBRANE 7d.

May 18. Westminster. Commission to the sheriff of Gloucester, in furtherance of a commission to John Chaundos and others (*see p.* 518) and on information that the evildoers have besieged William Beauchamp and his wife within their castle of Bergeveny, to cause proclamations to be made that all fencible men of the county are to be ready without delay to go with the said John and others when required and if necessary to the said castle to remove the besiegers. By C.

April 29. Windsor. Commission to Walter Devereux, William Lucy, Thomas Clanvowe, John ap Herry and Thomas del Hay to arrest John Filz Pieres and Maurice ap Meweryk and bring them before the king and council. By K.

June 16. Bristol. Commission to the lord of Berkeley, Matthew Gournay, William Frome, mayor of Bristol, William Stureton and Simon Oliver to deliver the prison and gaol of Bristol.
Memorandum.—These letters were sealed under the golden seal.

July 5. Westminster. Commission to Peter de Courteney, 'chivaler,' Hugh de Courteney the elder, 'chivaler,' William Bonevyll, 'chivaler,' John Herle, 'chivaler,' William Hankeford, 'chivaler,' Martin de Ferrers, Robert Hulle, John Prestecote and William Burleston to enquire about the concealment of certain sums of money due from the ulnage of cloth within the county of Devon in the times of Richard II and the king. By K.

MEMBRANE 6d.

June 15. Westminster. Commission to John Hull, 'chivaler,' Baldwin Malet, 'chivaler,' Robert Hull, Simon Michel, William Gosse and Richard Warde to enquire into the complaint of Hugh de Bylebawe, John de Bylebawe and Martin de Bylebawe, merchants and mariners of Spain, that when they had laden a barge called *la Marie* of Bylebawe in Spain with divers goods and merchandise to the value of 400*l.* there and put into the port of Bruggewater, co. Somerset, to sell the same, Hugh Lynde, John Hardewyk of Bristol and Richard Brakissh seized the barge there and carried off goods and merchandise to the value of 350 marks, and to keep the goods and merchandise safely until the ownership has been discussed by law.
By C.

June 18. Westminster. Commission to John de Mers, John Bell of Boston, John Porter of Quappelad and William Magelyn to enquire into the complaint of the men

1401. *Membrane 6d—cont.*

of the township of Soterton in the parts of Holand, co. Lincoln, that whereas all men dwelling within the hundred of Ryke in those parts accustomed to be taxed at a fifteenth or other subsidies ought to be assessed and taxed with them for payment of the fifteenth granted to the king in the last parliament as they have been time out of mind, and divers men of the township of Algerkirk in the said parts dwell within the said hundred and so ought to be assessed and taxed with them, nevertheless the assessors of the fifteenth without considering this have newly assessed these men with the other men of the township of Algerkirk dwelling within the hundred of Alger, and the collectors compel payment to be made accordingly.

MEMBRANE 4d.

July 6. Westminster. Commission *de walliis et fossatis* to Thomas Erpyngham, constable of Dover castle and warden of the Cinque Ports, or his lieutenant there, William Brenchesle, Robert Oxenbrigge, Thomas Oxenbrigge, William Marchaunt, William Bertyn, John Baddyng and Roger Stofold between the towns of Farlegh, co. Sussex, and Apuldre, co. Kent.

MEMBRANE 2d.

July 5. Westminster. Commission to Gerard Heron, 'chivaler,' John Mitford, Laurence de Acton, William Mitford and William Ludyngton to enquire into the report that whereas by an inquisition taken before John Mitford, escheator in the county of Northumberland, on Tuesday, the vigil of St. Laurence, 8 Richard II, it was found that John del Chambire held of the said king in chief on the day of his death 5 acres of land called 'Sandifordflat' within Gesmonth with a waste windmill by knight service and divers other lands and Alice his daughter was his next heir and of the age of twelve years and Thomas Heryngton and William Redmershill occupied the lands since his death, and by another inquisition taken before Sampson Hardyng and John de Bridlyngton on 30 October, 16 Richard II, by virtue of a commission of the said king it was found that the said Alice died seised in her demesne as of fee of the same and Thomas de Haryngton and William de Redmershull occupied them since her death, divers lands late of the said John de Chambyre, taken into the hands of the said late king for the above reasons, have been alienated in fee simple and otherwise by certain of the king's lieges of those parts to whom the said late king committed their custody by letters patent.

July 4. Westminster. Commission of oyer and terminer to Richard Grey of Codnore, Thomas Nevill of Furnyvall, William Gascoigne, William Thirnyng, Hugh de Shirley, Nicholas de Langford, Nicholas Moungomery, Thomas Caworth, John Markham, Edmund Stanford and Thomas Foliambe, on information that Robert Rye and certain other evildoers lay in ambush for George Birkes at Whitewell, co. Derby, and killed him at the high altar of the church.

MEMBRANE 1d.

July 7. Westminster. Commission to William Frome, mayor of Bristol, Robert Dudbrook, sheriff of the town, William Stourton and Simon Olyver to enquire about all treasons, insurrections, rebellions, conventicles and unlawful congregations within the town. By C.

1401. *Membrane* 1*d*—*cont.*

July 11. Westminster. Commission of oyer and terminer to John Hull, 'chivaler,' Hugh Huls, 'chivaler,' Robert Mauveisyn, 'chivaler,' Nicholas Bradeshawe, John Swynerton and John Knyghtley touching the bondmen and tenants in bondage of John Hampton of his manor of Kynfare, co. Stafford, who have leagued together to refuse their due customs and services.

July 15. Westminster Commission to Aubrey de Enderby, John Yerdebergh, William Candelesby and John Wyche to enquire about divers wastes and trespasses committed in the alien priory of Ravendale, co. Lincoln, in the king's hands on account of the war with France.

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MEMBRANE 19.

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July 8. Westminster. Licence, for 10 marks paid by him in the hanaper, for Reginald Traily of the county of Bedford to enfeoff Gerard Braybrok, 'chivaler,' the younger, Thomas Peyure, Edmund Hampden, John Hervy, John Warde, parson of the church of Northyevell, and John Herteshorn of his manor of Northyevell, except one acre of land in it which the king wishes to be reserved that Reginald may be his tenant, and the advowson of the church of the same town, held in chief.

July 6. Westminster. Whereas on 10 September, 1 Henry IV (*see p.* 333), the king granted to John de Elvet the custody of certain possessions, and these letters patent are invalid because no mention is made of the value of the premises or of previous grants to him; the king pardons to him the misprision and trespass in this and grants to him the custody, of the value of 24*l.*, from that date. By K.

July 12. Westminster. Mandate to all sheriffs and others in Ireland not to molest John de Stanley, 'chivaler,' late lieutenant of Ireland, to whom certain sums of money are due by the king for the custody of that land for the time when he was lieutenant, so that he cannot pay his own debts there for his expenses, as the king, with the assent of the council, wishes that these debts shall be respited until Christmas. By p.s.

July 10. Westminster. Pardon to John Warde, late servant of the prior of Pontefreyt, 'carter,' indicted for having on Saturday before St. Swithun, 1 Henry IV, at Overkellet stolen a horse worth 12*s.* of the goods and chattels of John Comyn of Overkellet. By p.s.

July 15. Westminster. Presentation of Thomas Bradle, chaplain, to the vicarage of the church of Wylyndon by Borne, in the diocese of Chichester, void by the resignation of Richard Elyngton.

July 12. Westminster. Pardon to the king's son Henry, prince of Wales, of the 200*l.* which were paid by the king to him in the month of May last and delivered to his esquire Robert Castill to take to him. By p.s.

April 4. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight Hugh le Despenser of the 100*l.* yearly which the mayor and commonalty of Bristol render yearly at the Exchequer for the farm of the town, in recompense of an annuity of 100*l.* from the custom and subsidy in the port of Lenne granted to him by letters patent, surrendered. By p.s.

July 18. Westminster. Revocation of the protection with clause *volumus*, for one year, lately granted by letters patent to Gerard Salvayn, knight, going on the king's service in the company of Henry de Percy, keeper of the town and castle of Berwick on Tweed, on the safe custody of the same, because he delays in the county of York, as the sheriff has certified.

July 15. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Thomas Lauton of 20*l.* yearly from 11 March, 1 Henry IV, from the petty custom in the port of Suthampton; in lieu of a grant to him by letters patent of that date (*see p.* 230), surrendered because invalid because it is not mentioned that he is to receive the 20*l.* yearly from the custom and subsidy of wools, hides and

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wool-fells in the port and also because all grants from this custom and subsidy in any port of the realm are void by reason of a statute in the last Parliament at Westminster. By p.s.

July 16. Westminster. Pardon to John Glover of Grymesby, *alias* John Scot, 'glover,' of Grymesby, *alias* John Glover lately dwelling in Grymesby, indicted for having in the first year of the reign killed William Barbour of Grymesby, *alias* William Barbur lately dwelling in Grymesby, at Grymesby, provided that this felony was committed a year and a day before this date. By p.s.

July 13. Westminster. Grant, during good behaviour, with the assent of the council, to William de Stokyngbrig of Lancastre of the office of second engrosser of the exchequer of Ireland with the accustomed fees and rewards. By p.s.

July 16. Westminster. Commission to Walter, bishop of Durham, John, bishop of Hereford, Richard, bishop of Bangor, Thomas de Erpyngham and John Cheyne, knights, Masters John Preen and Richard Holme, doctors of laws, and John Frome and John Curson, esquires, to hear and determine an appeal by Thomas Stokes, esquire, executor of the will of John Shakell, esquire, executor of the will of Robert Hauley, esquire, and his fellow in his acquisitions in arms and especially in the ransom of the count of Denia of the kingdom of Aragon, captured in the battle of Nazers under the standard of Edward, prince of Wales, and John Wroth, knight, pledge of the said John Shakell, against a judgement of Henry, earl of Northumberland, constable of England, in a case about the detention of one Alphonso, hostage for the said count, a prisoner of the said Robert Hauley, and the custody of the hostage and sums of money due for the ransom of the count before the constable and marshal of England in the military court between John Hoton, plaintiff, assignee of Matilda Hauley sister and sole heir of the said Robert, who died intestate, and the said John Shakell, defendant, and then between the said John Hoton and the said Thomas Stokes. [*Fœdera.*] By K.

June 27. Westminster. Grant to the king's son Thomas de Lancastre, steward of England and lieutenant of Ireland, of full power to grant all lands with emoluments and commodities acquired by the Irish in rebellion and war for lack of defence, other lands of which the Irish were of old or are now possessed, except those lands annexed for times past to the church, and all lands, rents, services, knights' fees, advowsons of churches with ecclesiastical benefices and other appurtenances forfeited to the king or his predecessors to suitable persons willing to be of the king's allegiance, to each according to their merit, to hold to themselves and their heirs and assigns or the heirs of their bodies or otherwise in tail or for life or lives, and also to grant all lands late of the English and derelict and wasted by war to tenants at a certain farm by advice of the council in fee simple or in tail or for life or for a term of years, provided that a proclamation be made inviting previous holders to claim them. By p.s.

June 28. Westminster. Grant for life to John Norbury, in lieu of a like grant to him by letters patent dated 5 November, 1 Henry IV (*see p.* 122), surrendered because invalid because no mention is made of the value of the premises or of other grants, and of the king's special grace and not at the supplication of him or anyone else but of the king's certain knowledge and mere motion, of the custody of the park of Haveryng atte Boure with the herbage and aftermath, pannage and afterpannage, browsing, brushwood and other profits and commodities and the fees, wages and profits pertaining to the custody, with all issues from 1 October, 1 Henry IV, notwithstanding that no mention is made of the value of the premises or of other grants. By K.

1401. *Membrane* 19—*cont.*

July 27. Westminster. Pardon to Robert Ward of Ledemham *alias* Robert Warde of Ledenham for the death of John Herryson of Syeston, 'bocher,' *alias* John Herrison of Seyston, 'bocher,' before Midsummer, 1 Henry IV. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 18.

Feb. 11. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John de Disworth of letters patent (*French*) of John de Moubray of Axiholm, lord of the barony of Brembre, dated at Eppeworth on the Annunciation, 38 Edward III, granting for life to the said John his servant, for bringing the news of the delivery of his consort of her firstborn daughter Eleanor, an annuity of 40*s.* from his manor of Melton Moubray.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

July 11. Westminster. Whereas Richard II, on account of the idiotcy of Joan Spencer, daughter and heiress of John Jurdan of London, lately by letters patent granted to John Kateryngton, clerk, and Petronilla his wife the custody of the said Joan and her lands within the city of London to the value of 20 marks yearly so long as they should remain in his hands, and at that time she held no lands in the city but 20 marks yearly rent from certain lands there, and Agnes Crosby and Thomas Bradewas have given the king to understand that by their great costs and pursuit it has been found by an inquisition taken before the mayor and escheator of London that she was also seised in her demesne as of fee of certain lands within the city extended at 26*l.* yearly, from which the king has granted to John Marchall 10*l.* yearly during her idiotcy; the king grants to the said Agnes and Thomas the remaining lands to the value of 16*l.* yearly so long as they remain in his hands, with the due arrears, provided that they answer for any surplus. By p.s.

July 14. Westminster. Grant to John Skillyngton, precentor of the cathedral church of Dublin in Ireland, that from 20 February last for four years he may study at the University of Oxford and in the meantime receive all fruits, rents and profits and other revenues from his benefice, notwithstanding the ordinance against absence from Ireland. By p.s.

July 15. Westminster. General pardon to Nicholas Hore, 'dier,' of Bristol and Isabel his wife. By p.s.

July 14. Westminster. Pardon to John de Hugh for the death of Thomas Wryght of Felton at the end of the town of Morpath towards the north on the feast of Trinity, 1 Henry IV. By p.s.

Westminster. Commission, during pleasure, to Roger Thresk of the office of the tronage and pesage of wools in the port of Berwick on Tweed and ports and places adjacent, receiving the accustomed fee.

July 19. Westminster. Presentation of John Tylton to the church of Colde Overton, in the diocese of Lincoln, in the king's gift by reason of the minority of Thomas son and heir of the duke of Norfolk. By p.s.

July 14. Westminster. Whereas on 8 September last by letters patent (*see p.* 38) the king granted to Simon Felbrigg the custody of the manors of Ledecombe Regis, co. Berks, Offord Clugny, co. Huntingdon, and Manton and Tykesore, co. Rutland, and these letters are void because they do not mention the value of the premises or other grants according to the statute in Parliament at Westminster, 1 Henry IV; the king pardons the trespass to him and grants the same to him notwithstanding the statute. By p.s.

1401. *Membrane* 18—*cont.*

June 28. Westminster. Grant for life to John Norbury, in lieu of a grant to him by letters patent dated 5 November, 1 Henry IV (*see p.* 122), surrendered because invalid because no mention is made of the value of the premises or of other grants, and of the king's special grace and not at the supplication of him or anyone else but of the king's certain knowledge and mere motion, of all tenths, fisheries, rents, and farms of Fruten, Calkewell, Galymot, Ostrewyk, and Bolyngton and all tenths, fisheries, rents, farms, revenues, profits, commodities and emoluments pertaining to the king within the county and castlery of Guynes and all lands, rents of lands, forests and woods pertaining to the king within the same without the walls of the castle with fines, issues, amercements, amends, ransoms, escheats, forfeitures, profits and emoluments from the office of the high bailiwick and the liberties, franchises and courts within the county and from the same county pertaining to the king, the custody of the castle of Guynes according to the form of a certain indenture, and all profits, commodities and emoluments from the waters of Scureflete, la Plasshe, Mellak, Hurtesflete and Melleplasshe with the water-mill by the castle of Guynes, with all issues from Michaelmas, 22 Richard II, notwithstanding that no mention is made of the value of the above or of other grants. By K.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 8 *December in the eighth year the king granted the custody of the castle with all the said tenths etc. to his son Thomas for life.*

July 5. Westminster. Grant to the king's kinsman Thomas de Percy, earl of Worcester, of 100 marks yearly for life and 500 marks yearly to him and the heirs male of his body from the issues of the castle and county of Pembroke, the castle and lordship of Tynbey, the castle and lordship of Kilgarran and the commote of Esterlowe from Easter last instead of at the Exchequer as granted to him before. By p.s.

Vacated because elsewhere in this year.

Aug. 18. Westminster. Whereas lately the king granted licence for Thomas, lord of Morley, to alienate in fee the manors of Buxton, Aldeby, Hokeryng and Folsham, co. Norfolk, and Walkern, co. Hertford, without fine, and no alienation was made by pretext of this except of the manor of Walkern, and he has alienated the other manors and the manors of Hengham and Swanton Morle and the hundreds of Eynesford and Fourehowe, co. Norfolk, held in chief, to Henry, bishop of Norwich, Robert, bishop of London, Robert de Scales, lord of Newesell, Thomas Erpyngham, 'chivaler,' Miles de Stapelton, 'chivaler,' Thomas Stanley, clerk, John Thorpe, clerk, John Birlyngham, clerk, William Rees, Robert Garveys, John Yelverton, James Billyngford and Richard Drewe and their heirs without licence, the king pardons the trespass in this, in consideration of the non-execution of the previous licence. By p.s.

Sept. 28. Westminster. Grant to the king's clerk John Faireford of the chancellorship in the collegiate church of Abergwily with the prebend of Llanpister annexed, in the diocese of St. Davids. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 17.

July 20. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the abbot and convent of St. Thomas the Martyr, Dublin, of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 10 May, 2 Richard II, inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Westminster, 26 November, 4 Edward III [*Charter Roll, 4 Edward III, No.* 27], inspecting and confirming earlier charters.

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2. Letters patent dated at Kilkenny, 31 March, 18 Richard II, granting to them in frank almoin a tenth part of the fee-farm of the city of Dublin to the value of 20 marks yearly, in furtherance of a grant by king John, with arrears.
3. Letters patent dated 8 May, 4 Edward III, exempting them from corrodies except one at each creation of an abbot.

For 8 marks paid in the hanaper.

Aug. 8. Westminster. Grant to Robert Keten, prebendary of Taghmon in the cathedral church of Ferns in Ireland, of licence for four years to receive all fruits of his prebend as though he were resident, notwithstanding the ordinance that non-resident holders of ecclesiastical benefices in Ireland shall pay two parts of the profits of their benefices in aid of the king's wars there. By p.s.

Aug. 4. Westminster. Presentation of Thomas Burdet, king's clerk, to the church of Aston Cauntlowe, in the diocese of Worcester. By p.s.

Aug. 4. Westminster. Pardon to John Brace, sheriff of Worcester, keeper of the king's prison within the castle of Worcester, for 85*l.* 2*s.* 8*d.* paid by him of his own money to John de Johan for 9 tuns of wine of Aquitaine bought from the latter by John Payn, the king's butler, to the king's use, as appears in a bill sealed with the seal of the butler, for the escape from the said prison of Richard Meteborn *alias* Sutton and William Gawnt, approvers charged with felony, Roger Dyer of Monemuth *alias* of Dounton, convicted in an appeal of felony at the suit of Richard Averill of Tippeton, Robert Kegesham, charged with felony and appealed at the suit of William Pyngull *alias* Pyngell for suspicion of felony, and William Boston, charged with felony. By p.s.

Aug. 6. Westminster. Grant to the king's clerk Richard Pittes of the prebend of Compton in the church of Wells, void by the death of John Choldesey. By p.s.

Mandate in pursuance to the keeper of the spirituality of the bishopric, the see being vacant. By the same writ.

Mandate in pursuance to the dean and chapter. By the same writ.

Aug. 7. Westminster. Presentation of Richard Sloughtere, parson of the church of Uphulle, in the diocese of Bath and Wells, to the church of Earl's Norton, in the same diocese, on an exchange of benefices with John Alampton.

MEMBRANE 16.

July 6. Westminster. Whereas on 15 October, 1 Henry IV (*see p.* 12), the king granted for life to Robert Hethcot the office of keeper of the mint within the Tower of London and the custody of the coinages of gold and silver within the Tower and elsewhere within the realm, and the letters patent are invalid because no mention is made of the value of the office and other grants, including an annuity of 10 marks granted to him for life by the king when earl of Derby from the issues of the lordship of Sutton, and he has surrendered them; the king pardons the trespass in this and grants to him the office, not exceeding the value of 40*l.* yearly, and the custody for life as above from the said date, notwithstanding the said grants, and another annuity of 100*l.* from the issues of the honour of Pontefract and the lordship of Knaresburgh granted for life to him and Joan his wife by the king on 27 June, 1 Henry IV, under the seal of the duchy of Lancaster. By K.

1401. *Membrane* 16—*cont.*

July 14. Westminster. Presentation of Adam ap Jor', chaplain, to the church of Wernesseny, in the diocese of Llandaff.

July 20. Westminster. Mandate to all wardens of the marches and others to permit George de Dunbarre, earl of March of Scotland, who has become the king's liege man, and his men to stay in and depart from the king's castles and other places, provided that they do not come in excessive numbers or in warlike manner and that they take oath for good behaviour. [*Fœdera.*]
By K. & C.

July 23. Westminster. Grant to John Cranebourne, chaplain, of the wardenship of the hospital of St. Mary, Osprynge, void by the resignation of John Carleton, chaplain.

July 2. Westminster Palace. Confirmation of letters of agreement between the king's kinswomen Philippa de Coucy, duchess of Ireland, and her sister Mary de Coucy, wife of the late Sir Henry de Bar. In certain processes in the court of Parliament of the king at Paris between the said Philippa, plaintiff, and Mary, defendant, concerning the successions of the late Ingelram, lord of Coucy, and Madam Isabel of England, his wife, their father and mother, Madam of Ireland claimed a right in the following things, viz. in the county of Soissons the half, because the county was acquired by her father during the said marriage, by which she ought to have a fourth because of her mother, and as for the second fourth because her father in his widowhood had bought Mary's fourth from her and so had three fourths and then was remarried to Madam Isabel of Lorraine, by whom he had in marriage a third daughter Isabel, also a half in the land of Origny in Theraisse for like reasons, also a fifth in the land of Oisy in Cambresis, also a sixth in the land of Pinon and Baigneux, also a third of the profits of the vintage of Laon, also a sixth in the land of Moncornet in Thieraisse, also a fifth for life in the land and castle of Ham in Vermendoiz, also in 1,800 pounds of Tours in the treasury of the king at Paris for the heirs and creditors of her father and mother a fourth part in right of her mother and a sixth part in the right of her father, because by the custom of France her mother's dower is the inheritance of the children born in marriage, also a right likewise in the house of her father in Paris and also a third in the barony of Coucy, viz. in the three castles of Coucy, la Fère and Marle; and Madam Mary maintained the contrary and principally that the barony and three castles aforesaid were indivisible and should belong to herself as heir and eldest daughter of her father, and she also said that Madam of Ireland had long possessed divers possessions of her father and mother in England worth more than all their possessions in France and she claimed a half in these or other right by reason of her seniority. And finally it was agreed that the barony and three castles were indivisible and should belong to Madam Mary as heir and eldest daughter and she should have all the possessions aforesaid and elsewhere in France, Almain and the county of Nydo or elsewhere out of England which Madam of Ireland claimed, and Madam of Ireland should have all the possessions of her father and mother in England, and each should bear their own expenses, and Madam of Ireland should be bound to have this agreement confirmed by the king of England. *French.*

June 16. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the abbot and convent of St. Mary, Dunbrothy, of letters patent under the seal used in Ireland witnessed by William de Wyndesore, lieutenant in Ireland, at Kilkenny, 8 February, 46 Edward III, being an exemplification, at the request of the abbot, of letters patent witnessed by the said lieutenant at Kilkenny, 24 January, 45 Edward III, pardoning their trespass in acquiring in mortmain from

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Thomas, bishop of Ferns, and the sovereign and commonalty of the town of Ross the priory of St. Saviour, Rosse, with the lands, rents and advowsons of churches annexed to it in the county of Weysford, viz. the church of Killesk, worth 1 mark yearly, and the church of Clondelethe, worth nothing because it has been destroyed by the Irish, and entering thereon before inquisitions had been duly returned to the chancery of Ireland, the priory being not held of the king and worth nothing yearly, as appears by inquisition, and granting licence for them to hold the same to the value of 2 marks in part satisfaction of a previous licence of 20*l.*

By p.s. and K. and for 13*s.* 4*d.* paid in the hanaper.

Aug. 8. Westminster. Presentation of Alan Thame, vicar of the church of Great Waltham in the diocese of London, to the moieties of the churches of Middelton and Colyntre, in the diocese of Lincoln, on an exchange of benefices with William Stoke.

Aug. 23. Westminster. Grant for life, during the war with France, to friar Thomas Kynaresle of the order of Friars Carmelites of 100*s.* yearly which the prior and convent of Lewes are bound to pay to the king during the war. By p.s.

Vacated because in the third year.

MEMBRANE 15.

July 20. Westminster. Licence for the alienation in mortmain to the prior and convent of Brydlyngton by William de Besyngby of Besyngby, chaplain, and John Tyndon, chaplain, of two messuages and 3 acres of meadow in Brydlyngton, by Thomas Storour, chaplain, and Thomas de Hedon of Merton of two messuages, two bovates of land and 4 acres of meadow in Willesthorpe, by the same Thomas, William and Thomas of a messuage and 12*d.* rent from a toft late of William de Kelk in the same town and the homage and service of his heirs, and by the same Thomas and Thomas and John de Ask and Robert Breet of two tofts and 4 bovates and 40 acres of land in Bukton, not held in chief and worth 40*s.* yearly, as appears by an inquisition taken before William de Skypwyth, escheator in the county of York, to hold in aid of their maintenance to the value of 10 marks yearly in part satisfaction of a licence by letters patent of Edward III.

June 28. Westminster. Grant to the king's kinsman George de Dunbarre, earl of March of Scotland, and Cristiana his wife and the heirs male of his body of the castle and lordship of Somerton, co. Lincoln, to hold by homage and knight-service, receiving any deficiency in the extent below the value of 500 marks yearly from the customs in the port of Boston; and grant to him for life of the manor of Clippeston in the forest of Shirwode. By K.

Vacated because in the third year.

Grant to the said George of 100*l.* yearly at the Exchequer for one year or during pleasure. By K.

June 27. Westminster. Licence for the king's son Thomas de Lancastre, steward of England, lieutenant in Ireland, to remove the common bench and exchequer in Ireland to places where he may please for the profit of the king and his people. By p.s.

July 2. Westminster. Grant to the king's clerk, Master Richard de Clifford of the custody of the temporalities of the bishopric of Worcester from this date so long as they remain in the king's hands, saving to the king knights' fees and advowsons, notwithstanding any assignment thereof made for the expenses of the household. By K.

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June 27. Westminster. Licence for the king's son Thomas Lancastre, steward of England and lieutenant in Ireland, to supervise and govern any officers of the king in Ireland, holding for life or otherwise, and their deputies and with the assent of his council to remove from office those whom he may find unfit or who do not duly exercise their office and to appoint others, excepting the chancellor, treasurer and chief baron of the exchequer. By p.s.

June 28. Westminster. Grant for life to John Norbury, in lieu of a like grant to him by letters patent dated 5 November, 1 Henry IV (*see p.* 122), surrendered because invalid because no mention is made of other grants, and of the king's special grace and not at the supplication of him or anyone else but of the king's certain knowledge and mere motion, of 40*l.* yearly from the issues of the hanaper from Easter last, with licence to retain all sums received by him by colour of the above letters, notwithstanding that no mention is made of other grants. By K.

Grant for life to the same, in lieu of a grant to him by letters patent dated 5 November, 1 Henry IV (*see p.* 122), surrendered because invalid because no mention is made of the value of the premises or of other grants, and of the king's special grace and not at the supplication of him or anyone else, but of the king's certain knowledge and mere motion, of the castle, manor, lordship and town of Ledes with knights' fees and advowsons, with all issues from 1 October, 1 Henry IV, notwithstanding, etc. By K.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because with his assent on 7 December in the fourteenth year the king granted the same to Joan, queen of England, with licence for her to grant the same to Thomas, archbishop of Canterbury, and confirmed the same to the latter for life.

July 20. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight John de Greily of 100 marks yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

July 21. Westminster. Pardon to John Yeonge of Aysshberton, 'tayllour,' for the death of John Fisshacre of Asshberton, 'taillour,' at Torrebryane on the night of Sunday before St. Thomas the Martyr, 1 Henry IV. By p.s.

May 12. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 8 August, 3 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 21 June, 40 Edward III, to John Kembald.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Aug. 2. Westminster. Grant for life to Henry de Conewey, 'chivaler,' of 40*l.* yearly from Easter last from the issues or farm of the lordship of Dynbegh so long as it remains in the king's hand by reason of the minority of any heirs of Roger son of Edmund, late earl of March and Ulster, as he had by virtue of letters patent dated [12 May,] 5 Richard II; the payment of 40*l.* yearly from the issues of the land and lordship of Kedewyng ceasing in the meantime. By p.s.

Aug. 4. Westminster. Presentation of Roger Gervays, parson of the church of Rotherfeld Grey, in the diocese of Lincoln, to the church of Busshey, in the same diocese and of the immediate jurisdiction of the abbot of St. Albans, on an exchange of benefices with John Balsham.

Aug. 12. Westminster. Grant to John Walyngton of the wardenship of the hospital of St. John, Briggenorth. By p.s.

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July 9. Westminster. Protection with clause *volumus*, for one year, for Janico Dartasso *alias* Dartas, esquire, staying on the king's service in the company of the king's son Thomas de Lancastre, lieutenant of Ireland, on the safe-custody of that land. By bill of p.s.

The like for the following:—

July 9. Westminster. Walter Skynner. By bill of p.s.

Sept. 29. Westminster. John Westbourne, 'barbour.' By bill of p.s.

Aug. 17. Westminster. Exemption for life of John Streche from being put on assizes, juries, attaints or inquisitions and from being made sheriff, coroner, escheator, customer, controller or collector of subsidies, fifteenths or tenths against his will. By p.s.

Aug. 23. Westminster. Grant to the king's kinsman Edward, earl of Rutland, lieutenant of Aquitaine, that if he die before his return from Aquitaine and his heir be a minor whereby his custody should pertain to the king, his executors for two years after his decease may have all issues of all lands of the inheritance of the heir for the payment of his debts. By K.

MEMBRANE 14.

June 28. Westminster. Grant for life to John Norbury, in lieu of a like grant to him by letters patent dated 5 November, 1 Henry IV (*see p.* 122), surrendered because invalid because no mention is made of the value of the premises and other grants, and of the king's special grace and not at the supplication of him or anyone else but of the king's certain knowledge and mere motion, of the manor and lordship of Cromelyn in Ireland with knights' fees, advowsons of churches, profits and commodities, with all issues from 1 October, 1 Henry IV, notwithstanding that no mention is made of the value of the premises or of other grants. By K.

July 21. Westminster. Letters of denization for Nicholas Morian of Venice, who has become the king's liege man. By p.s.

July 16. Westminster. Commission, during pleasure, to Thomas Pacchynge of Cicestre of the office of controller of the great and petty custom and the subsidy of 2*s.* on each tun of wine and 8*d.* on the pound in the port of Cicestre and ports and places adjacent, receiving the accustomed fee, provided that he execute the office in person, with the custody of one part of the coket seal. By bill of the treasurer.

July 26. Westminster. Presentation of Thomas Huggeley, parson of the church of St. Nicholas, Worcester, in the diocese of Worcester, to the church of St. Michael, Salwarp, in the same diocese, in the king's gift by reason of the minority of Richard son and heir of Thomas, late earl of Warwick, on an exchange of benefices with William Redepot.

The like of the said William to the said church of St. Nicholas, Worcester, in the king's gift by reason of the temporalities of the bishopric being in his hands, on exchange as above.

July 17. Westminster Whereas the king's liege John William of Kyngeswere, co. Devon, who as he asserts was captured by certain Irish rebels of the town of Dengell in the county of Desmond and sold by them to other Irish and there put

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to ransom of 800 marks, after his deliverance took from the said Irish of the said town, harness, armour and victuals to the sum of 40*l.*, which were seized at Dertemuth by the lieutenants of the king's admirals because he took them without the king's command; the king, with the assent of the council and because John Hauley of Dertemuth the younger, John Baker of Dertemuth, merchant, and John Gerard of Dertemuth, merchant, all of the county of Devon, and John Checheldon of London, 'grocer,' have personally made mainprise for him in Chancery, each in 250 marks, that he will not attempt anything against the present truce or harm any of the king's subjects, English or Irish, grants licence for him to recover from the town and countries of the said rebels in the said county up to the sum of his ransom and costs, and grants that he shall have livery of the said harness, armour and victuals to the said sum of 40*l.* By p.s.

July 16. Westminster. Whereas Richard II, for a fine of 1,000*l.* paid to him by the prior and convent of Mountgrace, of the Carthusian order, in the diocese of York, granted to them the alien priory of Ware with its possessions to the value of 245*l.* yearly during the war with France, and now the priory has been taken out of their hands; the king with the assent of the council, grants to them 100*l.* yearly at the Exchequer until they shall be provided by him with lands to that value, and a tun of the better red wine of Gascony yearly at Martinmas in the port of Kyngeston on Hull. By K. & C.

Vacated so far as concerns the 100*l. because Henry V on* 8 *June in his ninth year granted to them in frank almoin the alien priories of Longe Benyngton, co. Lincoln, and Fildallyng, co. Norfolk, pertaining to the abbot and convent of Savigny in Normandy, Hagh, co. Lincoln, pertaining to the abbot and convent of Cherbourg in Normandy, and Myntyng, co. Lincoln, pertaining to the monastery or house of St. Benedict on the Loire.*

July 26. Westminster. Whereas Thomas Thornton, deputy of Thomas Prendregest, searcher in the port of London and ports and places adjacent, lately seized a ship of Simon Bortyn of Prussia and his fellows in the port of Gravesende because divers merchandise were put in it without being customed, viz. 60 pieces of tin and six bowls of tin weighing 122 pounds and worth 30*s.* 6*d.*, 12 dozens of russet cloth worth 40*s.*, another dozen of cloth worth 16*s.* 3*d.*, 5 yards of blanket cloth worth 7*s.* 6*d.*, 11 yards of blanket cloth worth 6*s.*, 7 pairs of shoes worth 7*s.*, two piles of scarlet worth 6*s.* and one red pile worth 8*d.* and the said Simon and his fellows on account of the arrest made an affray, for which and for the non-payment of the custom the ship and all the goods and merchandise in it were forfeited, as he says, and the ship with a boat, a *viole*, three cables and four anchors and all its gear is valued at 50*l.* and the other merchandise in it as follows, viz. a chest of his full of harness at 6*s.* 8*d.*, a fardel of cloth, containing 16 dozens of divers colours at 18*l.* 8*s.*, and a dozen of white cloth at 6*s.* 8*d.*, and he and his fellows have made fine of 200 marks in the Exchequer; the king pardons them the trespass and the fine and grants that the ship and goods and merchandise shall be delivered to them. By p.s.

Aug. 9. Westminster. Licence for Nicholas Wafre, bachelor in laws, vicar of the church of Scryne, in the diocese of Meath in Ireland, to dwell for one year in England to study in the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge and in the meantime to receive all profits of his vicarage, notwithstanding the statute. By p.s.

July 6. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Whitney, one of the yeomen of the king's chamber, of the office of 'verger' of the castle of Sandwich,

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which Thomas Mewe lately had, with profits and commodities to the value of 100*s.* yearly, provided that he answer for any surplus. By p.s.

Aug. 13. Westminster. Licence, for 20*l.* paid by them to the king, for the abbot and convent of Pippewell to appropriate in mortmain the church of Eltyngdon, which is of their own advowson.

Aug. 12. Westminster. Grant for six years to the citizens of Winchester, for the good of the city and the repair of its walls, that they shall have allowance in the Exchequer of 40 marks from the fee-farm of 100 marks which they are bound to pay yearly. By p.s.

Aug. 16. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight William Lyle the younger of two tuns of wine yearly from the prise of the king's wines in the port of London, he paying to the chief butler for the king's use the accustomed price. By p.s.

March 22. Westminster. Grant for life, with the assent of the council, to the king's servant Maurice Abergeveny, one of the yeomen of the king's chamber, of 6*d.* daily from the issues of the county of Essex. By p.s.

Aug. 16. Westminster. Presentation of John Moryn, parson of the church of Quenynton, in the diocese of Worcester, to the church of Hamstede Marchal, in the diocese of Salisbury, on an exchange of benefices with John Chaundeler.

April 14. Westminster. Grant to the king's knight Richard Redman and his heirs of all lands late of Richard II in the town of Blencogo, not exceeding the value of 10*l.* yearly, which he had for life by letters patent of Richard II, confirmed by the king. By p.s.

Aug. 17. Westminster. Grant for life to Richard Was, for his good service to the king after he last put in to England, of a messuage in Thrisk, not exceeding the value of 4*s.* yearly, which was forfeited by one Thomas Chamberleyn because he adhered to the Scots and which one Joan Walker holds at present, rendering to the escheator in the county of York the said 4*s.* yearly, to hold to the said value, provided that he answer for any surplus. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 13.

Aug. 16. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant William Hoton of 6d. daily at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Like grants of 4*d.* daily to the following:—
John de Hoton. By p.s.
Thomas Forster. By p.s.

Aug. 28. Westminster. Licence, at the supplication of John, bishop of St. Asaph, who cannot maintain his episcopal state as in times past, for the bishops of Hereford, Volterra and Bangor to grant the parish church of Meyvot with the chapels of Pole and Kegitva, in the diocese of St. Asaph, to him to hold *in commendam* so long as he is bishop, in accordance with bulls of the pope. [*Fœdera.*] By p.s.

June 26. Westminster. Whereas lately after the marriage of John Grauntpee of Coventre and Agnes his wife sister of William de Feriby, clerk, deceased, who made forfeiture to the king on account of a judgement against him, the said William was seised in fee simple of all lands, rents, services, meadows,

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pastures and hays with commodities and liberties late of the said John and Agnes in the town of Coventre and elsewhere within the county of Warwick to the intention of re-enfeoffing them jointly of the same and at the time of the judgement he died seised of the same without any such re-enfeoffment having been made and the premises were taken into the king's hands by the escheator of the county as forfeited, and by an inquisition it was found, etc. (*as on p.* 506); the king, with the assent of the council, grants the premises to them (*as on p.* 506).
Vacated because elsewhere below. By K. and by p.s.

July 28. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Hunt of letters patent dated 27 August, 14 Richard II, granting to him for life 1½*d.* daily.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Aug. 22. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John de Rochefort, knight, of letters patent of John, bishop of Ely, dated at his manor in Holborne, 17 August 2 Henry IV, granting for life to the said John, with the assent of the prior and chapter of Ely, the office of the constableship of the castle of Wisebeche and a hall by the gate of the castle with chambers at each end of the hall and over the gate, with easement of a kitchen and a stable for three horses within the castle, and all other easements belonging to the office, with the custody of the castle and the holding of the bishop's courts, halmotes and leets, and his hundred there and the courts and leets of Tirington, Walpole and Walton, either in person or by a deputy considered fit by the bishop, and the safe-keeping of the prisoners in the castle, receiving the profits from them if the constables have had such in times past and answering for any risks of the prisoners. He shall receive two robes yearly, one for himself and one for his lieutenant, or 40*s.* for them and 20 marks yearly at the hands of the provost of the castle, 40,000 turves for his fuel, litter for himself and his servants, 12 cartloads of hay and litter for three horses, a bushel of oats daily for the horses and all other accustomed profits, and he shall find a competent porter at his own expense to keep the gates of the castle and do other things pertaining to the office of porter, and he shall do all things pertaining to the office of constable. For 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

Aug. 19. Westminster. Pardon to Alexander Forster for his breach of the king's prison within the abbey of Westminster and his escape from thence and all other felonies and misprisions, except treason, murder and rape. By p.s.

Aug. 20. Westminster. Licence, for 10 marks paid in the hanaper by Thomas de Brugge, for Nicholas Appurley, Henry Yakesley and Hugh Tyldisley to grant the manor of Harsfeld, co. Gloucester, held in chief, to him and Alice his wife for life, with successive remainders to the heirs male of their bodies, the heirs of the bodies of Thomas and Elizabeth sometime his wife, deceased, the heirs of his body and the right heirs of John Cassy, deceased.

Aug. 24. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Bitham of letters patent dated 14 December, 16 Richard II, granting that he shall be one of the king's serjeants at arms. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Sept. 1. Westminster. Presentation of Robert Samborn, vicar of the church of Leyton, in the diocese of London, to the church of Shadnesfeld, in the diocese of Norwich, on an exchange of benefices with Thomas Walsyngham.

March 18. Westminster. Grant for life to Thomas Beauchamp, 'chivaler,' of six bucks and six does yearly within the forest of Rachiche, co. Somerset. By p.s.

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Sept. 8. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Simon Camp of 40*l.* yearly from the petty custom of 3*d.* in the pound in the port of London. By p.s.

Sept. 2. Westminster. Grant to the mayor and burgesses of the town of Suthampton of 200*l.* yearly from the farm of the town from Michaelmas last for six years in aid of the repair and fortification of the town; in lieu of a like grant during pleasure by letters patent (*see p.* 240) surrendered. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 12.

Aug. 22. Westminster. Grant for life to Roger Appelby of the wool-beam in the town of Suthampton, which John Polymond had by grant of the late king in his houses by le Westhalle, to hold in the houses of Westhalle where it used to be, receiving from the merchants in the accustomed manner to the value of 10*l.* yearly beside the expenses of the house and answering for any surplus. By p.s.

Aug. 24. Westminster. Presentation of Philip Palmere, parson of the church of Bysley, in the diocese of Winchester, to the vicarage of Asshehurst, in the diocese of Chichester, on an exchange of benefices with John atte Pytte.

The like of the said John to the church of Bysley, on exchange as above.

Aug. 21. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Robert Frye of all lands late of Nicholas Waldebeof in the county of Wilts and taken into the king's hands because he killed John Lamport of Wilton within the county and fled, to hold to the value of 10 marks yearly. By K.

Aug. 20. Westminster. Licence, for 22*l.* paid by them to the king, for John de Leek, 'chivaler,' Richard Seyvyll, Thomas Ferrour and Roger del Chaumbre of Newerk to grant in mortmain six messuages, three cottages and 40*d.* rent in Newerk, not held in chief, to a chaplain to celebrate divine service daily in the church of St. Mary Magdalen, Newerk, at the altar of the Holy Trinity according to their ordinance.

Aug. 24. Westminster. Commission to John Straunge, Master John Derlyngton, clerk, Master John Welbourne, clerk, Master John Thorpe, clerk, Master Richard Brynkele, clerk, Oliver le Groos, Nicholas Wichyngham and Nicholas Blakeneye to hear and determine an appeal by Richard Broun, John Topy and John Stutevill against a decision of John Barnet, William Billesdon and Denis Lopham, appointed commissioners by letters patent dated 11 January last (*see p.* 417). By K.

Aug. 22. Westminster. Grant to the king's knight John Dalyngrugge, in lieu of another grant to him of the same by letters patent, surrendered, of the custody of the lordship of Retherfeld, co. Sussex, with the chace there and all other lordships, lands, rents, services, franchises, liberties and other possessions pertaining to the same, worth 64*l.* yearly, to hold to that value during the minority of the heir of Thomas, late lord le Despenser, and so from heir to heir, provided that he answer for any surplus at the Exchequer, maintain the houses, woods, enclosures and gardens without waste and support all other charges. By p.s.

Aug. 27. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's yeoman of the chamber John Whitneye of the office of parker of the park of Gyldeford with the wages, fees and profits pertaining to it, as John Fekenham, esquire, had while he lived. By p.s.

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Aug. 24. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent under the seal used in Ireland witnessed by James Buteler, earl of Ormond, justice of Ireland, at Kilkenny, 4 April, 17 Richard II, exempting Thomas de Walton for life from being put on assizes, etc.
By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Aug. 31. Westminster. Grant to the king's kinsman Henry de Percy of 500*l.* in each of the next two years from the following customs and subsidies, viz. 200*l.* in the port of London, 100*l.* in the port of Lenn, 100*l.* in the port of Boston and 100*l.* in the port of Kyngeston on Hull, to be expended on the making of a new bridge across the river Twede below the king's castle of Berwick by the supervision of the king's kinsman the earl of Northumberland, constable, and the king's brother the earl of Westmoreland, marshal, of England. By p.s.
Mandates in pursuance to the collectors.

Sept. 1. Westminster Grant to the king's clerk Thomas de Stanley, prebendary of Berleyhall in the collegiate church of Gnoushale, in the diocese of Coventry and Lichfield, of the prebend of Hengstrigg in the cathedral church of Wells, in the king's gift by reason of the temporalities of the bishopric of Bath being in his hands, on an exchange of benefices with Henry Balle. By p.s.
Mandate in pursuance to the dean and chapter.
Mandate in pursuance to the guardian of the spirituality of the bishopric, the see being vacant.

Sept. 11. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight Luder Garesscorfe, whom the king has retained for life, of 40 marks yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 11.

Aug. 18. Westminster. Mandate to the dean and chapter of the free chapel of Hastynges to admit Thomas Preston, chaplain, to the prebend of Marlepas in the said chapel, void by the resignation of Simon Hoke, to which Robert, bishop of Chichester, has admitted him at the king's presentation.

Aug. 16. Westminster. Grant to Thomas, earl of Worcester, steward, Thomas More, clerk, treasurer, and Thomas Brounflet, knight, controller of the household, of all goods late of Thomas Proudfote of Donemowe, co. Essex, and forfeited to the king on account of a felony committed by him, for the expenses of the household. By K.

Aug. 24. Westminster. Presentation of John Martyn, vicar of the church of Westonynge, in the diocese of Lincoln, to the church of St. Nicholas, Herteford, in the same diocese, on an exchange of benefices with George Tayllour.

Aug. 20. Westminster. Pardon to Thomas Capelore of Fowenhope, co. Hereford, for having on the morrow of the Invention of the Cross, 1 Henry IV, come to Fowenhope and there broken the house of Avice Poydras and stolen 40*s.* of silver of hers. By p.s.

Aug. 22. Westminster. Grant for life to John Colton of the office of parker of the parks of Crokham, co. Berks, with the custody of the warren there, together not exceeding the value of 3*d.* daily, from 7 February, 1 Henry IV, receiving the accustomed fees, wages and profits, and of 100*s.* yearly from 31 March, 1 Henry IV, from the issues of the manor of Odyam, co. Southampton, notwithstanding grants of the custody of the warren of Blakegrove, not exceeding the value of 10*s.* yearly, the office of keeper of the park of

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Lyskeret, not exceeding the value of 8*d.* daily, or other grants; in lieu of like grants to him by letters patent of the above dates, surrendered because invalid because no mention is made of the value of the premises or of other grants; and pardon to him of the trespass in this. By K.

Aug. 22. Westminster. Grant for life to Eleanor the wife of Nicholas Dagworth, 'chivaler,' of 40*l.* yearly at the Exchequer and the manors of Maunsfeld and Lyndeby in Shirwode, co. Nottingham, to the value of 90 marks yearly, from 31 October, 1 Henry IV, in lieu of another grant to her of the premises by letters patent, surrendered, and notwithstanding a grant to her husband. By K.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 4 June in the fourth year the king granted to her for life the 40l. yearly which William Willicotes of the county of Oxford, esquire, and his heirs pay at the Exchequer for the manor of Hedyngton with the hundred of Bolyngdene without the north gate of Oxford, and 18l. 4s. 8d. yearly from the fee farm of the town of Portesmuth, co. Southampton.

July 27. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Walter Lodenay of letters patent (*French*) of Roger Mortemer, earl of March and Ulster, dated at London, 11 March, 21 Richard II, granting for life to the said Walter, at the prayer of his sister the countess of Arundell and Pembroke, the keeping of his inn in London near Algate, receiving 4*d.* daily; and grant that during the minority of the heirs of the earl the said Walter shall have the said 4*d.* daily from the profits of a place called Shire, co. Surrey, in the king's hands by reason of the minority of the heir.

By p.s. and for 6*s.* 8*d.* paid in the hanaper.

Aug. 24. Westminster. Presentation of Thomas Taillour, 'chaplain,' to the vicarage of the church of Great Okebourn St. George, in the diocese of Salisbury and of the immediate jurisdiction of the dean of the church of St. Mary, Salisbury, void by the resignation of Thomas Sampson *alias* Bromley.

July 20. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the abbot and convent of St. Mary, Derley, of letters patent dated 20 June, 8 Richard II, inspecting and confirming with additions a charter of Henry II dated at Woodtsock. [*Monasticon, VI*, 859.] For 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Aug. 25. Westminster. Licence for the appropriation in mortmain by the prior and convent of Ronton of the vicarage of the church of Greneburgh, in the diocese of Coventry and Lichfield, which is of their own advowson, provided that a competent sum of money be appointed at the discretion of the ordinary for distribution among the poor parishioners according to the form of the statute in Parliament at Westminster, 15 Richard II.

For 20 marks paid in the hanaper.

Aug. 26. Westminster. Grant for life to Walter Brit of 5 marks yearly from the issues of the county of Wilts. By p.s.

Aug. 29. Westminster. Presentation of Richard Sterlyng, chaplain, to the vicarage of the church of Peuesey, in the diocese of Salisbury.

Sept. 1. Westminster. Grant to the king's clerk John Legburn of the prebend in the king's chapel of St. Stephen within the palace of Westminster which Robert Foulmer *alias* Reuell lately had, void by his death. By p.s.

Mandate in pursuance to the dean and college.

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Aug. 27. Westminster. Revocation of letters patent granting to the king's kinsman William Beauchamp the office of justice of South Wales, the lordship of which the king's son Henry, prince of Wales, has of the king's grant, because the said William has not exercised the office for a year past and so the men of the country have not been governed and sessions cannot be held. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 10.

July 1. Westminster. Licence, for 5 marks paid in the hanaper by the abbot, for Richard Busshell to grant in mortmain to the abbot and convent of Wynchecombe a messuage and a toft in Wynchecombe, not held in chief, and the reversion of two messuages in Wynchecombe, not held in chief, on the deaths of Vincent le Mason and Agnes his wife, to keep the obit of Katharine late the wife of the said Richard, deceased, and the obit of the said Richard after his death every year in the church of the abbey and to support other charges and works of piety according to his ordinance.

Aug. 16. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Byryton son of Oliver Byryton of the county of Salop of a writing (*French*) of William Bagot, 'chivaler,' William Wenlok, esquire, John Olney and John de Styuecle dated 15 February, 2 Henry IV, granting to him for life by command of Sir William de Beauchamp, lord of Bergeveny, a yearly rent of 100*s.* from the manor of Worefeld, co. Salop, and putting him in possession by the payment of 1*d.* For 40*s.* paid in the hanaper.

June 29. Westminster. Exemption for life of William de Calthorpe, 'chivaler,' from being put on assizes, juries, attaints, inquisitions or recognitions and from being made mayor, sheriff, escheator, coroner, justice, collector, assessor, taxer, surveyor or controller of tenths, fifteenths or other subsidy, arrayer, trier or leader of men at arms, hobelers or archers or other officer, bailiff or minister of the king against his will. By p.s.

Aug. 8. Westminster. Grant to the prior and friars of the order of Carmelites of Dublin, for the increase of divine service and in aid of their maintenance, of the chantry of the exchequer of Dublin, receiving 100*s.* yearly at the exchequer wherever it may be in Ireland, provided that they maintain the chantry by one of their brethren; in furtherance of like grants by letters patent dated 16 June, 9 Edward III, and 10 January, 18 Richard II. By p.s.

June 28. Westminster Grant for life to the king's knight Thomas Geney, whom the king has retained for life, of 40 marks yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Aug. 19. Westminster. Presentation of Thomas Veysy, parson of the church of Penne, in the diocese of Bath and Wells, to the church of Warkelegh, in the diocese of Exeter, in the king's gift by reason of his custody of the land and heir of Fulk Fitz Waryn, on an exchange of benefices with Laurence Whiteley.

Aug. 16. Westminster. Grant for life to Nicholas Barbour of 10*l.* yearly at the Exchequer from Michaelmas last, in recompense of a like grant to him from the custom and subsidy of wools, hides and wool-fells in the port of London by letters patent dated 14 November last, surrendered because invalid because of an ordinance in the last Parliament at Westminster; and grant to him also for life of the office of gauger in the port of Suthampton, which the king granted to him by letters before the coronation, with the fees and other profits belonging to it. By p.s.

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Aug. 20. Westminster. Pardon, for 10*l.* paid in the hanaper by George Felbrygg, esquire, to him and Anne late the wife of Robert Charles, knight, tenant in chief, of their trespass in intermarrying without licence.

Aug. 20. Westminster. Licence, for 20*l.* paid in the hanaper by the prior and convent of Dunemowe, for the alienation in mortmain to them in aid of their maintenance by Richard Martell of Dunemowe of a messuage, 360 acres of land, 8 acres of meadow, 24 acres of pasture, 16 acres of wood and 41*s.* rent in Clothale and Wallyngton, co. Hertford, not held in chief, and by John Park, vicar of the church of Poslyngworth, co. Suffolk, of 100 acres of land, 20 acres of meadow, 20 acres of pasture and 10 acres of wood in Poslyngworth, not held in chief.

Aug. 17. Westminster. Grant for the king's kinsman Henry de Percy, earl of Northumberland, constable of England, now warden of the castle and town of Carlisle and the west march towards Scotland, of the meadows, pastures and fisheries pertaining to the castle, with the profits thence from the date of the indenture by which he was retained as warden, with wood in the forest of Inglewede for fuel for his household, as long as he is warden. By p.s.

Aug. 24. Westminster. Grant to the king's clerks and servants John Prentys and John Arondell of 30*l.* of the goods late of Thomas Shelle, knight, deceased, and pertaining to the king by his forfeiture, in the hands of Guy Bracy, late escheator in the county of Buckingham. By p.s.

Aug. 20. Westminster. Commission, during pleasure, to William Renewell of London to take cables, ropes, cords, pitch, tar and other necessaries for the gear of the king's ships. By C.

Aug. 28. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Thomas Moruth of 40 marks yearly from 18 November last from the issues of the hanaper to be received at Easter and Michaelmas, in lieu of a like grant to him by letters patent of that date, surrendered because invalid because the term of Michaelmas is specified therein before the term of Easter. By p.s.

May 7. Westminster. Grant to Alice late the wife of Robert Bitterley, 'chivaler,' of 10*l.* yearly for life from the issues of the town of Wyndesore, and the mansion within the castle of Wyndesore, which she had of the assignment of Richard II. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender.

Aug. 28. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Walter Nevyle of 20*l.* yearly at the exchequer of Ireland. By p.s.

Mandate to the chancellor of Ireland to make out the necessary writs for payment of the said sum.

Sept. 21. Westminster. Pardon to William Smyth of Hardyngesthorn, co. Northampton, who found a golden brooch in the earth when ploughing and kept it to his own use. By K.

Sept. 15. Westminster. Grant to John Bathe of the prebend of Wyvelescombe in the cathedral church of Wells, in the king's gift by reason of the temporalities of the bishopric of Bath and Wells being in his hands through voidance. By p.s.

Mandate in pursuance to the guardian of the spirituality of the bishopric.

Mandate in pursuance to the dean and chapter.

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Membrane 10—*cont.*

Sept. 15. Westminster. Grant for life to John de Clynton, for his good service to Edward III, the king's uncle the prince of Wales, the king's father and the king, of 6*d.* daily at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled because on 8 *January in the tenth year the king with his assent granted the same for life to Nicholas Harewod, clerk of the stable.*

MEMBRANE 9.

Aug. 22. Westminster. Whereas lately by letters patent the king granted for life to his knight Francis de Court certain possessions late of Thomas, earl of Kent, and these are entailed to the heirs of the earl; the king grants the same to the said Francis until the heir of the earl shall be of full age and have livery of his lands, and afterwards grants to the said Francis and Joan his wife 600 marks, 23*l.* 5*s.* 6*d.* yearly at the Exchequer for life until they shall be provided with lands to that value; notwithstanding that Francis has the custody of all lands late of Maurice de Berkeley, 'chivaler,' during the minority of his heir. By K.

Aug. 31. Westminster. Whereas the pope lately made a provision to the king's clerk Nicholas Bubbewyth, one of the masters of Chancery, in the cathedral church of York and Richard II granted licence for him to execute the provision, and after the king's coronation the archdeaconry of Richemond and the prebend of Bool in the said church were vacant and the proctors of the said Nicholas took possession of the same and the king afterwards pardoned him; the king grants licence for him to sue his right in the same in the Court Christian and continue his possession. By p.s.

Sept. 9. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Franceys, servant of the king's farriery, for his good service to the king and the king's father, deceased, of 12*l.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

June 27. Westminster. Grant to Edmund Holand, earl of Kent, of the manors of Aton and Hemelyngton, co. York, which are parcel of the lordship of Wake and entailed to him and do not exceed the value of 40*l.* yearly and have come into the king's hands by the death of Joan Heselrik, to whom Joan, late princess of Wales and lady of Wake, granted them for life, to hold during his minority to the said value in aid of his maintenance, provided that he answer for any surplus at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Sept. 9. Westminster. Pardon to Robert Bukton, constable of the castle of Eye, co. Suffolk, and keeper of the king's gaol in it, for the escape of John Benteley, lately detained there for felony. By p.s.

Sept. 11. Westminster. Grant for life to Robert Fauconer of Derlyngton of 3*d.* daily from the issues of the county of York. By p.s.

Aug. 23. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the abbot and convent of Alnewyk of letters patent dated 8 November, 9 Richard II, granting licence for them to appropriate in mortmain the church of St. Dunstan in Fletstrete, London. By p.s. and for 10*l.* paid in the hanaper.

Sept. 12. Westminster. Grant for life to Robert Lincoln, clerk of the king's chapel, of a messuage and 6 acres of land in Swyneshede lying at Gonyldbrygge and Byker, co. Lincoln, of the value of 40*s.* yearly, late of Robert Mynton, deceased, which were taken into the hands of Richard II as forfeited because the said Robert Mynton was outlawed for felony in killing John Barker of Paynton and died without heir and remained there for ten years

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and more and have come into the king's hands, as appears by certificate of John Toup, late escheator in the county, and which were held of the said king as of the honour of Richemond, to hold to the above value.

By p.s.

Sept. 14. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the prioress and nuns of Clerkenwell of letters patent dated 20 February, 4 Richard II, inspecting and confirming a charter dated at Westminster, 20 March, 11 Edward III [*Charter Roll, 11 Edward III, No.* 61], inspecting and confirming the following:—

1. A charter of Stephen dated at London.
2. A charter of Henry II dated at Westminster.
3. A charter of Henry II dated at Woodstock.

For 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

Sept. 17. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight William de Lyle de Rougemond, whom the king has retained for life, of 40*l.* yearly at the Exchequer.

By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because with his assent on 11 *August in the ninth year the king granted the same for life to John, earl of Somerset.*

Sept. 10. Westminster. Grant for life to Edward Fauconer of 20*l.* yearly at the Exchequer, in recompense of grants to him of the office of 'waterbaillie' of Dover and 10*l.* at the Exchequer by letters patent of Richard II, surrendered, and 10 marks at the hands of the sheriff of Northampton by letters patent of Richard II which have been accidentally lost and will be surrendered if found, as he has taken oath.

MEMBRANE 8.

Aug. 24. Westminster. Presentation of John Skamelby, chaplain, to the church of Wykampton, in the diocese of Norwich.

Grant to the king's esquire Thomas Hasilden of the custody of the park and warren of Great Chesterford, co. Essex, which have come into the king's hands among other lands assigned in dower to Elizabeth late the wife of Thomas Moubray, late duke of Norfolk, because she has married without licence and contrary to her oath, to hold with the wages and fees belonging to the custody so long as it remains in the king's hands.

By p.s.

Sept. 4. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant William Raynton of Calais of 6*d.* daily at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Aug. 6. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Norbury, esquire, and Petronilla his wife of letters patent (*French*) of Ralph, earl of Westmoreland, dated 8 November, 1 Henry IV, granting to them for life 40*l.* yearly from the manor of Chesthunt, co. Hertford, and 20*l.* yearly from the manor of Bassyngburn, co. Cambridge; and grant to them of the same for life, as the said earl has only a life-estate in the manors.

By p.s. and for 50*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Sept. 5. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Shelford of the office of the wapentake of Morleyston, co. Derby, from 12 November, 1 Henry IV, with the fees, profits and commodities belonging to it to the value of 11*l.* yearly, in lieu of a grant to him by letters patent of that date, surrendered because invalid because mention is made of the office of bailiff instead of

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the office of wapentake, notwithstanding that the king when earl of Derby granted to him 4 marks yearly for life at the hands of his receiver general. By p.s.

Sept. 5. Westminster. Grant for life to William Roker, who has become so languid that he cannot serve the king, of 10*l.* yearly from the issues of the petty custom of the port of Calais. By p.s.

Sept. 12. Westminster. Presentation of John Dodde, parson of the church of Brantefeld, in the diocese of Lincoln, to the vicarage of the church of Everton, in the same diocese, in the king's gift by reason of the temporalities of the alien priory of Okburne being in the king's hands on account of the war with France, on an exchange of benefices with Thomas, late vicar.

July 10. Westminster. Commission to R. bishop of Bangor, Masters Thomas Stowe, dean of the church of St. Paul, London, John Prene and Nicholas Risshton, doctors of laws, Master William Stieukeley, advocate of arts, Hugh Huls, knight, Hugh Waterton, knight, William Faryngton, knight, and John Frome, esquire, to proceed in an appeal by William Hert, citizen and 'baker' of London, against a judgement given by William Fulthorpe, lieutenant of the king's kinsman the earl of Northumberland, constable of England, in the king's military court in a cause in which Idonia Hert, executrix of the will of Robert Greneacre, knight, deceased, claimed that he had received from the said Robert at Bordeaux 22 tuns of wine and a sum of gold to the value of 231 marks. Commissioners were appointed by letters patent (*see p.* 231) to proceed in the appeal, but they dismissed it because the said William could not appear. By p.s.

Sept. 10. Westminster. Licence for Nicholas Bubbewyth, king's clerk, to sue his right in the archdeaconry of Richemund and the prebend of Bool in the Court Christian and elsewhere and continue his possession (*as on p.* 540). By p.s.

Sept. 12. Westminster. Whereas John Benfeld, William Benfeld his son of the parish of Wonkefeld, Geoffrey Mogonhode of the parish of Cloworth and Walter Dolwyn of the parish of Benfeld lately became pledges of one Stephen Taillour of Warefeld and they and Stephen bound themselves in 40*l.* in the court of the Marshalsea that he and his friends would keep the peace towards John Strete and his friends, and he and others lay in wait for the said John Strete by his lodging and wounded him, so that the penalty of the obligation has been incurred; the king grants to his servants Henry Cawode, Andrew Dirham, John Cateby and Fithian Mascy, yeomen of the kitchen, the said 40*l.* By p.s.

Sept. 17. Westminster. Presentation of John Pekke, king's clerk, to the church of St. Mary, Wolcherche, London, in the diocese of London.

Sept. 6. Westminster. Whereas time out of mind the inhabitants of the town of Gravesende have been accustomed to ship in their own vessels all persons coming to the town and wishing to go from thence to the city of London by water until lately certain persons of the city have come with their own vessels to the town and there shipped persons to the city and converted the moneys received to their own use, the king grants to the inhabitants of the town and their heirs and successors that they may ship in their own vessels all persons coming to the town and wishing to go to the city by water, receiving as much from each person as in times past. By p.s.

Sept. 18. Westminster. Pardon to Robert Persiour of Makesey for the death of Alan Lortimer at Makesey on Sunday before the Exaltation of the Cross, 1 Henry IV.

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Sept. 19. Westminster. Commission, during pleasure, to John Kymberle of the office of controller of the great and petty custom and the subsidy of 2*s.* in the tun and 8*d.* in the pound in the port of Ipswich and ports and places adjacent from Michaelmas last, receiving the accustomed fee, provided that he execute the office in person, with the custody of one part of the coket seal. By bill of the treasurer.

Sept. 5. Westminster. Pardon to John son of Thomas Cok of Holbech, bastard, charged with having on Sunday, the Translation of St. Benedict, 1 Henry IV, killed Thomas Wymer of Holbech keeping the king's night watch at Holbech and also with having on Sunday before St. Thomas the Martyr, 1 Henry IV, wounded Thomas Wymer, keeping night watch, with an iron stick on the head at Holbech, from which blow the latter languished for eighteen days and died confessed on the eighteenth day. By p.s.

Sept. 8. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Walter Intebergh, at the supplication of William Lymster, of the custody of the park of Fekenham, co. Worcester, with fees, wages and other profits belonging to it, in lieu of a like grant to the said William by letters patent, surrendered. By p.s.

Sept. 19. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Henry Blechley of the office of parker of the king's park of Blore, co. Stafford, with the accustomed wages, fees and profits, as Robert Swynerton, deceased, had. By p.s.

Aug. 21. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Brightwell, one of the yeomen of the king's cellar, of certain lands and rents in Ireland late of John Fakenham and in the king's hands by his death, to hold to the value of 10 marks yearly, provided that he answer for any surplus at the exchequer of Ireland, notwithstanding that he has 5 marks yearly from the issues of the honour of Leicester of the grant of the king's father, deceased. By p.s.
Vacated by surrender.

Sept. 22. Westminster. Presentation of Robert Germethorpe to the church of Byflete, in the diocese of Winchester, void by the resignation of John Hunt.

MEMBRANE 7.

Sept. 2. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the abbess and Sisters Minoresses of the order of St. Clare without Algate, London, of letters patent dated 12 December, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 28 August, 22 Edward I.
2. Letters patent dated 23 August, 27 Edward III.

And grant that no justice, mayor etc. shall have any jurisdiction within the close and precinct of the abbey except in treason and felonies touching the crown. By p.s.

Sept. 25. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Matthew de Gournay, 'chivaler,' of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 9 May, 4 Richard II [*Gascon Roll*, 4 *Richard II*, *m.* 5], inspecting and confirming letters patent (*French*) of Edward, prince of Wales, dated at the city of Engolesme, 15 June, 1370.
2. Letters patent dated 21 July, 9 Richard II, granting to him and his heirs a parcel of land called Maresyn in the Landes of Bordeaux which he conquered and revoking letters patent granting the same to John de Holand at the time when Matthew was in prison. By p.s.

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Sept. 17. Westminster. Whereas Thomas Stangrave of Lincoln lately before the mayor and bailiffs of Lincoln recovered 100*s.* debt and 40*d.* damages from William Grene, chaplain, but never had execution and the said William falsely sued a writ of trespass to retard the execution and caused the said Thomas to be outlawed while he was in Ireland and on this account the 100*s.* and 40*d.* are forfeited to the king; the king grants them to William Stangrave his son. By p.s.

Sept. 29. Westminster. Pardon to Philip Smyth, vicar of the church of Glasebury by the town of Haye, in the diocese of St. Davids, who has had his vicarage for about twelve years by virtue of a grace of the pope, after the statute of provisors was affirmed in the time of the late king, and grant that he may enjoy it. By p.s.

Sept. 22. Westminster. Whereas Edward III by letters patent granted licence for John de la Hide to grant in mortmain an acre of land and 1*d.* rent in Little Merlawe and Dorneye with the advowson of the church of Dorneye to the abbess and convent of Burnham, co. Buckingham, and for them to appropriate the church in mortmain, and the said John accordingly granted the same to them, and afterwards on the resignation of William Shippelake, parson, they presented Master John Banebury to the church and he was admitted and instituted in the time of Richard II, and afterwards he resigned and the abbess and convent held the church and still hold it to their own use by virtue of the said licence and grant and by pretext of the amortization and appropriation made by pope Urban and the bishop of Lincoln, ordinary of the place, and the dean and chapter of Lincoln; the king, for 20*s.* paid in the hanaper, confirms their estate therein. By K.

Sept. 28. Westminster. Pardon, for 2,000 marks to be paid to the king, viz. 500*l.* at All Saints next, 500 marks at Whitsuntide following, 500 marks at All Saints following and 250 marks at Whitsuntide following, to Robert Gousill, esquire, and Elizabeth late the wife of Thomas, duke of Norfolk, tenant in chief by knight-service, of their trespass in inter-marrying without licence, and grant that they shall have restitution of all lands assigned to her in dower, with the issues from the time of the marriage.
Vacated because otherwise below. By K.

Aug. 23. Westminster. Grant to the king's son the prince of all debts, rents, farms, fines, issues, amercements, accounts, wards, marriages, reliefs, wrecks, waifs, evasions, arrears and other profits due to the king within the principality of Wales, the duchy and county of Cornwall and the county of Chester and not granted to other persons before 8 November, 1 Henry IV; in lieu of another grant of the same by letters patent, surrendered because ineffectual. By p.s.

Sept. 22. Westminster. Licence for Angelo, cardinal priest of St. Laurence in Damaso, to take possession of the canonry and prebend of Blebury in the cathedral church of Salisbury, void by the consecration of Master Richard Clifford as bishop, with which the pope has provided him. [*Fœdera.*] By K.

April 4. Leeds Castle. Grant for life to John Wallepole, 'taillour,' of 5 marks yearly at the Exchequer, in lieu of a like grant to him from the custom and subsidy of wools, hides and wool-fells in the port of Boston by letters patent, surrendered. By K.

MEMBRANE 6.

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Sept. 18. Westminster. Commission to Robert de Hilton, 'chivaler,' Master John Neweton, clerk, Master William Cawode, clerk, John Suthwell, clerk, Alan Newerk, clerk, Robert Ragenell, clerk, Richard Norton, Nicholas Gascoigne and Hugh Arderne, to proceed in and determine an appeal by John Scot of Scardeburgh, merchant, against a judgement of Master John Fynchyngfeld and John Urban, lieutenants of Thomas Rempston, admiral in the west, in a cause in the court of Admiralty first before the king's kinsman Thomas Percy, earl of Worcester, admiral of England, and his lieutenants and afterwards before the said Thomas Rempston and his lieutenants between the said John Scot, plaintiff, and John Burrard and Peter Botiller, defendants, and a separate cause before the said Thomas Rempston, and his lieutenants between the said John Burrard, plaintiff, and the said John Scot, defendant. By p.s.

Sept. 20. Westminster. Grant to the king's clerk Nicholas Bubbewyth, in furtherance of a licence by letters patent (*see p.* 542), that he may have full execution of the papal grace and provision. By K.

July 15. Westminster. Grant for life to the widow Agnes late the wife of Benedict Sutton, 'chivaler,' of 10*l.* yearly from the issues of the county of Salop in aid of her maintenance. By p.s.

Mandate in pursuance to the sheriff.

Sept. 28. Westminster. Pardon, for 2,000 marks to be paid to the king by mainprise of Thomas Chaworth, 'chivaler,' Hugh Shirley, 'chivaler,' John de Leek, 'chivaler,' and Henry Babyngton of the county of Nottingham and William Ilsawe of the county of Stafford, viz. 500*l.* at All Saints next, 500 marks at Whitsuntide following, 500 marks at All Saints following and 250 marks at Whitsuntide following, to Robert Gousill, esquire, and Elizabeth late the wife of Thomas, duke of Norfolk, tenant in chief by knight service, of their trespass in inter-marrying without licence, and grant that they shall have restitution of all lands assigned to her in dower, with the issues from the time of the marriage. By K.

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Nov. 2. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 24 April, 8 Richard II, granting a tenement to Simon Hillary and Margaret his wife for life. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

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Aug. 24. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Henry Godard of letters patent dated 27 November, 19 Richard II, granting to him for life 40*l.* yearly. By p.s. and for 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

June 28. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Clopton of letters patent (*French*) of Thomas, duke of Gloucester, earl of Essex and Buckingham, constable of England and lord of Holdernesse, dated at his castle of Plecy, 8 December, 20 Richard II, granting to the said John his servant the office of constable of his castle of Caldecote in Wales, receiving yearly for life 100*s.* from the issues of the lordship of Caldecote. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Aug. 19. Westminster. Grant to the king's knight Richard Redman, in lieu of a like grant to him by letters patent dated 23 April, 22 Richard II, which are invalid on account of the omission of divers words which should be in them, of the custody of all lands late of Richard de Kirkebrid, knight, deceased, tenant in chief, during the minority of Richard de Kirkebrid his son and heir with issues to the value of 20 marks yearly and the marriage of the heir without disparagement, and so from heir to heir, provided that he find a competent sustenance for the heir, maintain the houses, woods, enclosures and gardens without waste, support all charges and answer for any surplus. By p.s.

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Aug. 26. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent (*French*) of Joan, lady of Basset, Antony de Ritz and Nicholas Aldrewych dated at Richemond, 12 August, 1399, appointing William Newesom, esquire, constable of their castle of Richemond and master forester of the New Forest, co. York, with the nomination under him of a porter of the castle, two foresters at the foot of Swyntonhowe, a forester at Hope, two foresters of Bowes and two foresters of Arkelgarthdale. He shall have from their receiver of Richemond 100*s.* yearly for the master constableship and 100*s.* yearly for the master forestership and the porter shall have the accustomed fees, the forester of Hope 5*s.* yearly and the other foresters each 10*s.* yearly.
By p.s. and for 10*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Sept. 9. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Colton and John Abeldieu of letters patent dated 28 April, 19 Richard II, granting to each of them for life 5 marks yearly. By p.s.

April 15. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the prioress and convent of white nuns of Whiston in the suburb of Worcester of letters patent dated 4 February, 16 Richard II, granting licence for them to acquire in mortmain lands and rents not held in chief, to the value of 10*l.* yearly; provided that at all acquisitions they shall exhibit those letters patent and the present ones as usual for endorsement in Chancery. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 5.

Sept. 22. Westminster. Grant for life to Thomas Percy the son of 40*l.* yearly at the Exchequer in lieu of a like grant to the king's knight William Leisle the elder by letters patent of Richard II, confirmed by letters patent of the king, surrendered. By p.s.

Sept. 14. Westminster. Whereas one Nicholas Torcell of Venice has given the king to understand that his brother had four pieces of strait cloth of Gildeford which the clerk of the king's custom promised from day to day to seal and delayed so long that a galley was prepared to cross and so the cloths were put on it uncustomed with seven dozen vessels of pewter, 47 pairs of shoes, a remnant of white cloth, three dozen strait cloths of Essex and 9 yards of white cloth and 4½ yards of cloth of russet of divers poor men for their vesture who had no more goods; the king pardons the trespass in this.
By p.s.

Sept. 21. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's brother John, earl of Somerset, chamberlain of England, of the place or inn called 'la Tour' late of Alice de Wyndesore and the lands late of John Weston and Reymund Bers in Westonneslane annexed to it within the parish of All Hallows the Less on the Solar in Thamestrete, which John, late earl of Huntyngdon, had of the grant of the said Alice and which have come into the king's hands on account of his forfeiture and are not extended beyond the sum of 26*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* yearly.
By K.

Sept. 22. Westminster. Presentation of Thomas Barton, vicar of the church of Hyston, in the diocese of Ely, to the church of Harnhull, in the diocese of Worcester, on an exchange of benefices with John Yong. The letters are directed to the guardian of the spirituality of the bishopric, the see being vacant.

Sept. 24. Westminster. Grant to Thomas Biriton, esquire, servant of the king's kinsmen, Edmund Mortymer, son and heir of Roger Mortymer, late earl of March

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and Roger his brother, of 10*l.* yearly during their minorities from the castle, manor and lordship of Wyggemore, provided that these 10*l.* have not been assigned for the expenses of the household. By p.s.

Sept. 20. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight Hans Shellendorf of 40 marks yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Sept. 28. Westminster. Grant for life to Joan late the wife of John Harewedon of all lands, rents and possessions pertaining to her by gift or dower from which she was expelled because before the passage of Richard II to Ireland she was married to one John Franceys who was accused to the king of having been at the death of his uncle the duke of Gloucester, with all issues after the king's arrival in England. By p.s.

Sept. 27. Westminster. Grant to the king's clerk John de Scarle of the archdeaconry of Lincoln. By p.s.

Mandate in pursuance to H. bishop of Lincoln.
Mandate in pursuance to the dean and chapter.

Sept. 21. Westminster. Mandate to the escheator in the county of Somerset for the restitution of the temporalities of the bishopric of Bath and Wells to Henry Bowet, late archdeacon of Lincoln, doctor of either law, whom the pope has appointed bishop on the translation of Richard, bishop elect, to the church of Worcester, and who has renounced everything prejudicial to the king in the papal bull and whose fealty the king has taken. By K.

The like to the escheators in the following counties:—
Dorset.
Middlesex.
Southampton.
Gloucester.
Berks.

Writ *de intendendo* in pursuance to the tenants.

March 18. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant John Pritewell, yeoman of the king's chapel, in furtherance of a like grant to him during pleasure by letters patent of Richard II, of the office of purveyor of necessaries for the works within the palace of Westminster and the Tower of London, receiving such wages as he used to have. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because with his assent on 28 October in the eleventh year the king granted the same to John Seintclere for life.

Sept. 27. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's knight Richard Darrundell, brother of William Darrundell, 'chivaler,' of the manor of Bensted with knights' fees and the park and warren there and all lands in Wauton and Charlewode, co. Surrey, with the advowson of the church of Wauton, to hold as fully as the said William and Agnes his wife, who died without issue, held the manor and lands of the grant of Richard II by letters patent, to the value of 80 marks yearly, provided that he answer for any surplus. By p.s.

Sept. 21. Westminster. Mandate to the escheator in the county of Worcester for the restitution of the temporalities of the bishopric of Worcester to Richard, late bishop elect of Bath and Wells, whom the pope has translated and appointed bishop and who has renounced everything prejudicial to the king in the papal bull and whose fealty the king has taken. [*Fœdera.*] By K.

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The like to the escheators in the following counties:—
Middlesex.
Gloucester.
Warwick.
The like to John Fraunceys, mayor of London, escheator in that city.
The like to the mayor of Bristol, escheator in that town.
Writ *de intendendo* in pursuance to the tenants.

Sept. 27. Westminster. Grant to the king's clerk John de Scarle of the archdeaconry of Lincoln, in the king's gift by reason of the temporalities of the bishopric being lately in his hands. By p.s.
Mandate in pursuance to H. bishop of Lincoln.
Mandate in pursuance to the dean and chapter.

Sept. 25. Westminster. Grant for life to Maud Boys the wife of William Boys of 10 marks yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Sept. 16. Westminster. Presentation of John Wandesford, vicar of the church of Promehull, in the diocese of Canterbury, to the vicarage of the church of Westebury, in the diocese of Bath and Wells, on an exchange of benefices with John Vyan.

Sept. 15. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Thomas Trewyn of 13*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 4.

Sept. 26. Westminster. Commission to Walter, bishop of Durham, John, bishop of Hereford, Richard, bishop of Bangor, Thomas de Erpyngham and John Cheyne, knights, Masters John Preen and Richard Holme, doctors of laws, John Frome, John Curson, Richard Whityngton, Drugo Barentyn, John Hopcrone, John Cokkyng and Robert Thorley to hear and determine an appeal concerning the hostage and ransom of the count of Denia (*as on p.* 524). By K.

July 4. Westminster. Writ of aid for the king's clerk William Denys, whom on the intimation of William Beauchamp of Poywyk, 'chivaler,' constable of the castle of Gloucester, that divers defects exist in the castle, the king has appointed clerk of the works to survey and repair these defects and to take stone-cutters, carpenters and other workmen and labourers and stone, timber, tiles, shingles, glass, iron, lead and other necessaries and carriage for the same, with power of arrest. By p.s.

Oct. 17. Westminster. Commission, during pleasure, to John Bradbrugge of the office of controller of the great and petty custom, and the subsidy of the 2*s.* in the tun and 8*d.* in the pound in the port of Chichester and ports and places adjacent, receiving the accustomed fee, provided that he execute the office in person, with the custody of one part of the coket seal.
Vacated because in the third year. By bill of the treasurer.

March 11. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent dated 5 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 12 June, 37 Edward III, to Thomas Durant. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Sept. 9. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's servant Simon Blissot of the office of ranger of the king's forest of Kyngisbere, co. Southampton, with the wages, fees and profits pertaining to it as Robert Graywell, late ranger, had while he lived. By p.s.
Vacated because in the third year.

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July 4. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's esquire Walter Tamworth of the office of chief porter within the priory of Bathe, with the due wages, fees and profits. By p.s.

Oct. 23. Westminster. Revocation of letters patent (*see p.* 440) granting for life to Robert de Shore the office of porter of the almshouse of St. Leonard within the city of York, with the custody of the granges of Acom and Benyngburgh.
Vacated because in the third year.

Aug. 8. Westminster. General pardon to Thomas Dyngge of Wyssyngdene, co. Rutland, for all offences committed by him except murders and rapes. By p.s.

The like to John Dycon *alias* John Barnard of Brailles, co. Warwick, *alias* John Dygyn *alias* John Brook of Evysham, co. Worcester.
By the same writ.

March 19. Westminster. Grant for life to John Loterell, 'chivaler,' of 16*l.* yearly at the Exchequer beyond the 40*l.* yearly granted to him for life at the hands of the sheriff of Somerset and the 10*l.* yearly granted to him by the king's father and confirmed by the king at Kyngeston Lace at the hands of the receiver of the duchy of Lancaster. By p.s.

MEMBRANES 3 and 2.

March 14. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to the prior and sub-prior and convent of Kenilleworth of the following:—

1. Letters patent dated 10 May, 13 Richard II, inspecting and confirming earlier charters.
2. Letters patent dated 4 March, 8 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 10 March, 4 Edward III.
3. A charter dated at Westminster, 25 February, 11 Richard II. [*Charter Roll*, 11-13 *Richard II*, *No.* 26.]
4. Letters patent dated 15 October, 25 Edward III, granting licence for them to acquire land in Lokkesleye, co. Warwick.
5. Letters patent dated 14 August, 16 Richard II, granting licence for them to acquire land in Huchenden, co. Buckingham.

For 20 marks paid in the hanaper.

Membrane 2—cont.

June 28. Westminster. Grant for life to the king's kinsman George de Dunbarre, earl of March of Scotland, of the manor of Clippeston in the forest of Shirwode. [*Fœdera.*] By K.

June 7. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to John Dromond, parson of the church of Asshe, and his successors of letters patent dated 4 March, 7 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 18 January, 30 Edward III. By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

May 1. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to Richard de Markham of letters patent dated 20 March, 1 Richard II, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 6 May, 40 Edward III, granting to him for life 10 marks yearly.
By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

March 14. Westminster. Grant to the king's brother Thomas Beaufort and his heirs and assigns, in lieu of a grant by letters patent dated 18 November, 1 Henry IV (*see p.* 176), surrendered because invalid because no mention is made of

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the value of the manors or of other grants, of the manors of Seintlyng in Seint Marycreye, co. Kent, Knell, co. Sussex, and Crokkeseston, co. Southampton, of the yearly values of 20*l.*, 40 marks and 10*l.* respectively, to hold from that date with knights' fees, advowsons of churches and other benefices exceeding the tax of 20 marks, wards, marriages, reliefs, escheats, franchises, liberties and other profits and commodities to the said value, provided that he answer for any surplus, notwithstanding certain other grants. By p.s.

June 26. Westminster. Whereas by an inquisition taken before Nicholas Dudle, mayor of Coventre, Richard Clerk, Thomas Purfray, John Onley, John Smythier and John Styward by the king's commission (*see p.* 517), it was found that after the marriage between John Grauntpee of Coventre and Agnes the sister of William de Feriby, clerk, deceased, who made forfeiture to the king on account of a judgement against him, the said John by charter enfeoffed the said William in fee simple of all his lands, rents, services, meadows, pastures and hays with commodities and liberties in Coventre and elsewhere within the county of Warwick to the effect and under the condition of re-enfeoffing him and Agnes of the same, to hold to them and the heirs of their bodies with remainder to his heirs, and the said William had no estate therein except under that condition; the king, with the assent of the council, grants to them all the premises, not exceeding the value of 20*l.* yearly, which were taken into his hands by the escheator in the said county, to hold to them and their heirs from the time of the said judgement. By K. and by p.s.

May 9. Westminster. Grant, with the assent of the council, to the king's knight John Cornewaill and the king's sister Elizabeth Lancastre, countess of Huntingdon, his wife, of the manors of Fremyngton, Combemartyn with the borough, Barnestaple with the borough and knights' fees, Southmolton with the borough, Dertyngton with knights' fees, Wynkeletracy and Blakeburghboty with parks, hundreds, franchises and other appurtenances, late of John Holand, late earl of Huntingdon, so long as they remain in the king's hands by reason of the minority of his heir, and so from heir to heir, to hold to the value of 218*l.* 15*s.* 8*d.* yearly in deduction of 1,000 marks yearly which they have of the king's grant by letters patent from the petty custom in the port of London, notwithstanding any grant for the household. By K.

MEMBRANE 1.

Jan. 12. Westminster. Licence for Richard de Elvet, dean of the collegiate church of St. Mary Newark, Leycestre, to found a chantry of one chaplain to celebrate divine service daily in the same church for the good estate of the king and John Elvet, clerk, and for their souls after death and the souls of the king's father and Constance the king's mother, deceased, and to keep the anniversary of the said John after his death according to the ordinance of the dean; grant in mortmain to the dean of the advowson of the church of Arnale, co. Nottingham, in the diocese of York, which the king lately had of the grant of the said John, with licence to appropriate the church in mortmain to find the said chaplain, provided that a vicarage be sufficiently endowed and a competent sum of money from the fruits of the church be distributed yearly among the poor parishioners according to the ordinance of the ordinary; and licence for the prior and convent of la Launde to release to the dean and chapter a pension of 4 marks from the said church.

By K. and for 10 marks paid in the hanaper.

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MEMBRANE 19*d*.

July 14. Westminster. Commission to John Caux to take 30 ships and vessels of the portage of 30 tuns of wine and more for the passage of the king's kinsman Edward, earl of Rutland, lieutenant of Aquitaine, and others of his retinue to the parts of Aquitaine in all ports and places towards the west with their masters and mariners and bring them to the port of Suthampton with all speed. By C.

The like to John Bytham, serjeant at arms, to take 20 ships and vessels within the liberty of the Cinque Ports and in all ports and places from thence to Suthampton and there. By C.

July 12. Westminster. Commission of oyer and terminer to William Thirnyng, John Holand, Giles Malory, John Wythmale and Robert Lumley, on complaint by Ralph Grene that John Asser the elder, John Sherman of Hegham Ferrers, Robert Chisell, John Blome of Stanwyg and Thomas Prikke of Cotes and others broke his closes and houses at Raundes and Lufwyk and his park at Sudburgh and Bristok, co. Northampton, hunted in the park, razed his houses at Raundes, carried off a horse worth 100*s*. there, cut down his trees there and fished in his stews at Lufwyk and carried off fish and trees and other goods and threatened William Bocher, farmer of his manor of Cotes and appointed to collect his rents there, contrary to the peace of Richard II and the king, whereby he dared not collect these and complainant lost his profit of the manor.

For 2 marks paid in the hanaper.

July 9. Westminster. Commission to John Michell, serjeant at arms, and Laurence Mond, master of a ship of the king called *le Holygost de la Tour*, to take mariners for its governance.

The like to the following:—

Thomas Wodyfeld, a serjeant at arms, and Richard Elys, master of a barge of the king called *Nicholas del Tour*.

John Brembre, master of a barge of the king called *la Godegrace del Tour*.

MEMBRANE 18*d*.

July 14. Westminster. Commission to John Hull, Hugh Holes, Walter Cokesey, Richard Ryhale, John Derhurst, Robert Whitynton, Henry Haggeley, Thomas Throkmerton and Thomas Belue of Wircestre to enquire who broke, devastated and burnt the hays and enclosure of the coppice of the abbot of Westminster within his wood called 'Horwelwodd,' co. Worcester.

July 14. Westminster. Commission to John Arundell, 'chivaler,' John Tremayn, John Syreston and the sheriff of Cornwall to enquire into the petition of Reginald Godrevy of the county of Cornwall that whereas Henry Godrevy his father, whose heir he is, in the time of Edward III was seised in his demesne as of fee of 6 messuages, a mill and 3½ carucates of land in Killien Wartha, Treworian, Nansmyn, Kayl, Little Kayl, Tregaswyth, Goesleen and Rescasaek, co. Cornwall, and granted the same to John Beaupre, knight, and Margaret his wife for life, saving the reversion to himself and his heirs, and they were accordingly seised thereof and afterwards Edward, prince of Wales, caused the same to be taken into his own hands and so held them during his life, and afterwards the said John and Margaret and Henry died and the right in the premises descended to the said Reginald and on the death of the prince they came successively to the hands of Edward III and Richard II and the king and are still in the king's hands, they may be delivered to him. By K.

1401. *Membrane* 18*d*—*cont.*

July 10. Westminster. Commission of oyer and terminer to Thomas de Berkele of Berkele, John Lovell, Peter Courtenay, Thomas Erpyngham, William Gascoigne, Matthew Gournay, William Rikhill, William Brenchesle, Thomas Skelton, William Stourton and John Manyngford in the counties of Southampton, Wilts, Somerset and Dorset. By C.

July 24. Westminster. Commission to John Hull, Hugh Huls, Maurice Russell, Richard Ryhale and Thomas Brugge to enquire into the complaint of Richard Whytyngton and Hugh de Byseley that whereas Richard II by letters patent granted to them the custody of a messuage, a carucate of land and 4*l.* rent in Frampton on Severn, co. Gloucester, which were taken into his hands for certain causes among other lands by David Vaghan, late escheator in the county, with issues from the time of seizure until it should be discussed in court whether they should pertain to the king or not, so that they should answer for the issues if adjudged to the king at the Exchequer, and they were in possession for no small time, but nevertheless James Clifford and John Staure, who married Elizabeth Clifford, one of the daughters and heiresses of John Clifford of Denewey, entered therein without process of law and expelled them and still occupy the premises, a remedy may be found.

MEMBRANE 16*d.*

July 22. Westminster. Commission to William Beauchamp of Poywyk, 'chivaler,' John de Berkele, 'chivaler,' Richard Ruyhale and John Derhurst to enquire about divers trespasses and oppressions committed against John atte Wode and Alice his wife by James Clyfford and Anselm Gyse and their accomplices in the county of Gloucester and to certify thereon to the king and council. By C.

MEMBRANE 14*d.*

July 15. Westminster. Commission to John Cope, sheriff of Northampton, John Harlyngton and John Bailly to arrest John Burgeys and 'John that was Thomasservant Gerard' and bring them before the king and council on the morrow of St. Peter ad Vincula. By C.

Aug. 20. Westminster. Commission to Nicholas Maudyt, serjeant at arms, to arrest Master John Cheyne, clerk, and bring him immediately before the king's own person. By K.

Aug. 20. Westminster. Commission to John Cheny, 'chivaler,' William Wilcotes, Thomas de Brugge, John Durehurst and the sheriff of Worcester to enquire who carried away the goods of the abbot of Evesham to the value of 100*l.* at Morton Abbots and assaulted his bondmen and servants.

Aug. 22. Westminster. Commission to Hugh Burnell, 'chivaler,' Thomas Asteley, 'chivaler,' Robert Burgulon and Robert Russell to enquire into the report that certain evildoers, scheming to hinder the king's lieges, merchants and others, going by the roads and highways between the towns of Bermyngham and Stratford and the town of Alcestre to the markets of Colleshull, Bermyngham, Walshale and Duddeley in the counties of Worcester and Warwick, from buying and selling corn, victuals and other necessaries there, assembled in divers conventicles and veiling their faces with masks with garments turned in the manner of torturers and carrying machines called 'gladmeres' and other instruments lay in ambush and assaulted the king's lieges going to and from the markets and put them and their

1401. *Membrane* 14*d*—*cont.*

horses to flight, so that the women and children riding on the horses with sacks filled with corn fell off and some died and some were injured, and cut the sacks and scattered the corn along the roads. By C.

Aug. 24. Westminster. Commission to John Arnald, serjeant at arms, to arrest John Bernard of Ipswich, late controller of the customs and subsidies in the port of the town, with the memoranda touching his office and bring him before the king and council. By C.

Aug. 20. Westminster. Commission to John Maiheu, master of the king's ship called *la Trinite*, to take 60 mariners for the governance of the same to the parts of Gascony. He is not to take any beyond that number or any already taken for the passage of Edward, earl of Rutland, lieutenant of Gascony. By C.

MEMBRANE 13*d*.

Aug. 16. Westminster. Commission of oyer and terminer to Edward Courtenay, 'chivaler,' the younger, John Cornewaille, 'chivaler,' Robert Chalons, 'chivaler,' John Arundell, 'chivaler,' John Treverthyan, 'chivaler,' William Hankeford, 'chivaler,' and Thomas Reymond touching certain evildoers who killed Reginald Bailebien at Alvyngton, co. Devon, and their procurers and receivers, and all counterfeiters and falsifiers of the king's money and great seal within the county. By K.

MEMBRANE 12*d*.

Aug. 26. Westminster. Commission to John Cheyne, 'chivaler,' Walter Deverose, 'chivaler,' Roger Mortymer, Roger Plowefeld and John Ewyas of Bromyord to enquire who killed Thomas Stannesbache of Bromyord at Bromyord, co. Hereford, and assaulted and wounded William Ranves there and at whose procurance these things were done and who received the offenders.

MEMBRANE 11*d*.

Aug. 22. Westminster. Commission to Simon Blakbourne, serjeant at arms, to arrest James Grancestre, esquire, and bring him before the king and council. By C.

Aug. 27. Westminster. Commission to John Cheyne, 'chivaler,' John Dalyngrugge, 'chivaler,' William Barnherst, John Derehurst and John Rode to enquire who broke the park of John, bishop of Hereford, at Prestebury, co. Gloucester, and entered his free warren there and hunted therein and carried away deer, hares, rabbits, pheasants and partridges.

MEMBRANE 10*d*.

July 31. Westminster. Commission to Robert Spellowe, serjeant at arms, to take a ship of the portage of 100 tuns of wine, ten other ships each of the portage of 60 tuns and a victualling ship of the portage of 80 tuns in the counties of Cornwall and Devon for the passage of Matthew Gournay, 'chivaler,' steward of Landes, 39 men at arms and 60 archers and his horses to the parts of Aquitaine on the king's service with masters and mariners for the same and take them to the port of Plymmouth to be ready at ——— next. He is not to take any beyond that number or any already taken for the passage of Edward, earl of Rutland, lieutenant of Gascony. By C.

1401. *Membrane* 10*d*—*cont.*

Aug. 16. Westminster. Commission of oyer and terminer to John Lovell, William Thirnyng, William Rikhill, William Sturmy, John Rede and Laurence Dru touching certain evildoers who killed William Staverton at Sunnyng, co. Berks, and assaulted and wounded John Hynden and Robert Longe at Cokham, co. Berks, and their procurers and receivers. By C.

Aug. 20. Westminster. Commission *de walliis et fossatis* to Peter Courtenay, 'chivaler,' Humphrey Stafford, 'chivaler,' William Boneville, 'chivaler,' Thomas Brook, 'chivaler,' John Strech and John Manyngford along the sea coast and elsewhere at Bristol, Mertok, Taunton, Yevelchestre, Welyngton, Dunsterre, and at Bruton and Severn and in all places between Bristol and Dunsterre and between Bruton and Severn, co. Somerset.

Aug. 26. Westminster. Commission to John Berkele, 'chivaler,' William Beauchamp of Poywyk, 'chivaler,' Robert Whityngton, Robert Poyns, Richard Ryhale and Thomas Brugge to enquire about divers trespasses and oppressions committed against John atte Wode and Alice his wife by James Clifford and Anselm Gyse and their accomplices in the county of Gloucester contrary to the peace of Richard II and the king and to certify thereon to the king and council. By C.

MEMBRANE 9*d*.

Sept. 1. Westminster. Commission of oyer and terminer to Hugh le Despenser, 'chivaler,' touching certain treasons in South and North Wales. By p.s.

Sept. 19. Westminster. Commission of oyer and terminer to John Hulle, William Hankeford, John Wadham, Robert Hulle the elder, Robert Hulle the younger, William Burleston, John Prestecote and Thomas Reymond on information that John Falewille and John Forster have counterfeited the king's money within the city of Exeter and elsewhere in the county of Devon and forged divers groats, half groats, pennies and half pennies of pewter and other metal and committed divers other treasons and felonies.

MEMBRANE 5*d*.

Sept. 22. Westminster. Commission to Gerard Sprong, esquire, to take carriage for the king's guns and crossbows to Wales.

Sept. 21. Westminster. Commission to Thomas, earl of Arundel, Edmund, earl of Stafford, Thomas, earl of Worcester, Thomas Nevylle of Halomshire, Hugh Burnell, John Hill, Hugh Holes, John Burle, John Knyghtle and Thomas Lee to enquire about all treasons, insurrections, adherencies to the king's enemies, murders and rapes in the county of Salop. By K.

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MEMBRANE 28.*

Oct. 18. Shifnal. Commission to David Gamme and John Hauard to arrest Rees Kiffyn, esquire, and bring him before the king in person. By K.

Oct. 15. Shrewsbury. Order to the sheriff of Gloucester to cause a proclamation to be made that, although divers men in North Wales have lately risen in insurrection and imprisoned, killed and despoiled divers of the king's lieges, no one shall do anything to the king's lieges of South Wales on this account, but they may come into and out of England with their goods and merchandise so long as they are of good behaviour. By K.

The like to the sheriffs of the following:—
Bristol.
Hereford.
Worcester.

Oct. 16. Shrewsbury. Appointment, during pleasure, of the king's kinsman Edward, earl of Rutland, as keeper and governor of North Wales with the supervision and safe-keeping of all the king's castles and fortified towns in those parts. By K.

Oct. 7. Bangor. Protection, during good behaviour, for Jevan Lloyt, parson of the church of Llanllechet in North Wales, and the parishioners of that town, who have appeared before the king in person and submitted to his grace; as Owen de Gleyndourd and others of North Wales have lately risen in insurrection and killed, imprisoned and despoiled divers of the king's lieges and committed arson and other crimes. By K.

Oct. 9. Carnarvon. Commission, during pleasure, to John Boolde, knight, of the custody of the king's castle of Karnarvan according to a certain indenture. By K.

Protection, during good behaviour, for the abbot of Conewe in North Wales and his fellow-monks and their men and possessions. By K.

The like for the abbot and canons of the Isle of Bardesey in North Wales. By K.

Oct. 13. Mouche. The like for the abbot and canons of Kymere. By K.

* This membrane is not dated, but it appears to belong to the second year.

APPENDIX.

COMMISSIONS OF THE PEACE.

BEDFORDSHIRE.

1. Westminster, 28 November, 1399. 1 Henry IV. Part 5. m. 36*d.*
2. ,, 16 May, 1401. 2 ,, ,, 2. ,, 15*d.*

Reginald Grey of Ruthyn, 1, 2.
Gerard Braybrok, the elder, 1, 2.
,, the younger, 2.
William Thirnyng, 1, 2.
John Cassy, 1.
William Gascoigne, 1.
Thomas Peuere, 1, 2.
John Hervy, 1, 2.
John Worshepe, 1, 2.
Reginald Ragun, Radon, 1, 2.
William Bozun, Bozoun, 1, 2.
John Goldyngton, 1, 2.
John Cokayn, 2.
John Markham, 2.
Nicholas Bradshawe, 2.
Robert Baa, 2.

BERKSHIRE.

1. Westminster, 28 November, 1399. 1 Henry IV. Part 5. m. 38*d.*
2. ,, 28 March, 1401. 2 ,, ,, 2. ,, 16*d.*
3. ,, 16 May, 1401. 2 ,, ,, 15*d.*

Almaric de Sancto Amando, 1, 2, 3.
John Hill, Hull, 1, 2, 3.
Hugh Holes, Huls, 1, 2, 3.
William Langford, Langeford, 1, 2, 3.
Laurence Dru, 1, 2, 3.
Reginald Sheffeld, the elder, 1, 2, 3.
William Bruus, 1.
John Arches, 1, 2, 3.
William Staverton, 1.
Peter Besiles, 3.
Edmund Spersholt, 3.
Thomas Chelreye, 3.

BUCKINGHAMSHIRE.

1. Westminster, 28 November, 1399. 1 Henry IV. Part 5. m. 37*d.*
2. ,, 16 May, 1401. 2 ,, ,, 2. ,, 15*d.*

Reginald Grey of Ruthyn, 1, 2.
William Thirnyng, 1, 2.
John Cassy, 1.
Thomas Aylesbury, 1, 2.
William Gascoigne, 1.
John Rede, 1, 2.
Edmund Hamden, 1, 2.
Richard Overton, 1.
John Broghton, the younger, 1, 2.
John Cokayn, 2.
John Markham, 2.
John de Tyryngham, 2.
John Frome, 2.
Nicholas Bradshawe, 2.
William Vaux, 2.
Edmund Brudenell, 2.

CAMBRIDGESHIRE.

1.	Westminster,	9 November, 1399.	1 Henry IV. Part 5. m. 38*d.*
2.	,,	28 November, 1399.	,, ,, 37*d.*
3.	,,	26 January, 1400.	,, ,, 36*d.*
4.	,,	16 May, 1401.	2 ,, 2 ,, 15*d.*

Edmund, duke of York, 1, 2, 3, 4.
Edmund de la Pole, 1, 2, 3, 4.
John Cassy, 1, 2, 3.
Payn Tiptot, 1, 3, 4.
Thomas Skelton, 1, 2, 3, 4.
William Gascoigne, 1, 2, 3.
Thomas Haselden, Hasilden, 1, 4.
John Brunne, 1, 2, 3, 4.
Ralph Bateman, 1, 2.
William Rikhill, 2, 3.
Robert Parys, 2, 3.
Hugh Burnell, 4.
John Cokayn, 4.
John Markham, 4.
Baldwin Seint George, 4.
William Castelacre, 4.
Thomas Aylesbury, 4.
William Alyngton, 4.

TOWN OF CAMBRIDGE.

Westminster, 12 March, 1400. 1 Henry IV. Part 5. m. 36*d.*

John Cassy, Eudo la Souche, chancellor of the University, William Gascoigne, Thomas Trevet, mayor of the town, Richard Billyngford, William Bateman, Ralph Bateman.

CORNWALL.

1.	Westminster,	28 November, 1399.	1 Henry IV. Part 5. m. 38*d.*
2.	,,	16 February, 1400.	,, ,, 36*d.*
3.	,,	16 May, 1401.	2 ,, 2 ,, 14*d.*

William Rikhill, 1, 2, 3.
William Brenchesle, Brenchesley, 1, 2, 3.
John Arundell, 1, 2, 3.
John Herle, 1.
John Colshull, 1.
John Tremayn, the elder, 1, 2, 3.
Richard Glenyan, 1.
Roger Trewithennek, Trewethennek, 1, 2, 3.
William Lambron, 2, 3.
Thomas Peverell, 2, 3.
Mark Mighelstowe, Meghelstowe, 2, 3.
John Grenville, 3.
Henry Fulfford, 3.

CUMBERLAND.

1.	Westminster,	28 November, 1399.	1 Henry IV. Part 5. m. 37*d.*
2.	,,	16 July, 1401.	2 ,, 2. ,, 14*d.*

Henry, earl of Northumberland, 1, 2.
Ralph Neville, earl of Westmoreland, 1, 2.
Peter Tilioll, 1.
John Markham, 1.
William Ligh, del Liegh, 1, 2.
John Cokayn, 1.
Robert Louther, de Louthir, 1, 2.
William Stapulton, de Stapilton, 1, 2.
Robert Santford, 1.
Robert Carlill, de Karlell, 1, 2.
Robert Pernyng, 2.
William Horneby, 2.
William Skrene, 2.

DERBYSHIRE.

1.	Westminster,	28 November, 1399.	1 Henry IV. Part 5. m. 37*d.*
2.	,,	16 May, 1401.	2 ,, 2. ,, 14*d.*

DERBYSHIRE—cont.

Richard Grey of Codenore, 1, 2.
Thomas de Rempston, 1, 2.
William Thirnyng, 1, 2.
Nicholas Mountgomery, 1, 2.
Thomas de Wendesley, Wyndesley, 1, 2.
Robert Tirwhit, 1, 2.
John Curson of Keteleston, 1, 2.
Roger Leche, 1, 2.
Peter de la Pole, 1, 2.
John Foliaumbe, 1, 2.
John Tuchet, 2.
Hugh Shirle, 2.
Nicholas Langeford, 2.
John Cokayn, 'chivaler,' 2.
John de Kneveton, 2.
Richard Gascoigne, 2.
William Sallowe, 2.
Thomas Tikhill, 2.

DEVONSHIRE.

1. Westminster, 28 November, 1899. 1 Henry IV. Part 5. m. 38*d*.
2. ,, 16 February, 1400. ,, ,, 36*d*.
3. ,, 24 May, 1400. ,, ,, ,,
4. ,, 16 May, 1401. 2 ,, 2. ,, 14*d*.

Peter Courtenay, 1, 2, 3, 4.
John Hill, Hille, 1, 2, 3, 4.
William Rikhill, 1, 2, 3, 4.
John Wadham, 1, 2, 3, 4.
William Hankeford, 1, 2, 3, 4.
William Brenchesle, Brenchesley, 1, 2, 3, 4.
Robert Hill, 3, 4.
,, the elder, 1.
John Copleston, 1.
William Burleston, 1.
Edward Courtenay, earl of Devon, 2, 3, 4.
Edward Courtenay, the younger, 2, 3, 4.
John de Haryngton, 2.
Hugh Courtenay, 2, 3, 4.
Robert Chalouns, 2, 3, 4.
John Prestecote, Prestcote, 2, 3, 4.
Robert de Haryngton, 3, 4.
James Chiddele, 4.
John Grenevill, 4.
William Bemond, 4.

DORSETSHIRE.

1. Westminster, 28 November, 1899. 1 Henry IV. Part 5. m. 38*d*.
2. ,, 16 May, 1401. 2 ,, 2. ,, 16*d*.

Walter Clopton, 1.
Humphrey Stafford, 1, 2.
William Rikhill, 1, 2.
William Brenchesle, 1, 2.
John Frome, 1, 2.
John Faundeleroy, 1, 2.
Walter Biere, 1, 2.
William Payn, 1, 2.
Robert Turbervyle, 2.
John Manyngford, 2.
John Perle, 2.
John Bache, 2.
Morgan Gogh, 2.
Theobald Wykham, 2.

ESSEX.

1. Westminster, 24 October, 1899. 1 Henry IV. Part 5. m. 38*d*.
2. ,, 28 November, 1899. ,, ,, ,,
3. ,, 16 May, 1401. 2 ,, 2. ,, 16*d*.
4. ,, 28 September, 1401. ,, ,, 18*d*.

William Hankeford, 1, 2, 3, 4.
Robert Hill, 1.
,, the elder, 2, 3, 4.
William Skrene, Screne, 1, 2, 3, 4.
Robert Neuport, 1.
Thomas Samkyn, 1.
Edmund, duke of York, 2, 3, 4.
Walter Fitz Wauter, 2, 3.
John Howard, 2, 3, 4.
William Rikhill, 2, 3, 4.

ESSEX—cont.

John Doreward, 2, 3, 4.
Thomas Coggeshale, 2, 3, 4.
Clement Spice, 2, 3, 4.
Edmund, earl of Stafford, 3, 4.
Richard Grey of Codenore, 3, 4.
Bartholomew Bourser, 3, 4
William Coggeshale, 3, 4.
Robert Litton, 3, 4.
Robert Rikdon, 3, 4.

GLOUCESTERSHIRE.

1.	Westminster,	28 November, 1399.	1 Henry IV. Part	5.	m. 37*d.*
2.	,,	28 May, 1400.	,,	,,	36*d.*
3.	,,	16 May, 1401.	2 ,,	2. ,,	14*d.*

Thomas Berkele of Berkele, 1, 2, 3.
John de Berkele, 1, 2, 3.
John Cassy, 1.
John Hill, 1, 2, 3.
Hugh Holes, 1, 2, 3.
Hugh Waterton, 1, 2, 3.
Maurice Russell, 1, 2, 3.
Robert Whityngton, 1, 2, 3.
John Derhurst, 1, 2, 3.
John Bislee, 1.
John Cheyne, 2, 3.
Robert Burdon, 2, 3.
William Tracy, 3.
William Beauchamp of Powyk, 3.*

HEREFORDSHIRE.

1.	Westminster,	28 November, 1399.	1 Henry IV. Part	5.	m. 37*d.*
2.	,,	16 May, 1401.	2 ,,	2. ,,	15*d.*

William Beauchamp of Bergeveny, 1, 2.
John Hill, 1, 2.
Hugh Holes, 1, 2.
Hugh Waterton, 1, 2.
Kinard de la Bere, 1, 2.
Philip Holcote, 1, 2.
Thomas Mille, 1, 2.
Thomas Walwayn, 1.
Stephen White, 1, 2.
Edward Charleton, 2.
Walter Deveros, 2.
Leonard Hakeluyt, 2.

HERTFORDSHIRE.

1.	Westminster,	28 November, 1399.	1 Henry IV. Part	5.	m. 37*d.*
2.	,,	16 May, 1401.	2 ,,	2. ,,	15*d.*

John Norbury, 1, 2.
William Hankford, 1, 2.
Robert Hill, the elder, 1, 2.
John Cokayn, 1, 2.
Thomas Thornburgh, 1, 2.
John Ryggewyn, Rigewyn, 1, 2.
John Lodewyk, 1, 2.
John Walsshe, 1, 2.
Robert Mordon, 1, 2.
Edward Benstede, 2.
Thomas Barre, 2.
Robert Corbet, 2.

HUNTINGDONSHIRE.

1.	Westminster,	28 November, 1399.	1 Henry IV. Part	5.	m. 37*d.*
2.	,,	15 February, 1401.	2 ,,	2. ,,	16*d.*
3.	,,	16 May, 1401.	,,	,,	15*d.*

* Cancelled.

HUNTINGDONSHIRE—cont.

William Thirnyng, 1, 2, 3.
John Cassy, 1.
William Gascoigne, 1.
William Pappeworth, 1, 2, 3.
John Stucle, 1, 2.
John Wauton, 1, 2, 3.
Richard Botiller, 1, 2, 3.
Robert Baa, 1, 2, 3.
John Cokayn, 2, 3.
John Markham, 2, 3.
John Harlyngton, Herlyngton, 2, 3.
Reginald Grey of Ruthyn, 3.
William Moigne, 3.
Robert Scot, 3.

KENT.

1. Westminster, 28 November, 1399. 1 Henry IV. Part 1. m. 37*d*.
2. ,, 18 May, 1400. ,, ,, 36*d*.
3. ,, 16 May, 1401. 2 ,, 2. ,, 15*d*.

John Cobham, 1, 2.
Thomas Erpyngham, constable of Dover castle and warden of the Cinque Ports, 1, 2, 3.
Arnald Savage, 1, 2, 3.
William Rikhill, 1, 2, 3.
William Hankford, 1, 2, 3.
Robert Hill, 2.
,, the elder, 1, 3.
John Fenyngham, Frenyngham, 1, 2, 3.
William Makenade, 1, 2, 3.
John Culpeper, 1, 2, 3.
John Reche, 1, 2, 3.
Robert Berneye, 2, 3.
Richard Grey, 3.
John Norbury, 3.
Reginald Braybrok, 3.

LEICESTERSHIRE.

1. Westminster, 28 November, 1399. 1 Henry IV. Part 5. m. 37*d*.
2. ,, 16 May, 1401. 2 ,, 2. ,, 15*d*.

William Ferrers of Groby, 1, 2.
Thomas de Rempston, 1, 2.
William Thirnyng, 1, 2.
Hugh Shirley, 1, 2.
John Eynesford, 1, 2.
Robert Tirwhit, 1, 2.
Thomas Sutton, 1, 2.
Thomas Frysby, 1, 2.
William Oudeby, 1, 2.
William Palmere, 1, 2.
Richard Grey of Codenore, 2.
Richard Gascoigne, 2.
John Wolf, 2.
John Wodeford, 2.

LINCOLNSHIRE.—THE PARTS OF HOLLAND.

1. Westminster, 28 November, 1399. 1 Henry IV. Part 5. m. 37*d*.
2. ,, 16 May, 1401. 2 ,, 2. ,, 14*d*.

Edmund, duke of York, 1, 2.
William Roos, of Hamelak, 1, 2.
William de Wylughby, 1, 2.
Philip le Despenser, 1, 2.
William Thirnyng, 1, 2.
John Rocheforde, 1, 2.
Robert Tirwhit, 1, 2.
Robert de Waterton, 1, 2.
John de Meres, 1, 2.
John Belle, 1, 2.
Roger Welby, 1, 2.
John de la Launde, 1, 2.
John Copeldyke, 2.
William Spayne, 2.

LINCOLNSHIRE.—THE PARTS OF KESTEVEN.

1. Westminster, 28 November, 1399. 1 Henry IV. Part 5. m. 37*d*.
2. ,, 16 May, 1401. 2 ,, 2. ,, 14*d*.

LINCOLNSHIRE—THE PARTS OF KESTEVEN—cont.

Edmund, duke of York, 1, 2.
William Roos of Hamelak, 1, 2.
Thomas de Bardolf, 1, 2.
William Thirnyng, 1, 2.
Ralph Rocheford, 1, 2.
John Walsshe, 1, 2.
John Bason, Bosoun, 1, 2.
Robert Tirwhit, 1, 2.
William Bolle, 1, 2.
John Repynghale, 1, 2.
William Pylet, 1, 2.
John Rocheford, 2.
John Meres, 2.
John de la Launde, 2.

LINCOLNSHIRE.—THE PARTS OF LINDSEY.

1.	Westminster,	28 November, 1399.	1 Henry IV. Part 5. m. 38*d.*
2.	,,	16 May, 1401.	2 ,, 2. ,, 16*d.*

William Roos of Hamelak, 1, 2.
William de Wylughby, 1, 2.
Ralph de Cromwell, Crumwell, 1, 2.
Philip Spencer, 1, 2.
William Thirnyng, 1, 2.
Henry Retford, 1, 2.
Robert Tirwhit, 1, 2.
Robert Cumberworth, 1, 2.
Thomas Missenden, 1.
Richard Muriell, Miryell, 1, 2.
William Ludyngton, 1, 2.
Aubyn de Enderby, 1, 2.
Thomas Haulee, 2.
Gerard Suthill, 2.
William Michel, 2.

MIDDLESEX.

1.	Westminster,	28 November, 1399.	1 Henry IV. Part 5. m. 37*d.*
2.	,,	4 August, 1401.	2 ,, 2. ,, 13*d.*

Adam Fraunceys, 1, 2.
John Wroth, 1, 2.
William Hankford, 1, 2.
Robert Hill, the elder, 1, 2.
Thomas Cherlton, 1, 2.
John Shordych, 1.
John Shordych, the elder, 2.
,, the younger, 2.
John Lilleston, 1, 2.
Walter Waltham, 1, 2.
John Clerk, of Preston, 2.

NORFOLK.

1.	Westminster,	28 November, 1399.	1 Henry IV. Part 5. m. 37*d.*
2.	,,	10 March, 1401.	2 ,, 2. ,, 16*d.*
3.	,,	16 May, 1401.	,, ,, 15*d.*
4.	,,	26 May, 1401.	,, ,, 14*d.*

Edmund, duke of York, 1, 2, 3, 4.
Michael de la Pole, earl of Suffolk, 1, 2, 3, 4.
Thomas de Bardolf of Wyrmyngeye, 1, 2, 3, 4.
Robert Scales, 1, 2, 3, 4.
Thomas Erpyngham, 1, 2, 3, 4.
John Cassy, 1.
Robert Berneys, 1.
William Gascoigne, 1.
William Rees, 1, 2, 3, 4.
John Wynter, 1, 2, 3, 4.
Simon Baret, 1, 3, 4.
Robert Martham, 1, 2, 3, 4.
William Snetesham, 1, 2, 3, 4.
John Cokayn, 2, 3, 4.
John Markham, 2, 3, 4.
John Lestraunge, 2, 3, 4.
John Colvyll, 2, 3, 4.
William Wilughby, Wyloughby, 3, 4.
John Yelverton, 3, 4.
Richard Gegge, 3, 4.
Laurence Trussebut, 3, 4.
John Payn, 4.

BISHOP'S LYNN.

1. Westminster, 20 February, 1400. 1 Henry IV. Part 5. m. 36*d.*
2. ,, 22 March, 1401. 2 ,, 2. ,, 16*d.*

John Cassy, 1.
William Gascoigne, 1.
Simon Baret, 1, 2.
William Snetesham, 1, 2.
Thomas Drewe, 1, 2.
Robert Botkesham, 1, 2.
Laurence Trussebut, 1, 2.
John Cokayn, 2.
John Markham, 2.
John Yelverton, 2.

NORWICH.

1. Westminster, 8 July, 1401. 2 Henry IV. Part 2. m. 14*d.*

John Cokayn, John Markham, Robert Martham, John Yelverton, Henry Lomynour, Roger Bliklyng, Walter Danyell, William Everard, Thomas Gerard.

GREAT YARMOUTH.

1. Westminster, 20 January, 1400. 1 Henry IV. Part 5. m. 36*d.*
2. ,, 21 March, 1401. 2 ,, 2. ,, 16*d.*

John Cassy, 1.
William Gascoigne, 1.
John Elys, 1, 2.
Hugh atte Fen, Feen, 1, 2.
William Oxeneye, 1.
Robert de Martham, Matham, 1, 2.
John Cokayn, 2.
John Markham, 2.
William Fastolf, 2.

NORTHAMPTONSHIRE.

1. Westminster, 28 November, 1399. 1 Henry IV. Part 5. m. 38*d.*
2. ,, 16 May, 1401. 2 ,, 2. ,, 15*d.*

Edmund, duke of York, 1, 2.
William la Souche, 1.
,, of Haryngworth, 2.
William Thirnyng, 1, 2.
Robert Tirwhit, 1, 2.
Nicholas Bradshawe, 1, 2.
John Catesby, 1, 2.
John Mulsho, 1, 2.
John Harwedon, 1.
Ralph Parles, 1, 2.
John Welton, 1, 2.
Reginald Grey of Ruthyn, 2.
Thomas Grene, 2.
Richard Gascoigne, 2.

NORTHUMBERLAND.

1. Westminster, 28 November, 1399. 1 Henry IV. Part 5. m. 36*d.*
2. ,, 16 May, 1401. 2 ,, 2. ,, 15*d.*

Henry, earl of Northumberland, 1, 2.
Henry Percy le fitz, 1, 2.
Thomas Grey of Heton (or Horton), 1, 2.
Ralph de Ivere, 1, 2.
Gerard Heron, 1, 2.
John Markham, 1.
John Cokayn, 1.
John Mitford, 1, 2.
Sampson Hardyng, 1, 2.
Thomas Watton, 1, 2.
William Hornby, 2.
William Skreene, 2.
Robert Umframvill, 2.
William Mitford, 2.

NOTTINGHAMSHIRE.

1. Westminster, 28 November, 1399. 1 Henry IV. Part 5. m. 38*d*.
2. ,, 16 May, 1401. 2 ,, 2. ,, 14*d*.

William Roos of Hamelak, 1, 2.
Richard Grey of Codenore, 1, 2.
Ralph Cromwell, 1, 2.
Thomas de Rempston, 1, 2.
William Thirnyng, 1, 2.
Hugh Shirle, Shirley, 1, 2.
John Markham, 1, 2.
Robert Tirwhit, 1, 2.
John Gaytford, Gaitford, 1, 2.
William de Rempston, 1, 2.
William Jorce, 1, 2.
William Babyngton, 1, 2.
John Leek, 2.
Thomas Chaworth, 2.
Francis Meryng, 2.
Thomas Sutton, 2.

OXFORDSHIRE.

1. Westminster, 28 November, 1399. 1 Henry IV. Part 5. m. 37*d*.

John Lovell, John Hill, Hugh Holes, John Drayton, Thomas Paynell, Thomas Barentyn, John Rede, John Hilton, Thomas Couele.

TOWN OF OXFORD.

1. Westminster, 8 January, 1400. 1 Henry IV. Part 5. m. 36*d*.
2. ,, 6 June, 1401. 2 ,, 2. ,, 14*d*

Thomas Hendeman, chancellor of the University, 1.
John Hill, 1, 2.
Hugh Holes, 1, 2.
Richard Garston, mayor of the town, 1.
John Rede, 1, 2.
Richard Overton, 1.
Thomas Couele, 1, 2.
Edmund Kenyan, 1, 2.
Philip, abbot of Leicester, chancellor of the University, 2.
John Merston, mayor of the town, 2.
John Sprunt, 2.

RUTLANDSHIRE.

1. Westminster, 28 November, 1399. 1 Henry IV. Part 5. m. 37*d*.
2. ,, 16 May, 1401. 2 ,, 2. ,, 14*d*.
3. ,, 15 June, 1401. ,, ,, ,,

William Thirnyng, 1, 2, 3.
Hugh Browe, 1, 2, 3.
Robert Tirwhit, 1, 2, 3.
Thomas Oudeby, 1, 2, 3.
Hugh Grenham, Greneham, 1, 2, 3.
William Oudeby, 1, 2, 3.
Nicholas Caldecote, 1, 2, 3.
John Pensax, 1, 2, 3.
Thomas Frysby, 2, 3.
Gero Flore, 2, 3.
John Boteler, 3.

SALOP.

1. Westminster, 28 November, 1399. 1 Henry IV. Part 5. m. 38*d*.
2. ,, 16 May, 1401. 2 ,, 2. ,, 16*d*.

Thomas, earl of Arundel, 1, 2.
Thomas, earl of Worcester, 1, 2.
Hugh Burnell, 1, 2.
John Hill, 1, 2.
Hugh Holes, 1, 2.
William Hugford, 1, 2.
Henry Grendon, 1, 2.
Thomas Yonge, 1, 2.
John Burle, 1, 2.
John Knyghtle, 1, 2.
Thomas Lee, 1, 2.
Edmund, earl of Stafford, 2.
Thomas de Neville of Halomshire, 2.

SOMERSETSHIRE.

1.	Westminster,	28 November, 1399.	1 Henry IV. Part 5. m. 38*d*.
2.	,,	5 July, 1400.	,, ,, 36*d*.
3.	,,	16 May, 1401.	2 ,, 2. ,, 15*d*.

Richard Seymore, 1, 2, 3.
Peter Courtenay, 1, 2, 3.
Walter Clopton, 1, 2.
William Rikhill, 1, 2, 3.
John Wadham, 1, 2, 3.
William Brenchesley, 1, 2, 3.
Thomas Broke, 1, 2, 3.
Richard Sydenham, 1, 2, 3.
Robert Hill, the younger, 1, 2, 3.
John Manyngford, 1, 2, 3.
Robert de Haryngton, 2, 3.
Matthew Gournay, 2.
Baldwin Malet, 2, 3.
Humphrey Stafford, 3.
William Stourton, 3.
John Russell, 3.

SOUTHAMPTON.

1.	Westminster,	28 November, 1399.	1 Henry IV. Part 5. m. 37*d*.
2.	,,	16 May, 1401.	2 ,, 2. ,, 14*d*.

Thomas Camoys, 1, 2.
Thomas Ponynges, 1, 2.
William Rikhill, 1, 2.
Thomas Skelton, 1, 2.
William Brenchesle, 1, 2.
John Lyle, Lisle, 1, 2.
William Horneby, 1, 2.
William Ryngebourne, 1.
Thomas Warner, 1, 2.
Richard Walloppe, 1, 2.
William Sturmyn, 2.
John Uvedale, 2.
Henry Popham, 2.
John Skillyng, 2.

STAFFORDSHIRE.

1.	Westminster,	28 November, 1399.	1 Henry IV. Part 5. m. 38*d*.
2.	,,	16 May, 1401.	2 ,, 2. ,, 15*d*.

Edmund, earl of Stafford, 1, 2.
Hugh Burnell, 1, 2.
John Hill, 1, 2.
Hugh Holes, 1, 2.
Thomas Aston, 1, 2.
Robert Fraunceys, 1, 2.
Nicholas Bradshawe, 1, 2.
John Knyghtle, 1, 2.
William Slepe, 1.
John Whethales, 1, 2.
Robert Mauvesyn, 2.

SUFFOLK.

1.	Westminster,	28 November, 1399.	1 Henry IV. Part 5. m. 37*d*.
2.	,,	18 July, 1400.	,, ,, 36*d*.
3.	,,	16 May, 1401.	2 ,, 2. ,, 15*d*.
4.	,,	26 May, 1401.	,, ,, 14*d*.

Michael de la Pole, earl of Suffolk, 1, 2, 3, 4.
John Howard, 1, 2, 3, 4.
John Cassy, 1.
William Gascoigne, 1, 2.
William Rees, 1, 2, 3, 4.
John Staverton, 1, 2, 3, 4.
Robert Hotoft, 1.
John Glemham, 1, 2, 3, 4.
Roger Caundyssh, Cavendyssh, 1, 2, 3, 4.
John Rede, 2.
Edmund Lakyngheth, 2, 3, 4.
William Wylughby, 3, 4.
John Cokayn, 3, 4.
John Markham, 3, 4.
Roger Drury, 3, 4.
William Berdewell, 3, 4.
John Payn, 4.

SURREY.

1. Westminster, 28 November, 1399. 1 Henry IV. Part 5. m. 37*d.*
2. ,, 16 May, 1401. 2 ,, 2. ,, 16*d.*

Thomas, earl of Arundell, 1, 2.
Thomas Camoys, 1, 2.
William Arundell, 1.
William Hankford, 1, 2.
Robert Hill, the elder, 1, 2.
Nicholas Carrewe, 1, 2.
John Weston, 1, 2.
John Preston, 1, 2.
Thomas Blast, 1, 2.
Walter Hoke, 1, 2.
William Weston, 2.

SUSSEX.

1. Westminster, 28 November, 1399. 1 Henry IV. Part 5. m. 37*d.*
2. ,, 3 February, 1400. ,, ,, 36*d.*
3. ,, 16 May, 1401. 2 ,, 2. ,, 15*d.*

Thomas, earl of Arundell, 1, 2, 3.
Thomas Camoys, 1, 2, 3.
Thomas Ponynges, 1, 2, 3.
John Dalyngrugg, 1.
Thomas West, 1, 2, 3.
William Hankford, 1, 2, 3.
William Brenchesley, Brenchesle, 1,2,3.
Robert Hill, the elder, 1, 2, 3.
John Preston, 1, 2, 3.
Thomas Blast, 1.
Robert Oxebrugge, 1, 2, 3.
John Pelham, 2, 3.
Nicholas Carrewe, 2, 3.
William Heron, 3.
John Bohon, 3.
Henry Husee, 3.
John Tauke, 3.
John Tremayn, 3.

WARWICKSHIRE.

1. Westminster, 28 November, 1399. 1 Henry IV. Part 5. m. 37*d.*
2. ,, 16 May, 1401. 2 ,, 2. ,, 15*d.*

Thomas, earl of Warwick, 1.
Hugh Burnell, 1, 2.
William de Asteley, 1, 2.
Thomas de Rempston, 1, 2.
William Thirnyng, 1, 2.
Thomas de Astele, 1.
Robert Tirwhit, 1, 2.
John Catesby, 1, 2.
Thomas Purfrey, 1, 2.
Robert Goushill, 1.
Thomas Seyvill, 1, 2.
Edward Metteley, Motteley, 1, 2.
Richard, earl of Warwick, 2.
William Beauchamp of Bergeveny, 2.
Hugh de Shirley, 2.
Richard Gascoigne, 2.

WESTMORELAND.

1. Westminster, 28 November, 1399. 1 Henry IV. Part 5. m. 36*d.*
2. ,, 8 July, 1401. 2 ,, 2. ,, 14*d.*

Henry Percy, earl of Northumberland, 1, 2.
Ralph Neville, earl of Westmoreland, 1, 2.
Henry Percy le fitz, 1, 2.
William Paar, 1.
Thomas Musgrave, de Musgrave, 1, 2.
John Markham, 1.
Walter Stirkland, 1.
William Therlkeld, de Threlkeld, 1, 2.
John Cokayn, 1.
Hugh Salkeld, de Salkeld, 1, 2.
Robert Santford, 1.
Richard Redman, 2.
William Horneby, 2.
William Skrene, 2.
John de Kyrkeby, 2.
John de Preston, 2.

WILTSHIRE.

1. Westminster,	28 November, 1899.	1 Henry IV. Part 5. m.	38*d.*
2. „	16 May, 1401.	2 „ 2. „	14*d.*

Edmund, duke of York, 1, 2.
John Lovell, 1, 2.
Peter Courtenay, 1, 2.
William Rikhill, 1, 2.
William Sturmy, 1, 2.
Humphrey Stafford, 1.
William Brenchesle, 1, 2.
William Worston, 1.
William Stourton, 1, 2.
John Gaweyn, Goweyn, 1, 2.
Thomas Bonham, 1, 2.
John Daunteseye, 2.
Walter Hungerford, 2.
John Lillebon, 2.
William Horneby, 2.
Thomas Colston, 2.
Richard Fode, 2.

WORCESTERSHIRE.

1. Westminster,	28 November, 1899.	1 Henry IV. Part 5. m.	37*d.*
2. „	1 June, 1400.	„ „	36*d.*
3. „	16 May, 1401.	2 „ 2. „	15*d.*
4. „	8 July, 1401.	„ „	14*d.*

Thomas, earl of Worcester, 1, 2, 3, 4.
Hugh Burnell, 1, 2, 3, 4.
John Russell, 1, 2.
John Cassy, 1.
John Hill, 1, 2, 3, 4.
Hugh Holes, 1, 2, 3, 4.
John Blount, 1, 2, 3, 4.
Henry Bruyn, 1, 2, 3, 4.
Robert Russell, 1, 2, 3, 4.
Thomas Belue, 1, 2, 3.
Thomas, earl of Warwick, 2, 3.
Walter Cokesey, 2, 3, 4.
Thomas Throkmerton, 3, 4.
Richard, earl of Warwick, 4.

YORKSHIRE.—EAST RIDING.

1. Westminster,	28 November, 1399.	1 Henry IV. Part 5. m.	36*d.*
2. „	5 March, 1400.	„ „	„
3. „	1 June, 1400.	„ „	„
4. „	16 May, 1401.	2 „ 2. „	14*d.*
5. „	16 July, 1401.	„ „	13*d.*

Henry, earl of Northumberland, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5.
Ralph, earl of Westmoreland, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5.
Stephen Lescrope of Masham, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5.
John Markham, 1, 2, 3.
William Gascoigne, 1, 4, 5.
Robert Tirwhit, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5.
John Cokayn, 1, 2, 3.
Hugh Ardern, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5.
William Hungate, 4, 5.
Peter del Hay, 1, 4, 5.
Nicholas Rosselyn, 1, 2.
Thomas de Lancastre, steward of England, 2, 3, 4, 5.
John Aske, de Aske, 2, 3, 4, 5.
Walter Rodestan, 2, 3, 4, 6.
Richard Beverle, 2, 3.
Peter Bukton, 3, 4, 5.
Thomas Brounflete, 4, 5.
Robert de Hilton, 4. 5.
William Horneby, Hornby, 4, 5.
William Screne, 4, 5.
Richard Gascoigne, 4, 5.
William Waldeby, 4, 5.
John Lescrope, 5.

LIBERTY OF ST. JOHN OF BEVERLEY.

1. Westminster, 4 March, 1401. 2 Henry IV. Part 2. m. 16*d.*

Stephen le Scrope of Masham, John le Scrope, Robert de Hilton, Robert Tirwhite, William Horneby, William Skrene, Hugh de Arderne, Richard Tirwhit.

YORKSHIRE.—NORTH RIDING.

1. Westminster,	28 November, 1899.	1 Henry IV. Part 5. m. 37*d.*
2. ,,	5 March, 1400.	,, ,, 36*d.*
3. ,,	16 May, 1401.	2 ,, 2. ,, 14*d.*

Henry, earl of Northumberland. 1, 2, 3.
Ralph, earl of Westmoreland, 1, 2, 3.
William Roos of Hamelak, 1, 2. 3.
Henry Fitz Hugh, 1, 2, 3.
Ralph Lomley, 1.
Ralph de Ivere, 1, 2, 3.
John Markham, 1, 2.
William Gascoigne, 1, 3.
John Cokayn, 1, 2.
John Conyers, 1, 2, 3.
William Lokton, 1, 2, 3.
John Burgh, 1, 2, 3.
Richard Norton, 1, 3.
John Colvill, 2, 3.
John Wylymot, 2, 3.
William Horneby, 3.
William Skrene, 3.
William Lambard, 3.
William Leysyngby, 3.

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